‘Intensive Interaction and Autism: at School and at Home’

Presented in association with the Intensive Interaction Institute and Leeds and York Partnership NHS Foundation Trust Learning Disabilities Service

Tuesday 22nd November 2016
Eastwood Hall Mansfield Road, Eastwood, Nottingham, NG16 3SS

‘Intensive Interaction is a practical approach to interacting with people with learning disabilities [and/or autism] who do not find it easy communicating or being social. In Intensive interaction the carer, support worker, speech and language therapist or teacher works on being a better communication partner and so supports the person with learning disabilities develop confidence and competence as a communicator’ (British Institute of Learning Disabilities - Factsheet 05)

This ‘Intensive Interaction and Autism: at school and at home’ special conference will provide delegates with the opportunity to hear an informative range of presenters speak on how Intensive Interaction can directly address the social and communication development needs of children with autism, before and whilst at school, and also in the home.

This conference will also allow delegates a number of opportunities to ask questions and contribute to the broader discussion on how best to develop Intensive Interaction practices and services for children with autism, both in the home and at school.

10.00am Welcome and Introductions: Chair: Graham Firth, Intensive Interaction Leader
10.10am Intensive Interaction and Autism Dr Dave Hewett, Consultant and Intensive Interaction Institute Director
11.00am Morning refreshments
11.20am Intensive Interaction and its relationship with triad of impairments in ASD Lydia Swinton, Senior Teacher, Sunfield Special School
11.50am Open Floor Questions to the Speakers
12.00am Setting up Intensive Interaction across countrywide preschool teams Susi Stephenson, Manager, Preschool Specialist Team, Essex Country Council
12.30pm Open Floor Questions to the Speakers
12.40pm Lunch and networking
1.30pm Chairs welcome back
1.35pm Intensive Interaction and Autism: A parent’s perspective Sara Moroza-James, Parent and Intensive Interaction Co-Ordinator
2.05pm Open Floor Questions to the Speakers
2.15pm Afternoon refreshments
2.35pm Parallel Session Workshops:
A “What more do schools and children’s services need to do to offer sustainable and good quality Intensive Interaction to all children who need it?”
B “What kinds of support do parents need to provide sustainable and good quality Intensive Interaction for their children with autism?”
3.35pm Workshop Feedback
3.45pm Open Floor Questions and statements
4.00pm Chairs’ Closing Remarks

After you have attended this conference you will have a better understanding of:

- How Intensive Interaction can directly address the social and communication development needs of children with autism.
- How Intensive Interaction can be used both at home, and at school, to support children to progressively develop their fundamental social communication skills.
- How delegates can support improved access to Intensive Interaction for their children both at home and at school.

Course fees:
£150. All learning materials, lunch and refreshments are included. There are a limited number of 5 places for £500 offers available. A discounted price for parents will be offered subject to availability at £100. To enquire please call our office on 0113 8555638 or email andrewsimscentre.lypft@nhs.net

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This conference is suitable for:
Teachers, heads, deputies and school and curriculum managers, teaching assistants, parents, consulting clinical professionals e.g. SLTs, OT, education psychologist, educationalists, and anyone else interested in the use of Intensive Interaction with children with autism.
Andrew Sims Centre Reservation Form

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