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All participants will receive a Box Lunch.

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PROGRAM

Language-based Approaches to Teaching Children with Autism

Dr. Vincent Carbone

Holiday Inn Conference Center,
Fogelsville, PA Rts 22/78 at 100

Friday, February 19, 2010

8:00—8:30 am Resource Fair, continental breakfast

8:30—9:00 am Registration

9:00 am—12:00 **Dr. Vincent Carbone** (breaks provided)

He will present an overview of a behavioral analytic approach to Language and describe methods to teach social initiation and a curriculum sequence of early to advanced language skills.

- I. Description & definition of Applied Behavioral Analysis
- II. Overview of B.F. Skinner's Analysis of Verbal Behavior
- III. Curriculum and assessment of language skills
- IV. Methods to teach language to children with Autism

12:00—1:00 pm Resource Fair, Box Lunch

1:00—2:00 pm Expert Panel Discussion

A multidisciplinary approach to teaching with children with autism, Question & Answer Period.

Anita Elsberry, OTR/L, Pediatric Occupational Therapist

Glenn R. Koch, MA, CAC Licensed Psychologist

Karen Senft, MD, Developmental Pediatrician

Boosara Ratanawongsa, MD, Pediatric Neurologist

Carol Walck, MS, CCC-SLP, Speech Pathologist

2:00—2:15 pm Break

2:15—3:00 pm Final discussion, comments, evaluation

PURPOSE

This program is designed to provide a multidisciplinary forum for the exchange of information aimed at assisting professionals in methods of teaching children with autism and helping the lay audience understand the issues and underpinnings of the approach.

Conference Planning Committee:

Traci Cyr, Autism Society of America, LV Chapter
Gayle Dodson, Northampton County Early Intervention
Ellen Hunt, ARCH of Lehigh Valley
Lynn Kovich, Lehigh County Human Services
Lynne Matejicka, Lehigh County Early Intervention

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KEYNOTE SPEAKER

Dr. Vincent J. Carbone, EdD, BCBA, a board-certified behavior analyst with 30+ years' experience, designs learning environments for persons with autism and development disabilities. He has served as an adjunct faculty member at



Penn State, Florida Institute of Technology and is currently visiting professor in the Behavior Education doctoral program at Simmons College in Boston. His behavior analytic research has

been published in several peer-reviewed journals, including *School Application of Learning Theory*, *Education and Treatment of Children*, *Journal of Special Educational Technology*, *Journal of Corrective and Social Psychiatry*, *The Analysis of Verbal Behavior*, and *The Journal of Speech Language Pathology and Applied Behavior Analysis*. He is the developer and presenter of a series of workshops on teaching verbal behavior to children with autism based on B.F. Skinner's analysis of verbal behavior. He is the director of a center-based clinic for children with autism that provides consultation, training and therapeutic services to children, families, and their instructional teams. He and his staff are providing services to a world-wide clientele in North America, Europe, and the Middle East.



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- **Nationally-renowned Dr. Vincent Carbone of the Carbone Clinic**
- **Multidisciplinary Panel of Distinguished Experts**
- **Resource Fair for Parents**

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ACCOMMODATIONS
Overnight accommodations are the responsibility of the program participant if needed. Holiday Inn Conference Center @ Fogelsville, 610-391-1000.

DIRECTIONS
From Philadelphia area: Interstate 476 North to Exit 56 (Lehigh Valley). Follow Rt 22 East to Rt 100 South. **From Harrisburg area:** Rt 78 East to Rt 22 East. Exit at Rt 100 South. **From New Jersey area:** Rt 22 West to Rt 100 South.
In the event of foul weather... Call 610-437-6000, ext 2106 or check our website www.cscinc.org anytime between Wed. Feb 17-19, 2010 to see if the conference has been rescheduled due to inclement weather. **The inclement weather date is April 22nd.**

REGISTRATION
The fee includes the cost of instruction, handout materials, and a box lunch.

CONFIRMATION
All registrations received by February 8, 2010, will be confirmed by email. Those registering after February 8th must call CSC (610-437-6000, ext 2106) for confirmation.

CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDITS
Approval has been received for continuing education credit hours from:
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REFUND POLICY
Full refund if requested by February 8th. Feb 9-18, full refund less \$10 handling fee. No refund as of Feb 19th.