

"Behavioral Strategies, Medication and Public Safety for Autism Spectrum Disorder"

Orlando, FL ~ January 9-10, 2006

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Maria Bird-West Wheeler- *Behavioral Strategies*: Increase understanding of the characteristics of ASD that impact behavior and can foster communication breakdowns and feelings of being overwhelmed. How to address both the social and sensory needs of an individual. Topics include: Effective behavior interventions, visual supports for maximizing communication and minimizing confusion, and preventing and dealing with shutdowns and meltdowns. Author of: [A Treasure Chest of Behavioral Strategies for Individuals with Autism](#) and [Toilet Training for Individuals with Autism and Related Disorders](#)

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Dr. Luke Tsai- *Medications*: Comprehensive and compassionate guidance through medications for ASD, especially for persons in the non-medical field. Details on how basic scientific information can be applied in clinical and educational settings. Topic: Medication Strategies and Pitfalls. Author of: [Taking the Mystery Out of Medications in Autism/Asperger Syndromes](#)

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Dennis Debbaudt- *Public Safety and Emergencies*: Instruction for professionals and parents on how to avoid unfortunate emergency situations involving our children. Learn to recognize and reduce high risk settings and how to maintain safety within school and community. Topics will include wandering and emergency response proficiency. Author of: [Autism, Advocates, and Law Enforcement Professionals](#)

For information and registration, see the Orlando page at our website,
<http://www.spectrumtrainingsystemsinc.com/orlando.html>.

Price for professionals: \$130.00 for one day, \$195.00 for both days.
Price for parents: \$95.00 for one day, \$160.00 for both days.

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