Crossing the Divide: Cultural and Linguistic Perspectives in Evaluation and Treatment of Autism Spectrum Disorder and Other Developmental Disabilities

Friday, September 12, 2014 – 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

This meeting of CANDO will provide updates on a number of activities in relationship to goals in the strategic plan. The educational feature will focus on cultural and linguistic perspectives of evaluation and treatment for autism spectrum disorder and other developmental disabilities. All interested individuals are welcome to attend in person or by webinar. Be sure to register.

Objectives:
1. To provide an overview of the data regarding under-identification and misidentification of ASD/DD in different ethnic populations;
2. To describe some of the specific challenges in evaluation and treatment;
3. To explore parent perspectives on evaluation and treatment.

9:00 – 9:10 a.m. Welcome
9:10 – 9:30 Legislative and Policy Updates
9:30 – 10:00 Update on Crisis Services
10:00 – 10:15 Break
10:15 – 11:10 Cultural and Linguistic Perspectives in Evaluation and Treatment of Children with ASD/DD
11:10 – 11:40 Parent Panel
11:40 – 12:00 Q&A

Visit the Dual Diagnosis Gap Analysis Website:
http://tinyurl.com/coloradoGAP

Registration:
http://www.jfkpartners.org (Click on Events)
Pre-registration by Wed., Sept 10, 2014 is required for both the live site and a webinar connection due to space limitations

Visit the CANDO Website:
http://co-cando.org/

Live Site Attendance

LIVE Site Location:
Anschutz Medical Campus
Education 2 NORTH
13120 E. 19th Avenue, 2nd Floor, Room 2302
Aurora, CO 80045

A map with directions and PARKING information will be emailed along with a reminder a few days before the event. We strongly recommend you print and bring them with you to make finding parking and the room easier for you.

OR

Webinar Attendance

ONLINE connection:
Be sure to register as a web participant in order to receive an email 2 business days before the event with a link and instructions for connecting.

Equipment needed:
- Computer with high speed internet connection
- Adobe Flashplayer installed
- Speakers for sound

Sound for the webinar will be through your computer, so there is no phone number to dial into. You will be able to type in your questions in the Chat box, but will not be able to ask questions by microphone.

Questions regarding web connection or other logistical questions can be directed to
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