



THE AUTISM SPECIALISTS

Behavior Management Workshop

THIS 5-SESSION WORKSHOP WILL COVER THE BASIC PRINCIPLES OF POSITIVE BEHAVIOR PROGRAMMING.

ITS FOCUS WILL BE ON HELPING PARENTS OF CHILDREN WITH DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES TO CHANGE THEIR OWN BEHAVIOR AND THAT OF THEIR CHILDREN. PARENTS WILL BE ACTIVELY INVOLVED IN THIS WORKSHOP AND WILL BE INVITED TO DISCUSS THE SPECIFIC BEHAVIORAL CHALLENGES THEY ARE CONFRONTING.

THE 5TH SESSION WILL FOCUS SPECIFICALLY ON TOILET TRAINING. PARTICIPANTS INTERESTED IN TOILET TRAINING ARE ALSO ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND THE FIRST 4 SESSIONS.

Dates: 5/4, 5/11, 5/18, 5/25 & 6/1

Time: 6:30pm-9:00pm

Zoom link:

<https://bit.ly/3upeiws>

Meeting ID: 829 8097 0441

Passcode: 172250



**DR. JUNIE LAZO-PEARSON, BCBA-D
SPEAKER**

Dr. Junie Lazo-Pearson, BCBA-D is dedicated to providing quality ABA services to children and adults with autism and other developmental disabilities. She is able to do this through her work with Advanced Behavioral Health, Inc., a private practice that provides behavioral health treatment in California. Dr. Lazo-Pearson received her Ph.D. in Developmental and Child Psychology specializing in applied behavior analysis from the University of Kansas. At the University of Kansas, she worked with children diagnosed with Emotional Behavior Disorder/Severe Emotional Disturbance using functional assessments, and designing and implementing behavioral programs in general education settings. Dr. Lazo-Pearson was also part of a multidisciplinary team at the KU Medical Center assessing and diagnosing children with autism. She has been a part-time lecturer at California State University, Los Angeles and is currently an adjunct professor at The Chicago School of Professional Psychology, Irvine.

Dr. Lazo-Pearson has served as a member of the board of directors for the California Association for Behavior Analysis in various positions that include Southern CA Liaison, Chair of Marketing/Advertising, and her most current position as Treasurer. She was recently appointed as the Behavioral Health Representative to the CalOptima Provider Advisory Committee. In addition, she is the Chair of Behavioral Services for RCOC providers. In the past, Dr. Lazo-Pearson was selected to Chair the Insurance Workgroup as part of the Orange County Autism Task Force under the Senate Select Committee for Autism Spectrum Disorders. Dr. Lazo-Pearson has been invited and presented to regional and national conferences and organizations. Dr. Lazo-Pearson continues to work towards assisting individuals with developmental disabilities maximize their potential and live in the least restrictive environment.



**MATT TRITTO, M.A., BCBA
SPEAKER**

Matt Tritto, M.A., BCBA is the Clinical Director for Advanced Behavioral Health, Inc. Advanced Behavioral Health, Inc. provides intensive Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA) therapy to children and adults with autism. Matt has been working in the field of applied behavior analysis since 2002. In 2011, he earned his Masters in Applied Behavior Analysis from St. Cloud State University, and became a Board Certified Behavior Analyst. Prior to joining Advanced Behavioral Health, Matt served as the Program Director for a Non-Public School and the Clinical Director of an ABA clinic in Northern California. Matt has strong clinical skills and substantial experience developing high quality programs and treatment plans for adults and children. Matt is experienced in Discrete Trial Teaching, Incidental Teaching, Natural Environment Teaching, as well as in the use of PECS and other communication systems. Matt is a member of the California Association of Behavior Analysts (CalABA) and the Association of Professional Behavior Analysts (APBA), and has several years of experience leading in-services, parent training courses, and consultation for parents, teachers, and other specialists. Matt continues to feel inspired to work in the field of ABA with the pursuit of helping improve the lives of his clients and their families!



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