



## Training and Events Calendar February 2011

**Attention parents and family members! Take note of the events highlighted in yellow.**

**All events are open to parents/family members and professionals (unless otherwise noted).**

Information on how to register for events is available from the sponsoring organizations.

**February 2 - March 23, 2011:** Using the SpecialQuest Approach & Materials in Early Head Start to Support Inclusion (8-week webinar series). Sponsored by SpecialQuest. For more information: email [susan.stewart@specialquest.org](mailto:susan.stewart@specialquest.org) (Fee).

**February 3, 2011:** ASD Interventions: Speech and Language Therapy, Occupational Therapy and Visual Supports (part of a 10-part series, but registration by individual session). Sponsored by Stanford Autism Center at Packard Children's Hospital. Lucille Packard Children's Hospital, Stanford, CA. To register: <http://childpsychiatry.stanford.edu> (Fee).

**February 5, 2011:** 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Lowenfeld-Akeson Early Years Symposium -- Get Up and Go: Orientation and Mobility. Sponsored by Blind Babies Foundation, California Association of Parents of Children with Visual Impairments, California School for the Blind, and Northern California Association for Education and Rehabilitation of the Blind and Visually Impaired. California School for the Blind, Fremont, CA. For more information, email: [mcfarlandmike@blindbabies.org](mailto:mcfarlandmike@blindbabies.org) (Fee).

**February 7-9, 2011:** Infant/Toddler Learning & Development Academy -- Academy II: Supporting Learning and Development of All Children in Infant/Toddler Programs. Sponsored by Program for Infant Toddler Care, WestEd. Berkeley, CA. For information and an application: <http://www.pitc.org> (Fee).

**February 10, 2011:** ASD Interventions: Behavioral and Psychological Therapies (Children 6 years and older) (part of a 10-part series, but registration by individual session). Sponsored by Stanford Autism Center at Packard Children's Hospital. Lucille Packard Children's Hospital, Stanford, CA. To register: <http://childpsychiatry.stanford.edu> (Fee).

**February 11, 2011:** Autism Community Forum. Sponsored by Easter Seals Bay Area. Oakland, CA. For more information and registration: <http://www.bayarea.easterseals.com> (Free).

**February 15, 2011:** Keeping the Lanterman Promise: Our Contract with California. Sponsored by CARE Parent Network and the Contra Costa Developmental Disabilities Council. For more information: call 925-313-0999 or email [info@careparentnetwork.org](mailto:info@careparentnetwork.org) (Free).

**February 17, 2011:** ASD Interventions: Social Skills Therapies (part of a 10-part series, but registration by individual session). Sponsored by Stanford Autism Center at Packard Children's Hospital. Lucille Packard Children's Hospital, Stanford, CA. To register: <http://childpsychiatry.stanford.edu> (Fee).

**February 17-19, 2011:** 29<sup>th</sup> Annual CalABA Conference. Sponsored by CalABA. Hyatt Regency, Burlingame, CA. For more information: <http://www.calaba.org> (Fee).

**February 23, 2011:** Marin Autism Lecture Series: Quality and Effectiveness of Computer-Assisted Instructional Programming for Children with ASD. Sponsored by the Marin Autism Collaborative, San Rafael, CA. Marin County Office of Education, San Rafael, CA. For registration: <http://signup.marinschools.org>. For more information, call or email: Karen Kaplan, 415-497-3751 [karensupportsu@comcast.net](mailto:karensupportsu@comcast.net) (Fee).

**February 23-25 2011:** SEECAP 2011 Symposium. Sponsored by Special Education Early Childhood Administrator's Project. Newport Beach, CA. For more information and registration:  
<http://www.sdcoe.net/seecap> (Fee).

**February 24, 2011:** Navigating the Service System (Early Start and Preschool) (part of a 10-part series, but registration by individual session). Sponsored by Stanford Autism Center at Packard Children's Hospital. Lucille Packard Children's Hospital, Stanford, CA. To register:  
<http://childpsychiatry.stanford.edu> (Fee).

**February 24, 2011:** Navigating the Service System (Elementary through High School) (part of a 10-part series, but registration by individual session). Sponsored by Stanford Autism Center at Packard Children's Hospital. Lucille Packard Children's Hospital, Stanford, CA. To register:  
<http://childpsychiatry.stanford.edu> (Fee).

**March 1-2, 2011:** SEECAP 2011 Special Events. Sponsored by Special Education Early Childhood Administrator's Project (SEECAP). Sacramento, CA. For more information and registration:  
<http://www.sdcoe.net/seecap> (Fee).

**March 3, 2011:** Highlights of Neurobiological Research and Summary of Biomedical Treatments (part of a 10-part series, but registration by individual session). Sponsored by Stanford Autism Center at Packard Children's Hospital. Lucille Packard Children's Hospital, Stanford, CA. To register:  
<http://childpsychiatry.stanford.edu> (Fee).

