

Conference Schedule

Time

Room

Presenter Name

Lecture Title

Monday 5/24

9:00 am-3:00 pm	LaSalle Ballroom	Brian King, LCSW	Win-Win Parenting for the Autism Spectrum Child
11:00 am-2:00 pm	Madison	Dr. Jennifer Johnson	Lymphatic Therapy: A Missing Piece
4:00-7:00 pm	Exec Forum	Kristin Selby Gonzalez	Student Scholars for Autism Program

Tuesday 5/25

8:00-10:00 am	LaSalle BC	Sarah Weiler, MS, Michele Ricamato, MA	Language as a Natural and Integrated Process within the DIR Model
10:00-11:00 am	Salon B	Dr. Charles Chapple	Reaching Sensory Processing Disorders
10:00 am-12:00 pm	LaSalle BC	Catherine Witcher, MEd	You Can LEAD Special Education-IEP Development and Accountability for Success
11:00 am-12:00 pm	Salon B	Dr. Marshall Dickholtz	Major Cause of Autism: The Brain Has Lost Optimal Communication
1:00-2:00 pm	Salon B	Dr. Tom O'Bryan	Barrier Integrity: Is Leaky Gut the Gateway to Autoimmune Reactions in the Brain?
1:00-4:00 pm	LaSalle BC	Pam Tindall	Qijong Sensory Training
2:00-4:00 pm	Salon B	Daniel & Jenni Lupinski	Shamanic Healing and Autism
4:00-7:00 pm	Exec Forum	Kristin Selby Gonzalez	Student Scholars for Autism Program

Wednesday 5/26

8:00-9:00 am	Madison	David Morrison, EdD, ABSNP	Autism & Sexuality: A Conversation with Parents
8:00-10:00 am	LaSalle BC	Cindy Griffin, DSH-P & Lindyl Lanham, DSH-P	An Alternative Approach for Vaccine Injury
8:00-10:15 am	Exec Forum	Kathryne Pirtle, Dr. John Turner, Sueson Vess	Healthy Minds, Healthy Bodies
8:00-8:35 am	Salon B	Wendy Fournier and Lori McIlwain	Restraint and Seclusion: What You Can Do to Keep Your Child and Your Students Safe
8:45-9:40 am	Salon B	Phyllis Musumeci	Preventing Harmful Restraint and Seclusion – A Mother's Story
9:50-10:10 am	Salon B	Maria Cammarata, Esq.	Positive Behavioral Therapy to Prevent Restraint and Seclusion (video)
10:20-11:30 am	Salon B	Tim Adams, Esq.; Lynne Arnold, MA; Maria Cammarata, Esq.	Restraint and Seclusion and Your Child's IEP: How to Cover All Bases
11:40 am-12:00 pm	Salon B	Phyllis Musumeci	Federal Legislation to Help Prevent Restraint and Seclusion – How You Can Take Action
9:00 am-12:00 pm	Madison	Dr. Mary Jo Lang	Autism, the Brain, Thinking, and Behavior
10:00-11:00 am	LaSalle BC	Mary Coyle, DIHom	Relating Post-Vaccination Toxicity to the Principles of Homotoxicology

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10:30-11:15 am	Exec Forum	Betsy Hicks	Picky Eating Solutions
11:00 am-12:00 pm	LaSalle BC	Dr. Darin Ingels	The Role of Allergy Desensitization in Autism
11:15 am-12:00 pm	Exec Forum	Lisa Lundy	How to Use a Rotation Diet and Food Families to Reduce Food Allergies and Sensitivities

