

STAFF TRAINING

Autism Spectrum Disorders



The Pervasive Developmental Disorders, or PDDs, represent a spectrum of disabilities affecting development, social interaction, and communication. These conditions, also called autism spectrum disorders, are diagnosed behaviorally and stem from numerous known and unknown causes. Children and adults with autism spectrum disorders respond to a variety of behavioral and teaching interventions. Some treatments remain controversial, and there is ongoing debate about the causes and prevalence of the PDDs.

Elwyn's office of Genetic Services has been providing practical and understandable staff training since 1985. We are nationally recognized leaders in identification, education, and research into genetic causes of autism and other developmental disabilities. Let us show you how Elwyn's expertise can make a lasting difference in the lives of the children and adults you serve.

SAMPLE TRAININGS:

- The PDDs: Demystifying Behavioral Diagnoses
- The ABCs of Intervention for Autism Spectrum Disorders
- Asperger's Disorder: Educational and Behavioral Interventions
- Genetics and Autism: What Do We Know? Where are We Going?
- Treatment of Autism Spectrum Disorders: Separating Fact From Fiction
- Social Stories

Hourly, half day, and full day trainings are available. Specific topics can be tailored to meet your school's or agency's needs. Elwyn also provides individual consultations and evaluations of children and adults with autism spectrum disorders, including assistance with development of IEPs and behavior plans.

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Staff training on specific causes of autistic symptoms, including:

- ◇ Fragile X Syndrome
- ◇ Tuberous Sclerosis
- ◇ Duplication 15q
- ◇ 22q11.2 Deletion
- ◇ Smith-Magenis Syndrome

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