



*The Social Discovery Program*  
**WINTER 2020 WORKSHOP SERIES**  
*For Professionals, Family Members and Students*

**1. Level 1 Autism Spectrum Disorder 101 – Tuesday 1/7/2020**

Presented by Richard Miller, LPC and Stephen Neer, LAC, this workshop is designed for those who are new to the diagnosis and others interested in better understanding this Disorder and the changes made to the diagnosis. The attendee will learn the diagnostic criteria, associated features, and strengths of the population. **11:00 AM to 12:30 PM**

**2. Therapeutic Social Skills for Individuals with Level 1 Autism Spectrum and Related Disorders – Wednesday 1/8/2020**

Presented by Richard Miller, LPC and Samantha Cerami, LCSW, this workshop will educate the individual on understanding the scope of interpersonal and social skills development frequently needed by individuals diagnosed with Level 1 Autism Disorders. The nature and complexity of social skills, various techniques and tools, how to target social skills development within the natural environment, and how to implement therapeutic social skills groups for children through adolescents will be examined. **11:00 AM to 12:30 PM**

**3. Two or Three for One: The Complexity of Co-Morbidity (additional diagnosis) in Level 1 Autism and Related Disorders – Thursday, 1/9/2020**

Individuals with Autism Spectrum Disorder, Nonverbal Learning Disabilities and other social communication disorders often experience additional symptoms associated with various diagnostic categories. Sometimes the symptoms are significant enough to warrant a formal co-morbid (co-occurring) diagnosis which may require equal if not more attention in the ongoing treatment process to impact daily functioning of the individual. Presented by Michela Tripodi, LPC, this workshop will review: Symptoms & criteria for the most commonly experienced co-occurring disorders and examine various treatment options. **11 AM to 12:30 PM**

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 Enclosed is my payment of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for the following \_\_\_\_\_ workshop(s) @ \$25.00 each:

- \_\_\_\_\_ Workshop #1: 1/7/20 - Level 1 Autism Spectrum Disorder 101
- \_\_\_\_\_ Workshop #2: 1/8/20 - Therapeutic Social Skills for Individuals with Level 1 Autism Spectrum Disorder and Related Disorders
- \_\_\_\_\_ Workshop #3: 1/9/20 - Two or Three for One: The Complexity of Co-morbidity in Level 1 Autism and Related Disorders

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 Other - Explain: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*Make checks payable to West Bergen Mental Healthcare and send to**

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**1 Cherry Lane, Ramsey, NJ 07446**

Pre-registration is required. Registration forms are due five business days prior to the workshop. You may call up to the day of the workshop for possible last minute registration, however, seating is limited and reserved for those registering in advance. Questions? Call 201-934-1160.

All workshops are held at the Center for Children and Youth, 1 Cherry Lane, Ramsey.