Thursday 5/27

8:00-10:00 am	Madison	Mary Lynch Barbera, RN, BCBA	The Verbal Behavior Approach: Incorporating ABA Strategies to Teach Children with Autism
8:00 am-4:00 pm	LaSalle BC	Dennis Debbaudt & Dr. Stephen Shore	First Responders Training
8:00 am-5:00 pm	Exec Forum	Deepa Deshmukh, MPH, RD; Chef Wendell Fowler; Julie Matthews, CNC; Sueson Vess; Anna Sobaski	Culinary Day: The Art of Cooking Special Diets
8:00 am-5:00 pm	Salon C	Tim Adams, Esq.; Lynne Arnold, MA; Dr. Mitch Perlman	Special Education Law Day
8:45 am-9:15 am	LaSalle A	Alan Phillips, Esq.	Vaccine Law in Emergency Context
9:00-9:45 am	Salon B	Alice Shabecoff	Environmental Symposium: We Are Not Alone
9:15-10:15 am	LaSalle A	John Gilmore and Louis Conte	Advocacy in the States
10:00 am-12:00 pm	Madison	Dr. James Partington	What Every Parent and Educator Needs to Know: Practical and Effective Methods for Developing Critical Language Skills
10:00-10:45 am	Salon B	Mary Lou Ballweg	Environmental Symposium: The Chemical Octopus
10:15-11:00 am	LaSalle A	Lisa Colin, Esq. and Jennifer Keefe, Esq.	Autism and Parental Rights Case Review
11:00-11:45 am	LaSalle A	Jodi Bouer, Esq.	Insurance: The 10 Most Important Things You Need to Know
11:00-11:45 am	Salon B	David Hahn-Baker	Environmental Symposium: Pollution and Childhood Illness
11:45 am-12:30 pm	LaSalle A	Rick Ellis, Esq. and Kim Mack Rosenberg, Esq.	Autism, Law Enforcement, and the Role of Expert Witnesses
1:00-1:45 pm	Salon B	Betty Mekdeci	Environmental Symposium: The Connection Between Birth Defects and Autism
1:00-5:00 pm	Madison	John Galle	CARD Feeding Clinic
1:30-2:30 pm	LaSalle A	Tom Powers, Esq.	Vaccine Court-After the Omnibus: Where Are We?
2:30-3:15 pm	Salon B	Mark Corrales, MPP	Environmental Symposium: The Search for Environmental Risk Factors in Autism
2:30-3:30 pm	LaSalle A	Mary Holland, Esq. & Collyn Peddie, Esq.	Federal Pre-emption and the Vaccine Act
3:15-4:00 pm	Salon B	Dr. Ved Chauhan	Environmental Symposium: Oxidative Stress and Mitochondrial Abnormalities
3:30-4:30 pm	LaSalle A	Dr. Andrew Wakefield & Dr. Arthur Krigsman	EBCALA Keynote: The Court of Public Opinion - How Do We Win?
4:30-5:15 pm	LaSalle A	Scott Bloch, Esq.	Mercury's Rising: Thimersal and The Law of Contradiction in Public Policy

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7:00 - 8:00 pm	Salon B	Prof. James Adams	Biomedical Treatments for Autism
7:00-8:00 pm	LaSalle BC	Dr. Lauren Underwood	Biomedical Treatments for Autism 101
7:00-9:00 pm	Madison	Dr. Lorna Ortiz, Kerri Rivera, Dr. Harry Schneider	In Spanish: Autism 101 – Today's Biomedical Treatments
8:00-9:00 pm	Salon B	Prof. James Adams	Nutritional Treatment Studies for Autism
8:00-9:00 pm	LaSalle BC	Dr. Richard Frye	The Efficacy of Traditional and Non-traditional Treatments on Seizures in Individuals with Autism Spectrum Disorder

