

# Developing a Conducive Environment for an ASD Person

## One Day Seminar

### Target group

Employees from: Education Services; Disability Services and other Health and Human Services who comprise of clientele diagnosed with an Autism Spectrum Disorder including Aspergers Syndrome. Other carers of people who have ASD including parents, grandparents, siblings and partners.

### Objectives

A person with Autism Spectrum Disorder including Aspergers Syndrome (ASD) can find their daily environment challenging. When the environment is challenging for any person their level of anxiety is likely to increase, resulting in some form of behavioural deterioration. This programme is designed to assist those who work with an ASD person to become aware of and modify common environmental challenges. As a result the ASD person will be less anxious and therefore less behavioural deteriorations will occur.

Throughout this programme participants will learn:

- To identify common environmental challenges an ASD person faces on a daily basis
- That behavioural deterioration is often the person's only means of managing these challenging situations
- How to develop a favourable environment in which a person with ASD will be less anxious and therefore can function more effectively

### Topics Covered

- Anxiety, ASD and behavioural deterioration
- Sequence of behaviour
- Functions of behaviour
- Identifying common challenging situations to which an ASD person is likely to be exposed
- Identifying when intervention is required

### Programme Details

This programme is run over one six-hour session. There is no limit of people per group assuming the location is provided. To arrange a seminar or for further information please contact our office using the details listed below.



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