

AUTISM SEMINARS

MATC NEURODEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES



Building Connections (Parents & Caregivers)

This presentation is tailored for **caregivers** (parents, respite, foster parents, grandparents, etc.) working with children diagnosed with Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD). It highlights understanding ASD from a developmental and core deficits perspective; and provides a relationship-based framework for increasing dynamic thinking and engagement.

In this workshop, **caregivers** :

- learn how to use *relationships* meaningfully to guide acquisition skills required to learn, socialize, and function in daily activities
- learn how to consider *sensory preferences* when enabling participation in everyday occupations
- learn how to *scaffold* engagement and activities to encourage exploration and interactions
- build a “*toolbox*” of skills and strategies to guide children in their exploration of the world, and enable the child’s ability to self-regulate, think, learn, and problem solve



February 8, 2019



8:50am-9:10am: Registration

9:10am-12:00pm: Section 1

12:00pm-1:00pm: Lunch (not included)

1:00pm-3:30pm: Section 2



TBD



Cost: \$20

Please call Juan at 204-958-9600 if registration fee is prohibiting attendance, or if accessibility accommodations are needed.

Registration through: <http://www.matc-neurodevelopmentalservices.eventbrite.com/>