



# Autism 101+

BrightStar Care Appleton and the Autism Society of the Fox Valley present Diane Nackers, MS CCC-SLP. Diane has a master's degree of speech and language pathology from UW Stevens Point and has 15 years experience working with individuals on the autism spectrum. She sits on the board of directors for the Autism Society of the Fox Valley as president. Diane is currently working for the Appleton Area School District.

This will be a two session training. The first session will include autism 101 information targeting myths and facts, autism statistics, characteristics and features, and strategies needed to increase communication. Session two will include: detailed sensory, communication and behavioral information and materials to increase communication while decreasing behaviors.

Learning Objectives:



- ◆ Participants will learn basic characteristics and features of autism
- ◆ Participants will learn communication, sensory, and behavioral strategies for working with all ages of individuals with ASD
- ◆ Participants will interact with a wide variety of materials to increase their "toolbox" for working with individuals with autism.

**July 23rd, 2018 4:30 to 6 p.m.**

**August 6th, 2018 4:30 to 6 p.m.**

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