HANDS in Autism® Model in Practice

Intensive Week-Long Training for School Personnel & Community Service Providers

North Dearborn*:
Indianapolis, IN:
Indianapolis, IN:

June 12 - 16
July 10 - 14
July 24 - 28

Community Classroom Setting
Elementary School
Middle & High School

*limited enrollment

Join the HANDS in Autism® Team for an intensive training that focuses on providing hands-on experience and coaching in a simulated lab or community classroom environment. While the program includes traditional instructional methods such as lectures and discussion, the emphasis of training is building increased knowledge and skill of the process of making and supporting appropriate programming decisions for an individual through hands-on application and learning.

Applications are taken on a first come, first serve basis. Week selection preference will be accommodated to the greatest extent possible.

See reverse for more information

Register at:
HANDSinAutism.iupui.edu/handsIntensive.html

Hosted by the HANDS in Autism® Interdisciplinary Training & Resource Center
ABOUT HANDS IN AUTISM® TRAINING MODEL

The House is a visual representation of the HANDS in Autism® Model. It does not completely capture the complexities or depth of individualizing support for individuals with Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) and related social, communication, and behavioral challenges. However, it does demonstrate many of the elements which we feel are key to this process. While the exterior of each individual’s instruction should be unique, there are key elements that inform such instruction to ensure interventions are individualized, appropriate, and effective. The foundation of the house is the environment, including both physical and visual elements. The remaining four components - two walls and each side of the roof - represent the typical process of individualizing intervention for each individual.

WHAT TO EXPECT

Training participants will gain knowledge and understanding of the topics within the HANDS in Autism® framework and curriculum (above), be exposed to students with Autism Spectrum Disorder in the HANDS in Autism® training classroom (Indianapolis) or community classroom (North Dearborn) with the ability to observe and shadow the HANDS in Autism® team working with the students, as well as to have the opportunity to practice and receive feedback on techniques and approaches introduced in training. Additionally, all training participants are required to complete pre- and follow-up training packets.

INTENDED AUDIENCE

The HANDS in Autism® Intensive Training Program is appropriate for school and other community service personnel (teachers, paraprofessionals, therapists, consultants, social workers, administrators and other professionals) working in both public and private settings with individuals with Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) and related neurodevelopmental and behavioral disorders.

CONTINUING EDUCATION & GRADUATION CREDITS

Approximately, 42 contact hours will be awarded to those participants who (1) complete the pre-training packet; (2) attend 5 days of training (8am-5pm); (3) complete the follow-up training packet. Certificates of completion will be provided for participants to submit in accordance to the guidelines of their particular professional organization.

Participants interested in graduate credits will need to contact HANDS in Autism® (hands@iupui.edu or 317.274.2675) to get the list of applicable universities.

TOTAL COST

Individual registrations: $1,250 before March 1st, 2017; $1,500 after March 1st, 2017.

Scholarships available. For more information, contact us at hands@iupui.edu

Payment may be made with credit card at time of registration or via invoice with 60 days to pay following event.

The cost of the HANDS in Autism® Intensive Training for School and Service Personnel has been $1,990 per person but has been reduced in 2017 thanks to the generous partnership of a number of groups allowing the training opportunity to be offered at the reduced rate noted above!