Friday 5/28

8:00-9:00 am	Director's AB	Dr. David Holmes	The Needs and Wants of Adults on the Autism Spectrum
8:00-9:00 am	Exec Forum	Dr. Gregory Brown and Vicki Martin, RN	A Parent's Survival Guide to Biomedical Therapy in Autism Spectrum Disorders
8:00-9:00 am	LaSalle A	Sarah Schefflen, MS, CCC-SLP	Using Video Modeling to Teach Play and Language and Social Skills
8:00-9:00 am	LaSalle BC	Dr. Abha Chauhan	Increased Oxidative Stress and Inflammatory Markers in the Blood and Brain
8:00-9:00 am	Madison	Dr. Jeffrey Becker	How Vision and Sight Affect the Autistic Individual
8:00-9:00 am	Salon BC	David Humphrey, Esq.	Prediction and Prevention of ASD
9:00-10:00 am	Director's AB	Dr. Michael McManmon	Sensory Integration at College and Work
9:00-10:00 am	Exec Forum	Dr. Georgia Davis	The Cautious Use and Weaning of Psychotropic Drugs
9:00-10:00 am	LaSalle A	Barry Smeltzer, MPAS, PA-C	Sleep Disturbances and Metabolic Dysfunction
9:00-10:00 am	LaSalle BC	Dr. Theoharis Theoharides	"Allergic-like" Symptoms, Brain Inflammation, and Autism
9:00-10:00 am	Madison	Megan Carrick, MOTR/L	Sensory Integration: Theory and Implications
9:00-10:00 am	Salon BC	Dr. Kenneth Bock	Considerations for Prevention of Autism Spectrum Disorders
10:30-11:30 am	Director's AB	Elaine DeLack, RN	A Deficiency in the Mitochondrial Enzyme, MAO-A, May Be a Possible Etiology of Autism
10:30-11:30 am	Exec Forum	Dr. Boyd Haley	The Effects of Synergistic Toxicities and Genetic Susceptibilities on the Toxic Effects of Inorganic and Organic Mercury Compounds
10:30-11:30 am	LaSalle A	Dr. Constantine Kotsanis	Hot Tips: Autism Spectrum Disorder – Navigating from Diagnosis through Treatment
10:30-11:30 am	LaSalle BC	Dr. Sydney Finegold	Abnormal Intestinal Bacterial Flora in Autism
10:30-11:30 am	Madison	Dorinne Davis	Three Case Studies Demonstrating Positive Changes with Sound-Based Therapies
10:30-11:30 am	Salon BC	Dr. Martha Herbert	Autism in Infancy: Predetermined or Produced by Active, Treatable Processes
11:30 am-12:30 pm	Director's AB	Lillian Chen-Byerly	What is So Important about Addressing Primitive Reflexes in Therapy?

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11:30 am-12:30 pm	LaSalle A	Robert, Debra, & Michael Sidell	Our Big Hug!!!
11:30 am-12:30 pm	LaSalle BC	Dr. Harumi Jyonouchi	IgE or non-IgE Mediated Allergy in ASD Children
11:30 am-12:30 pm	Madison	Dr. Jeff Cantor, Dr. Patrician Gannon, et al.	Dentistry and Autism: A Troubled Marriage
11:30 am-12:30 pm	Salon BC	Dr. Doreen Granpeesheh	Prediction and Prevention of ASD
11:30 am-12:30 pm	Exec Forum	Dr. William Parker	The Gut-Brain Connection, the Normal Human Gut and the Effects of Post-Industrial Culture on the Gut
12:30-1:30 pm	Lobby Lounge	David Kirby	Book Signing – <i>Animal Factory: The Looming Threat of Industrial Pig, Dairy, and Poultry Farms to Humans and the Environment</i>
12:30-1:45 pm		LUNCH	
1:45-2:45 pm	Director's AB	Judy Converse, MPH, RD, LD	Better Biomedical: How Existing Standards in Child Nutrition Improve Outcomes and Insurance Access
1:45-2:45 pm	Exec Forum	Cindy Griffin, DSH-P & Lindyl Lanham, DSH-P	The Houston Homeopathy Sequential Method of Homeopathy: A Drug-free Alternative to Biomedical Treatment
1:45-2:45 pm	LaSalle A	Areva Martin, Esq.	The 7 principles of Advocacy Every Parent Should Know
1:45-2:45 pm	LaSalle BC	Dr. Madeleine Cunningham & Dr. Susan Swedo	Autoimmunity and Behavior: Sydenham's Chorea, PANDAS, and Related Disorders
1:45-2:45 pm	Madison	Kristin Selby Gonzalez	Sensory Savvy 101
1:45-2:45 pm	Salon BC	Dr. Kendal Stewart & Lisa Hunter Ryden	Preventative and Management Strategies for the Neuroimmune Disorders
2:45 pm	Lobby Lounge	Areva Martin, Esq.	Book Signing – <i>The Everyday Advocate</i>
3:00-4:00 pm	Exec Forum	Dr. Richard Deth	Viewing the Brain from a Redox Perspective: Growth Factors, GF/CF, and Beyond
3:00-4:00 pm	LaSalle A	Brian King, LCSW	My Sensory World
3:00-4:00 pm	LaSalle BC	Dr. Rosario Trifiletti	PANDAS and Related Illnesses: No Longer Black and White
3:00-4:00 pm	Madison	Julie Matthews, CNC	Diet and Nutrition for Autism: Taking Charge and Customizing Your Approach
3:00-4:00 pm	Director's AB	Dr. Dan Burns	Exercise and Autism
3:00-4:00 pm	Salon BC	Dr. Jerry Kartzinell	Healing of Autism
3:00-5:30 pm	Streeter	Dr. Gregory Brown, Vicki Martin, RN, & staff of ARCH Medical Center	Parent Q&A
4:00-5:00 pm	Exec Forum	Dr. Narasimham Parinandi	Leaky Blood Vessel and Leaky Gut: Novel Sulfur-Containing Antioxidant Therapeutics for Treatment of ASD
4:00-5:00 pm	LaSalle A	Brian King, LCSW	How Do I Ask for Help?
4:00-5:00 pm	LaSalle BC	Dr. M. Elizabeth Latimer & Laura Matheos	PANDAS – A Clinical View and Treatment Options
4:00-5:00 pm	Madison	Tom Bohager	Enzyme Therapy and Autism
4:00-5:00 pm	Salon BC	Dr. Woody McGinnis	Brainstem Hypothesis: Autism by Poisoning
5:00-6:00 pm	Exec Forum	Dr. Rachel West	Adrenal Fatigue and Other Hormones
5:00-6:00 pm	LaSalle BC	Dr. AJ Russo	Decreased Serum Hepatocyte Growth Factor in Autistic Children with GI Disease

