"I was able to immediately apply what I learned from this training."

"Having the ability to practice the techniques I learned with students with autism during the seminar was invaluable."

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About TEACCH Autism Program

Since 1972, the TEACCH Autism Program has coordinated the largest statewide, public school-based educational program for children with autism and related disorders. The Watson Institute began its collaboration with the University of North Carolina in 1995 to bring the TEACCH Program to Pittsburgh as a resource for professionals. The Watson Institute helps children with special needs achieve their fullest potential in all aspects of their lives.

For more information about the Watson Institute or TEACCH visit:
www.thewatsoninstitute.org

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TEACCH Autism Program

AUGUST 3 – 7, 2020

A weeklong intensive training seminar providing hands-on learning for professionals working with children with autism and other behavioral, learning and communication disorders.
Act 48 Clock hours: 30

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TEACCH Autism Program

Who should attend TEACCH?
This workshop is appropriate for those who have an interest in learning the fundamental structured teaching strategies of the TEACCH Autism Program, including:

- teachers
- psychologists
- occupational therapists
- speech and language therapists
- researchers
- administrators
- clinicians
- parents

Seminar Objectives
Participants will be able to:

- Describe the characteristics of autism
- Explain classroom assessment of children with autism
- Demonstrate structured teaching techniques
- Understand the importance of working cooperatively with families of children with autism
- Describe the communication deficits, assess expressive communication and develop teaching techniques to address behaviors
- Use structured teaching techniques to promote students' independence as well as develop skills for leisure activities
- Describe behavior management strategies and various levels of social interaction.

Seminar Format
Attendees will have the opportunity to participate in an intensive, hands-on learning experience under the supervision of distinguished team of instructors, led by a training director from the TEACCH Autism Program at the University of North Carolina.

The seminar is a combination of classroom instruction, observation and hands-on practice in a demonstration classroom, with time built in to share strategies with peers and consult with the Watson Institute's team of experts. Three days of the training are reserved for trainees to work directly with children with autism spectrum disorder of varying ages and functioning levels. This enables attendees to practice their newly-learned skills in a real life setting.

Tuition: $1900.00
Tuition includes seminar materials, continental breakfast, lunch, and break refreshments.

Registration
Registration form and payment or purchase order must be received by July 2. Cancellations made by July 17 will receive a full refund; cancellations by July 24 will receive a 50% refund. No refunds will be issued after July 24.

Lodging
Discounted lodging is available at the Hampton Inn Pittsburgh Airport in Moon Township. The hotel offers complimentary shuttle service to the Watson Institute. Book by phone by calling 412-264-0020 and request the "Watson Institute room block rate."

Hampton Inn Pittsburgh Airport
Moon Township, PA
8514 University Blvd.
Moon Twp., PA 15108
(412) 264-0020

TEACCH Registration Form

Registration Deadline: July 3, 2020
Payment or purchase order is required to secure your registration. Send your completed registration form and payment to:

Tammie Crnkovich
Watson Institute
301 Camp Meeting Road
Sewickley PA 15143

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Age of students with whom you work: _____

Work setting: ☐ Residential   ☐ Self-contained   ☐ Inclusive