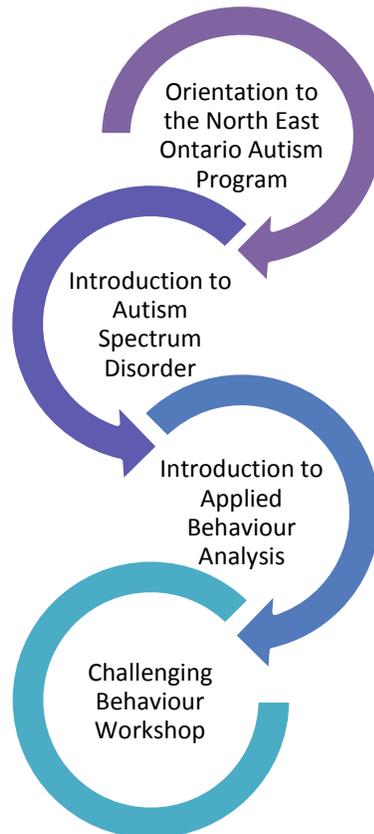


North East Ontario Autism Program Foundational Services

Core Training Workshops and Information Sessions



What They Include:

Orientation to the North East Ontario Autism Program

In this orientation, the Ministry of Children and Youth Services (MCYS) Guidelines of the Ontario Autism Program (OAP) will be reviewed. Discussion will be facilitated around how these guidelines will apply to the unique needs of children and families in the North East. This information session provides an overview of the continuum of behavioural services offered by the NEOAP as well as a description of the OAP Family Service Plan. Resources will be given to the families during the training which includes information on the program and available community supports. There will be an opportunity for questions and direction in supporting families unique needs.

Introduction to Autism Spectrum Disorder

In this workshop, families will develop a better understanding the diagnosis of Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) and what it means to their child and family. The workshop will include a description of



the diagnostic process and how a diagnosis is determined. Families will learn how genetic and environmental factors are associated with ASD and common issues that are associated with the disorder. Treatment options will be reviewed with an emphasis on evidence based practices. Resources will be given to the families during the training which includes information on the program and available community supports. There will be an opportunity for questions and direction in supporting families unique needs.

Introduction to Applied Behaviour Analysis

In this workshop, families will be provided with an overview of the science of Applied Behaviour Analysis (ABA). Families will learn how to effectively teach or strengthen skills by developing behavioural goals, using teaching strategies based on principles of ABA. Families will learn how to use the skills taught in various environments with various people. Families will be provided with a worksheet that corresponds with the presentation.

Challenging Behaviour Workshop

In this workshop, families will learn how to define behaviour and identify and understand why behaviour is happening. Families will learn methods of measuring behavior, as well as identifying teaching alternative behaviour. This workshop reviews general preventative strategies that may be effective in reducing behaviour. Families will be provided with a workbook that corresponds with the presentation.

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