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5:00-6:00 pm	Madison	Laurette Janak	What the IOM Coulda, Woulda, and Shoulda Known about Subpopulations of Vaccine-Sensitive Individuals
5:00-6:00 pm	Salon BC	Mary Holland, Esq. & Louise Kuo Habakus	Take Back Our Rights!
5:00-6:00 pm	LaSalle A	Dr. Denis Bouboulis and Lynn Johnson	The Immunological Role of PANDAS
8:00-9:30 pm	State	Alex Ong	Mind Your Own Wellness – How to Reduce Stress Naturally

Saturday 5/29

8:00-9:00 am	Exec Forum	Sargent Goodchild	Nothing Happens Until Something Moves: How Movement Shapes Our Neurological Development
8:00-9:00 am	LaSalle A	Dr. Stephen Shore	The Apple Falls Not Far from the Tree: Get in Touch with Your Own Autistic Characteristics for Better Understanding of Your Child on the Spectrum
8:00-9:00 am	LaSalle BC	Dr. Paul Hardy	Epilepsy in Autism: An Overview
8:00-9:00 am	Madison	Dr. Jeffrey Lewine and Sally Brockett	Auditory Integration Training
8:00-9:00 am	Salon BC	Dr. Laura Hewitson	Primate Models for Testing Vaccine Safety
9:00-10:00 am	LaSalle BC	Dr. Alexander Rotenberg	Prospects for Transcranial Magnetic Stimulation in Action
9:00-10:00 am	Madison	Britt Collins, MS, OTR/L and Jackie Olson	The Importance of Occupational Therapy
9:00-10:00 am	Exec Forum	Sonja Hintz, RN	What the Code 229.00 Doesn't Answer: Autism is Medical
9:00-10:00 am	LaSalle A	Shonda Schilling	<i>The Best Kind of Difference: Our Family's Journey with Asperger's Syndrome</i>
9:00-10:00 am	Salon BC	Dr. Andrew Wakefield	Autism and the Vagrant in the Brainstem
10:00-10:30 am	Lobby Lounge	Shonda Schilling	Book Signing – <i>The Best Kind of Different: Our Family's Journey with Asperger's Syndrome</i>
10:30-11:30 am	Exec Forum	Shannon Nash, Esq., CPA	Non-profits 101
10:30-11:30 am	LaSalle A	Dr. Larry Palevsky	Let Children Be Sick, and Watch Them Get Well
10:30-11:30 am	LaSalle BC	Dr. Anju Usman & Barry Smeltzer, MPAS, PA-C	The Importance of Antioxidants and Good Fats in Improving Brain Health
10:30-11:30 am	Madison	Larry Newman	Nutritional Supplements: Facts and Fiction
10:30-11:30 am	Salon BC	Dr. Jeff Bradstreet	The Current State of the Science
11:30 am-12:30 pm	Salon BC	Jenny McCarthy	KEYNOTE
12:30-1:30 pm	Lakeshore A&B	Dr. Andrew Wakefield	Book Signing: <i>Callous Disregard – Autism: The Truth Behind a Tragedy</i>
12:30-1:45 pm		LUNCH	
1:45-2:45 pm	Exec Forum	Dr. Aristo Vojdani	Gut: A Gateway to Inflammation, Autoimmunity, and Neuroimmune Disorders
1:45-2:45 pm	LaSalle BC	Dr. Harumi Jyonouchi	Inflammation and Immune Abnormalities in ASD Children
1:45-2:45 pm	Madison	Dr. Devin Houston	Enzymes, Peptides, and Autism: New Meaning to GF/CF?