**March 10, 2011:** Scientific Investigations of Intervention Effectiveness [for autism spectrum disorders] (part of a 10-part series, but registration by individual session). Sponsored by Stanford Autism Center at Packard Children's Hospital. Lucille Packard Children's Hospital, Stanford, CA. To register:  
<http://childpsychiatry.stanford.edu> (Fee).

**March 16, 2011:** CARE Parent Network Early Education Council. Speaker: Christi Tuleja, Through the Looking Glass. Sponsored by CARE Parent Network. Conference Room (Bldg 1340), CARE Parent Network office complex, Martinez, CA. Call 925-313-0999, Ext.107 for more information. (Free)

**March 16, 2011:** Marin Autism Lecture Series: Auditory Processing Problems in Children with ASD. Sponsored by the Marin Autism Collaborative, San Rafael, CA. Marin County Office of Education, San Rafael, CA. For registration: <http://signup.marinschools.org>. For more information, call or email: Karen Kaplan, 415-497-3751 [karensupportsu@comcast.net](mailto:karensupportsu@comcast.net) (Fee).

**March 17, 2011:** Home Strategies (All Ages with Language Delays/Difficulties) (part of a 10-part series, but registration by individual session). Sponsored by Stanford Autism Center at Packard Children's Hospital. Lucille Packard Children's Hospital, Stanford, CA. To register:  
<http://childpsychiatry.stanford.edu> (Fee).

**March 17, 2011:** Home Strategies (All Ages without Language Delays/Difficulties) (part of a 10-part series, but registration by individual session). Sponsored by Stanford Autism Center at Packard Children's Hospital. Lucille Packard Children's Hospital, Stanford, CA. To register:  
<http://childpsychiatry.stanford.edu> (Fee).

**March 21-24, 2011:** Excellence in Early Childhood Education Leadership Seminar. Sponsored by Special Education Early Childhood Administrators Project (SEECAP), San Diego County Department of Education. Pomona, CA. For information and registration:  
<http://www.sdcoe.net/student/eeps/seecap/?loc=home> (Fee).

**March 29-30, 2011:** Family Resources and Supports Institute (FRSI). Sponsored by CA Dept. of Developmental Services and WestEd. Anaheim, CA. For more information: email Kelly Young at [kyoung@wested.org](mailto:kyoung@wested.org) or check the WestEd web site: <http://www.wested.org/cs/cpei/print/docs/230> (Fee).

**April 20, 2011:** Marin Autism Lecture Series: Fostering Self-Regulation: The Zones of Regulation.

Sponsored by the Marin Autism Collaborative, San Rafael, CA. Marin County Office of Education, San Rafael, CA. For registration: <http://signup.marinschools.org>. For more information, call or email: Karen Kaplan, 415-497-3751 [karensupportsu@comcast.net](mailto:karensupportsu@comcast.net) (Fee).

**May 11, 2011:** CARE Parent Network Early Education Council. Sponsored by CARE Parent Network. Conference Room (Bldg 1340), CARE Parent Network office complex, Martinez, CA. Call 925-313-0999, Ext.107 for more information. (Free)

**May 16-17, 2011:** Early Start Statewide Institute – Advanced Practice Institute. Sponsored by CA Dept. of Developmental Services and WestEd. Anaheim, CA. For more information: email Kelly Young at [kyoung@wested.org](mailto:kyoung@wested.org) or check the WestEd web site: <http://www.wested.org/cs/cpei/print/docs/230> (Fee).

**May 18, 2011:** Marin Autism Lecture Series: Parenting Children with ASD Across the Lifespan.

Sponsored by the Marin Autism Collaborative, San Rafael, CA. Marin County Office of Education, San Rafael, CA. For registration: <http://signup.marinschools.org>. For more information, call or email: Karen Kaplan, 415-497-3751 [karensupportsu@comcast.net](mailto:karensupportsu@comcast.net) (Fee).

**June 12, 2011:** Widening the Tent, Special Education Speaker Series: Understanding the Jargon of the Special Education System.

Sponsored by the Jewish Community Foundation of the East Bay. Congregation Beth Chaim, Danville, CA. For more information, email Elana Naftalin-Kelman at [elanan@jfed.org](mailto:elanan@jfed.org). (Free).

**June 16, 2011:** Special Needs Children and Integrating Them into Your Program (webinar). Sponsored by the CAPPa Children's Foundation. For more information and registration: email [cappa@cappaonline.com](mailto:cappa@cappaonline.com) (Fee).

**October 17-20, 2011:** Excellence in Early Childhood Education Leadership Seminar. Sponsored by Special Education Early Childhood Administrators Project (SEECAP), San Diego County Department of Education. Pomona, CA. For information and registration: <http://www.sdcoe.net/student/eeps/seecap/?loc=home> (Fee).

**March 26-29, 2012:** Excellence in Early Childhood Education Leadership Seminar. Sponsored by Special Education Early Childhood Administrators Project (SEECAP), San Diego County Department of Education. Pomona, CA. For information and registration: <http://www.sdcoe.net/student/eeps/seecap/?loc=home> (Fee).