

PEERS® for Adolescents Certified School-Based Training Seminar



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Akron Children's Hospital
Considine Professional Building Auditorium

The conference is sponsored by Akron Children's Hospital, Kent State University and the Autism Society of Greater Akron, as well as the Cleveland Autism Society.

The presenter, Elizabeth Laugeson, PsyD, CCC-SLP, is an associate clinical professor at UCLA, and the founder and director of the UCLA PEERS® Clinic.

Healthcare providers, students, and educators who work with children on the autism spectrum would benefit from attending this conference. Sessions include teaching methods, behavioral management techniques, parents role as social coaches, homework, electronic communication, choosing appropriate friends, starting and joining conversations, sportsmanship, arguments, teasing and bullying.

In order to receive certification to be considered a PEERS® Certified School-Based Provider, attendees must be a professional or graduate student in the education, mental health, or medical field with the following minimum level of training:

- Teachers with teaching credential or students pursuing a teaching credential
- A degree, certification and/or license in the field of psychology or a related mental health field including, but not limited to: BCBA, MSW, LCSW, MA, MS, MFT, MD, RN, LVN, PhS, PsyD, Ed.D., MPH, SLP, OT, RT

- Graduate students in an education, mental health, or medical related field pursuing a master's degree or higher

Attendees not meeting the above qualifications (i.e., parents, family members, or those without education, mental health, or medical degrees or training) are welcome to attend the PEERS® Certified Training Seminar, but will not receive certification.

OBJECTIVES

- Attendees will be equipped with the tools to deliver the PEERS® Curriculum
- Attendees will learn how to incorporate parents and family members
- Attendees will learn about the social difficulties common to adolescents with autism spectrum disorder

To view the agenda and register, visit bit.ly/ACHAutism

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