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1:45-2:45 pm	Salon BC	Dr. Jay Gordon	What You Should Expect from Your Pediatrician
1:45-6:00 pm	LaSalle A	Louise Kuo Habakus, et al.	Advocacy Training
2:00-6:00 pm	Director's AB	Dr. Dan Burns (moderator); Prof. James Adams; Barbara Fischkin; Sonja Hintz, RN; Vicki Martin, RN; Vicki Obee-Hilty; Dr. Stephen Shore; & Polly Tommey	Adult Services and Residential Think Tank
3:00-4:00 pm	Exec Forum	Dr. Savely Yurkovsky	Field-Control Therapy/Guided Digital Medicine as an Answer to Autism, ADHD, and other Brain Epidemics
3:00-4:00 pm	LaSalle BC	Dr. Jeffrey Lewine	Epileptiform Activity in the Autistic Brain: Cause, Consequence, or Comorbidity
3:00-4:00 pm	Madison	Mark Blaxill, MBA; Dan Olmsted; Kim Stagliano; & Dr. Andrew Wakefield	<i>Age of Autism</i> Editors and Andrew Wakefield
3:00-4:00 pm	Salon BC	Dr. Judy Mikovits	XMRV
4:00-5:00 pm	Exec Forum	David Kirby	Metals, Myelin, Mitochondria, and Mouse Virus - Possible Paths to ASD?
4:00-5:00 pm	LaSalle BC	Dr. Manuel Casanova	The Role of the Cortex and the Genesis of Seizures in Autism
4:00-5:00 pm	Madison	Beth Alison Maloney	Saving Sammy – Curing My Son's OCD and Tourette's with Long-term Antibiotic Treatment for PANDAS
4:00-5:00 pm	Salon BC	Scott Bloch, Esq.	BITING THE HAND THAT FEEDS YOU: When Integrity Hurts and Other Fun Things You Find Out When Crossing Powerful People in Washington
4:00-6:00 pm	O'Hare 2	Dr. Savely Yurkovsky	Practitioner Q&A
5:00-6:00 pm	Exec Forum	Susan Vaughan Kratz, OTR, CST	Cranio-Sacral Therapy – Are We Helping the Brain Heal?
5:00-6:00 pm	LaSalle BC	Dr. Rob Coben	EEG Biofeedback as a Treatment for Autistic Disorders and Seizure Activity
5:00-6:00 pm	Madison	Dr. Michael Biamonte	The Truth about Candida Elimination
5:00-6:00 pm	Salon BC	Dr. William Walsh	The Collision of Undermethylation, Epigenetics, and Oxidative Stress in ASD

