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Event Calendar

Virtual Awareness Fair: ASD: Using Research to Guide Clinical Care

April 3, 2012
10-11 am EDT

Cost: FREE
Location: *Online*

[Read more and register](#)

Spencer: Setting the Stage for Success

April 3, 2012
3:15-4:45 pm EDT

Cost: FREE
Location: Spencer, IN

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Virtual Awareness Fair: Culturally Responsive Practice

April 5, 2012
11-11:45 am EDT

Cost: FREE
Location: *Online*

[Read more and register](#)

Virtual Awareness Fair: Facts about Charter Schools & Students with Disabilities

April 6, 2012
2-3 pm EDT

Cost: FREE
Location: *Online*

[Read more and register](#)

Virtual Awareness Fair: What are Autism Spectrum Disorders (ASD)?

April 10, 2012
9:30-10:30 am EDT

Cost: FREE
Location: *Online*

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Spencer: Behavior as Communication: Proactive Planning & Basic Behavioral Strategies

April 10, 2012
3:15-4:45 pm EDT

Cost: FREE
Location: Spencer, IN

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Indianapolis: Next Steps for Caregivers

April 12, 2012 |
5:30-7:00 pm EDT

Cost: FREE

[Read more and register](#)

Virtual Awareness Fair: Assistive Technology and Accessible Instructional Materials in Indiana

April 16, 2012
11-11:45 am EDT

Cost: FREE
Location: *Online*

[Read more and register](#)

Fort Wayne: Sensory Strategies*

April 16, 2012 |
6:30-8:30 pm EDT

Cost: FREE

[Read more and register](#)

Lafayette: Next Steps for Caregivers*

April 18, 2012 |
6:00-8:00 pm EDT

Cost: FREE

[Read more and register](#)

Tasks, Adaptations, and Modifications (MITI)

April 19, 2012 |
5:30-7:30 pm EDT

Cost: FREE

Location: Indianapolis & *Online*

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Evansville: Sensory Diet (MITI)*

April 24, 2012 |
6:00-8:00 pm CDT

Cost: FREE

[Read more and register](#)

Bloomington: Social Skills Training Strategies (MITI)*

April 26, 2012
5:00-7:00 pm EDT

Cost: FREE

[Read more and register](#)

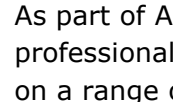
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* Workshop co-sponsored by Local Community Cadre in the area. [Learn more about LCCs](#)

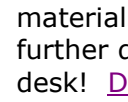
AUTISM AWARENESS MONTH



Free Webinars

As part of Autism Awareness Month, leading professionals from Indiana will join us to present on a range of topics that will help school personnel, medical professionals, and family members support individuals on the spectrum. Attendance certificates will be provided! [Learn more and register.](#)

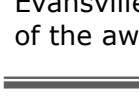
STARTING IN APRIL



2012 Virtual Autism Awareness Fair

Visit our website starting Monday, April 2, to learn about Indiana resources, pick up informational materials, and contact the organizations for further discussions without every leaving your desk! [Do not miss it.](#)

AUTISM AWARENESS MONTH



Resource Points

With the support of Local Community Cadres, we will have resources brought to many communities: Indianapolis, Bloomington, Lafayette, Fort Wayne, Terre Haute, and Evansville! Check for times and locations (bottom of the awareness page). [Do not miss it.](#)

AWARENESS TRAININGS



Peer Training Lesson Plans

Planning any events for peers of individuals on the spectrum during the Autism Awareness Month? Request our Peer Training Lesson Plans! [Learn more!](#)

NON-ACADEMIC TASKS



Spring Holiday Crafts

Check out templates and activity schedules for spring holiday crafts: *Clover Leaf* [Learn more.](#)

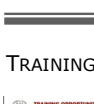
TEACHING COMMUNITY



This Child Has Autism Card

Most families of individuals with an Autism Spectrum Disorder have times in public settings when the individual with an ASD is engaging in negative behaviors. Some families like to take those opportunities to educate the people around them about ASDs. The Autism Information Cards are designed to fit into a wallet so they can be taken anywhere. [Read more \(bottom of the page\)!](#)

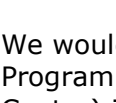
FREE WORKSHOPS



Free Workshop across Indiana

Do not miss our Free Workshops in many cities of Indiana: Spencer, Fort Wayne, Bloomington, Evansville, Lafayette, and Indianapolis. [Learn more and register.](#)

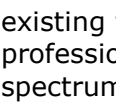
RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES



Research Options at CSATC

Research opportunities for individuals with an ASD and parents/caregivers. [Learn more!](#)

TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES



Training Opportunities

Are you looking for opportunities to provide professional development in the area of autism or behavioral strategies for your staff? [Learn more!](#)

Needs Assessment Survey

We would like your input! Dr. Swiezy (HANDS Program, Christian Sarkine Autism Treatment Center) is conducting a needs assessment to evaluate the particular interests and needs for training topics and formats by parents/caregivers, school personnel, medical professionals, and service providers who interact with individuals with an autism spectrum disorder. The survey is available online <http://handsinautism.org/surveys.html> and will take 10 to 15 minutes to fill out. All the responses are anonymous.

The results will help us better understand the existing training-related needs for caregivers and professionals working with individuals with autism spectrum disorders in the State of Indiana. We appreciate your response!