



# SATURDAY SEMINAR

Registration is required and limited to 50 seats!

## **AUTISM & SEXUALITY**

**Helping Children with Autism Spectrum Disorders**

**Presented by  
Shawn McGill**

**Saturday, April 9, 2011**  
*9 a.m. - 3 p.m. at*

*The ABOARD Office  
35 Wilson Street, Suite 100  
Pittsburgh, PA 15223*

### **PROGRAM DESCRIPTION**

Parent and clinical consultant in the field of intellectual and developmental disabilities since 1998, Shawn McGill will present an all-day workshop that addresses how we can best support persons on the spectrum to understand and safely express their sexuality. This comprehensive and unique training increases one's knowledge and awareness on how to best prepare your child for puberty, and how to best support them in navigating the many aspects of sexuality. Throughout the day you will learn educational and supportive methods to explain sexual feelings and body changes and to teach about legal and safe sexual expression.

### **learning objectives**

1. Brief overview on sexuality
2. Brief overview on ASD
3. How intellectual and developmental disabilities can affect sexuality

4. Proactive measures with sexuality(label the body, teaching all people ways to say "no" understanding private vs. public behavior, relationships, dating and consent)
5. Challenging behaviors that may be associated with sexual expression, sexual frustration or lack of understanding
6. Specific handouts and resource list to aid in teaching human sexuality

## Continuing Education Credits

### AOTA OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY

The Advisory Board on Autism and Related Disorders (ABOARD) is an Approved Provider of the American Occupational Therapy Association (AOTA.) A maximum of 0.45 credits (4.5 contact hours) will be awarded upon successful completion of the seminar. The assignment of AOTA CEUs does not imply endorsement of Specific course content, products, or clinical procedures by AOTA.

### PA EDUCATORS ACT 48

The Allegheny Intermediate Unit is recognized by the PA Department of Education to offer continuing education credits ACT 48 under guidelines. A maximum of 4.5 hours of PA EDUCATORS ACT 48 credits will be awarded for the completion of the seminar. A certificate of attendance is provided as well.

### SOCIAL WORKERS

For social workers, 4.5 credit hours of continuing education are provided for the completion of the seminar through co-sponsorship of the University of Pittsburgh School of Social Work, a Pennsylvania-approved sponsor of social work continuing education.

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"Autism and Sexuality"  
Seminar Registration Form  
(fee includes refreshments and lunch)

Family/Individual \$45\_\_\_\_  
Professional w/CEU's) \$65\_\_\_\_  
Person w/ASD \$15\_\_\_\_

Total enclosed \$\_\_\_\_\_

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Name(s)

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Address

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Organization (if applicable)

Payment:

Check Enclosed (payable to ABOARD)  
Credit Card  MasterCard  VISA

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(on back of card)

### CANCELLATION POLICY

A complete refund will be given if a participant cancels their registration five days prior to the program. A 75% refund will be given if a participant cancels their registration one to four days prior to the program. No refunds will be made for cancellations or "no shows" on the day of the program.

In the event the program is canceled by ABOARD, a complete refund will be given.

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