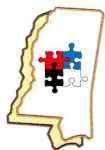


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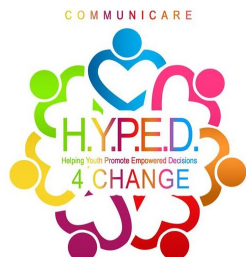


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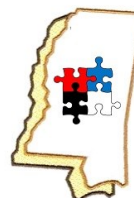
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Creating Your Own Path: Successful Transitions For Persons With Autism

September 7, 2017



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This one-day conference will be held on Thursday, September 7, 2017, from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. at Broadmoor Baptist Church in Madison, Mississippi. The importance of transitions for those with autism cannot be stressed enough and doesn't happen overnight. The objective of this conference is to provide parents, advocates, professionals, and people with autism the opportunity to learn about resources and evidence-based best practices regarding planning and executing successful transitions, no matter the age.

Morning Keynote: **Linda Hodgdon** is a Speech-Language Pathologist who is internationally known as a pioneer in developing the use of visual strategies to support communication for students with the communication, behavior or social skill challenges that are common in Autism Spectrum Disorders (ASD).

Afternoon Keynote: **Dr. Edlyn Peña** is an Associate Professor of Higher Education Leadership and Co-Director of the Autism and Communication Center at California Lutheran University (CLU).

Who should attend: Anyone who works with, designs, provides supports to, or is a person with autism, such as: teachers, para-professionals, school administrators, advocates, parents, support coordinators, nursing home administrators, and social workers. Attendance certificates are also available. For additional CE information contact Peggy Kelly at pkelly@boswell.state.ms.us

Registration: Registration is \$50 before Aug. 5th, \$65.00 from Aug. 5th to Aug. 31st, \$75.00 from Sept. 1st to Sept. 7th which includes admission, morning and afternoon snacks, and a lunch. Registrations will be processed by date received. Participants may register online (tinyurl.com/asdtransition2017) or return the completed registration along with a check or money order. Attendance scholarships are available for parents/guardians of and/or persons with autism. Additional fees may apply for University CEU, Social Workers and Nursing Home Administrators.

If you require any auxiliary aids, services, or special requirements, please contact: Mickey Alford, Coalition for Citizens with Disabilities at 601-969-0601.

For more information visit: www.tinyurl.com/asdtransition2017

Conference Registration

Name: _____

Phone #: _____ Fax: _____

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Company: _____

Address: _____

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Job Title: _____

Discipline: _____

If purchasing your registration through a school/district purchase order:

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I am a(an) (please check all that apply):

☐ professional ☐ parent ☐ other family member ☐ individual with ASD

If parent or family member, what is(are) the age(s) of your family member(s) with ASD? _____

Special needs: _____

I am interested in applying for an attendance scholarship as a/an (please check all that apply): ☐ parent of an individual with autism ☐ an individual with autism

Planning forms have been submitted for review for the following disciplines: Mental Health Therapist, Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities Therapist, Licensed DMH Administrator, Community Support Specialist, Social Worker, Nursing Home Administrator, University/Education CEUs, and School Executive Management Institute (SEMI) credits.

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