

Community of Practice in Autism in RI

APRIL MEETING

Let's Talk about Sex Education for Individuals with Autism and Developmental Disabilities

PRESENTERS

Tara M. Lutz, PhD, MPH, CHES Dr. Lutz is a medical educator at the CT University Center for Excellence in Developmental Disabilities. This presentation will cover common misconceptions related to comprehensive sex education and the research findings that support comprehensive sex education as the gold standard. It will also review the barriers that people living with ASD face related to sex education and sexual health. Resources related to sex education will also be covered.

James Williams, author, speaker, musician, self-advocate with autism

People with autism struggle with issues related to sexuality and puberty. These can often cause behavior problems in classroom settings and can result in misunderstandings in many community settings, some of which can involve law enforcement intervention. Listen to an adult with autism discuss some of the struggles people with autism can face and how teachers can adapt sexuality education to make it more autism friendly.

Thursday,
April 18, 2019
4:00-6:00 PM

REGISTER ONLINE

REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED! Space is limited! Register early! There is no fee to attend. Snack will be provided.

**STUDENT UNION BUILDING
BALLROOM, 3rd floor**
Rhode Island College
600 Mt. Pleasant Avenue
Providence, RI

Directions & Campus Map

Required parking pass and suggested parking will be provided upon registering.

PRINT FLYER

Professional Development Credit / Attendance Letters: General letters of attendance will be available at the end of the workshop. CEUs (2.0 credit hours) from NASW-RI Chapter available - pending approval.

Questions & Requests:

If you need a reasonable accommodation (e.g., ASL Interpreter,), materials in an alternate format (e.g. large print) or information in a language other than English in order to fully participate in this event, please indicate your request on the registration form as soon as possible.

MEETING QUESTIONS, contact Paul LaCava at placava@ric.edu or 401-456-9703.

REGISTRATION QUESTIONS, contact Elaine Sollecito at esollecito@ric.edu or 401-456-2764.



For more information about the Paul V. Sherlock Center on Disabilities visit www.sherlockcenter.org or call 401-456-8072.

JOIN OUR MAILING LIST!