



Toolkit for Educational Identification of Autism

Date: January 5, 2022
Time: 8 :00 AM – 3:00 PM MT, 9:00 AM - 4 PM CST
Location: Zoom link will be sent prior to the training
Fee: FREE!

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Audience: This training is for all team members (ECSE, SLPs, Psychologists, Special Education Teachers, OT's, etc.) who participate in the evaluation of individuals to consider eligibility for identification of a child, B-21 in the category of autism.

Description: This workshop will examine/review overall assessments of ASD, as well as assessments in the three core areas affected by ASD – communication, social, and behavior/executive functioning.

- This workshop will discuss identification of autism birth to 21 yrs., including those difficult to identify groups such as: Birth-3 yrs., 3-5 yrs., and girls on the autism spectrum.
 - The focus will be on training tools and strategies for evaluating students suspected of having an educational disability on the autism spectrum.
 - Educational teams will have an opportunity to examine a variety of formal autism assessments and utilize some informal autism assessments during workshop activities.
 - Participants will benefit from attending with a focus student in mind to start their team discussion on practices for collecting a body of evidence for the identification of autism.
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Registration Deadline: December 15, 2021

Central Region (ESUs 9,10,11,15,16 & 17): <https://odie.esu10.org/workshops>

Western Region: (ESUs 13, 16 & 17) <https://forms.gle/vjEG1dKkV9u48VfY9>

Southeast Region: (ESUs 4, 5, 6 & 18) <https://esu6.gosignmeup.com/Public/Course/Browse>

Metro Region:

Northeast Region (ESUs 1,7 & 8): <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/209438414937>

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