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She has been with CARD since its inception in 1993 and has worked with individuals with autism spectrum disorder & related disabilities since 1982.

She is an internationally recognized autism expert and public speaker, as well as an award-winning author. She specializes in helping children, teens, and adults with autism. In some instances, these individuals may have received prior or co-occurring diagnoses of Asperger's Disorder, Asperger Syndrome, ADHD, OCD, ODD, non-verbal learning disability, anxiety, depression, or other related conditions.

Dr. Adreon is one of the editors of the Organization for Autism Research's guide to autism level 1 supports and has co-authored three books on autism spectrum disorder: *Special considerations for students with autism spectrum disorder: A guide for school administrators* (with Myles), *Simple strategies that work! Helpful hints to all educators of students with Asperger syndrome, high-functioning autism, and related disabilities* (with Myles & Gitlitz), and *Asperger syndrome and adolescence: Practical strategies for school success* (with Myles). In addition, Dr. Adreon is a consulting editor for *Focus on Autism & Other Developmental Disabilities*.