Sunday 5/30

8:00-9:00 am	Exec Forum	Dr. Chandra Suruchi & Sym Rankin, RN, CRNA	The Impact of Psychotropic and Anesthetic Agents on Underlying Biomedical Conditions in Patients with ASD
8:00-9:00 am	LaSalle A	Julie Obradovic	The Fourteen Studies
8:00-9:00 am	LaSalle BC	Dr. Derrick MacFabe	Common Infections, Chronic Antibiotics, Clostridia, Carnitine and Convulsions
8:00-9:00 am	Madison	Valerie Maclean	HANDLE: Helping Extraordinary People Do Ordinary Things

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8:00-9:00 am	Salon BC	Dr. Mary Megson	Merging Science with Clinical Care
8:00-10:00 am	Director's AB	Dr. Nancy Mullan	Parent Q&A: Interpreting Your Yasko Test Results
9:00-10:00 am	LaSalle BC	Dr. Daniel Barth	Immune Responses to Brain Injury, Cortical Excitability, Brain Function, and Seizures
9:00-10:00 am	Exec Forum	Dr. Kyle Van Dyke	The Use of Mild Hyperbaric Therapy for Autism
9:00-10:00 am	LaSalle A	Steve Kossor	Funding Treatment with Medicaid – A Terrific but Concealed Resource
9:00-10:00 am	Madison	Dr. Vicky Debold	What Parents Need to Know about Vaccine Adjuvants
9:00-10:00 am	Salon BC	Dr. Arthur Krigsman	Pharmaceutical Agents of Interest in the Development of Clinical Treatment Trials of Autism-Associated Enterocolitis
10:30-11:30 am	Exec Forum	Dr. Nancy Mullan	An Overview and Clarification of the Dr. Amy Yasko Protocol
10:30-11:30 am	LaSalle A	Cynthia Macluskie	How to Get the Most Out of Your Insurance in Pursuit of Recovery
10:30-11:30 am	LaSalle BC	Dr. Manuel Casanova & Emily Williams	The Neurobiology of Autism: The Role of Ultrasound
10:30-11:30 am	Madison	Neil Miller	The Current Vaccination Schedule: Are New Waves of Autism and Other Preventable Disorders Inevitable?
10:30-11:30 am	Salon BC	Dr. James Neubrandner	Pre- and Post-QEEG Studies Documenting the Effectiveness of Four Primary Treatments Used in Our Clinic
11:30 am-12:30 pm	Exec Forum	Dr. Mark Geier & David Geier	New Important Insights into the Treatment of ASD: Understanding Genetic Testing, Heavy Metals, Mitochondrial Dysfunction and Hormonal Imbalances.
11:30 am-12:30 pm	LaSalle A	Mary Romaniec	Letting Go! The Journey Back to Grace and Dignity
11:30 am-12:30 pm	LaSalle BC	Dr. Harry Schneider	New Findings in Brain Areas and Their Connections That Explain the Lack of Speech in Children
11:30 am-12:30 pm	Madison	Lisa Rupe & Angela Warner	Autism and Immunization in the Military
11:30 am-12:30 pm	Salon BC	Dr. Dan Rossignol	How to Assess and Prioritize Treatments
12:30-1:30 pm		LUNCH	
1:30-2:30 pm	Exec Forum	Catherine Tamaro	Vitamin K, Fat-Soluble Vitamins, and Metabolism
1:30-2:30 pm	LaSalle A	Kerry Brooks	Autism2Awesome: A Father's Love
1:30-2:30 pm	LaSalle BC	Dr. Derrick MacFabe	The Propionic Acid Rodent Model of Autism
1:30-2:30 pm	Madison	Leah Kmetz, MT-BC	Autism: Finding the Groove
1:30-2:30 pm	Salon BC	Dr. Michael Elice & Barbara Fischkin	Biomedical Interventions with Older Children: How to Begin and Persevere
2:30-3:30 pm	LaSalle BC	Dr. Carrie Sypherd	Vision and Autism: Beyond 2020
2:30-3:30 pm	Madison	Terrie Silverman	Neural Plasticity in the Auditory Cortex Following Berard Auditory Integration Training
2:30-3:30 pm	Salon BC	Dr. Mayer Eisenstein	So You Have Decided Not to Vaccinate – How Do You Qualify for a Valid Legal Vaccine Waiver?
2:30-5:00 pm	Exec Forum	True Health Symposium	Raising a Healthy Child in a Toxic World