



Professional Development Day to Benefit the Children's Dyslexia Center of Nashua

Identification and Remediation of Dysgraphia– This workshop will focus on understanding the transcription problem we call dysgraphia. A review of the underlying processes that impact a student's written output as well as how to identify dysgraphia and its impact on executive function will be covered. Remedial techniques focusing on instruction of guidelines for penmanship to remediate motor problems will be conducted followed by discussion on how these challenges, coupled with orthographic coding, create a barrier to learning for many children in school.

Presenter:

Dr. Elaine Holden. Dr. Holden, the co-founder and Director of The Reading Foundation, Amherst, NH, has been a reading specialist/consultant in the New England area for 40 years. Currently, she provides educational evaluations in the area of reading and related language disorders and directs the tutorials for The Reading Foundation, is a Senior Lecturer in the Graduate School of Education at Rivier University, Nashua, New Hampshire, a certified Dyslexia Therapist (IDA), and sits on the governing board for the Association of Specialists in the Assessment of Intellectual Functioning (ASAIF). Elaine also is a past member of the New Hampshire board of directors of The International Dyslexia Association, and was the first Orton-Gillingham Academy Fellow in the state of New Hampshire. Elaine **is the New Hampshire director of the National Right to Read Foundation** and was the only woman appointed as a Commissioner on Governor Lynch's Commission on the Status of Men. She also is a member of the Board of Governors for the Children's Dyslexia Center of Nashua, New Hampshire, **and the host of The Holding Hour on WSMN 1590 radio, Nashua's source for news and talk. (IMSLEC hours given)**

Identification and Remediation of Dysgraphia – Professional Development on
Saturday 11/ 4/ 17from 8:45 – 1:00.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email _____

Space is limited. Registration fee if postmarked on or before September 27th - \$75

Registration fee if postmarked after September 27th - \$100

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