

MAINE SUPPORT NETWORK

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Practicing, and Improving, Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports: Working Together to Help Children With Aspergers Manage Their Behavior – 3-Part Series

**Dates: February 4, February 25 and March 9, 2010
4:00 – 7:00 p.m. (Registration time: 3:30 p.m.)
University of Maine at Presque Isle, Campus Center**

Spend the evening with your peers and develop a plan for a student that is struggling. Learn new techniques while you develop a tool to use in your classroom to help students succeed. After using your plan for a few weeks let's get back together, see what worked, and restructure sections that need improvement.

By the end of this session, success will look, sound, and feel like:

- ♥ Review of revision goals, new features, and technical overview.
- ♥ An overview of positive behavioral supports.
- ♥ A better understanding of why behavior occurs.
- ♥ An introduction to the tools used in a behavior intervention plan.
- ♥ Sharing ways we might eliminate the barriers to relationships that support learning.
- ♥ A specific plan of action to use with a student, a class, or your team.
- ♥ New energy from working with your peers in a brain-compatible environment.

Presenter: Therese Bernier Burns consults statewide in a number of areas including positive behavioral support, differentiated instruction, and developing personalized school improvement plans. Her professional background includes 25 years of meeting the needs of all learners in the regular classroom. She is currently the president of the Maine Federation of CEC and the assistant director of the Maine Support Network.

No workshop fee, but registration is required. Registration includes hearty snacks, a light supper and handouts.

Nine Clock Hours will be awarded at the end of the third session.

Co-sponsors: Maine Support Network, Central Aroostook Council on Education, and the Maine Chapter of the Council for Exceptional Children.

On-site facilitator: Cindy Marquis, Aroostook Regional Facilitator.

This workshop is designed for educators, parents and other interested parties.

Directions: FROM THE SOUTH: Take exit 302 off I-95, the Houlton/Presque Isle exit, and continue north on U.S. Route 1. The campus is on your left as you enter Presque Isle, 40 miles north of Houlton. FROM THE NORTH AND WEST: If crossing the border at Edmundston/Madawaska or St-Léonard/Van Buren, proceed south on U.S. Route 1 into Presque Isle. Continue on Route 1 through the downtown area and the University will be up the hill on your right.

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Please fill in the form below completely.

Participant Name: _____

School District: _____ School Name: _____

Home Address: _____

School Phone: _____ Home Phone: _____ Grade Level: _____

Position: _____ Email address: _____

Confirmations and cancellations will be made by email so please print address clearly.

Register online at <http://calendar.mainesupportnetwork.org>, fax to (207) 226-2300, or mail the attached registration form to: Maine Support Network - P.O. Box 390 - Readfield, Maine 04355. Email office@mainesupportnetwork.org, or call 207 685-3171 with questions.

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