

Pathways to Parent Support & Training

October 2008: Tools and Tips for Creating a Healthy and Happy Exceptional Family

Next Meeting

Join us as PPST meets on Friday, October 17th, 2008 from 7pm to 9pm.

Topic

Have you ever watched “Nanny 911” or “Super Nanny” on TV and wished for similar professional help? Here’s your chance to learn tools and techniques for creating a calmer, happier family life! Alexandra Goerl Rickeman, LCMFT, Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist, will discuss the impact of special needs on the entire family and offer solutions to your struggles. Alexandra will help you understand the unique ways a child with special needs can affect your family, your marriage, and your relationships with others. She will also present parenting strategies and other ideas for helping your family become more organized, relaxed, and enjoyable. Join us for this group and return home with more knowledge, skills, and confidence.



What is PPST?

PPST is a group specially designed for parents and caregivers of children with speech and language delays/disorders. PPST is run and sponsored by the SPEECH PATHways Foundation, a non-profit organization. The first group of its kind in Carroll County, PPST offers parent training and support. Meetings include a meet and greet, a guest lecture on various topics, and Q&A time. Trained professionals and other parents/caregivers are on hand for support and guidance. For more information, visit www.speechpathwaysfoundation.org.

Who can attend PPST?

PPST is open to the community. You do not have to have a child receiving therapy from SPEECH PATHways to attend. However, it is necessary to **RSVP to reserve a seat**.

When does PPST Meet?

PPST meets one Friday each month from 7-9 pm in 2008 (except for November, December, May, July & August)

Where does PPST Meet?

PPST meets at the Non-Profit Center in Westminster, which is located at 255 Clifton Boulevard.

RSVP Please!

PLEASE RSVP to SPEECH PATHWAYS at 410-374-0555 or kim.bell@speechpathways.net, including your name and phone#.

About the SPEECH PATHways Foundation

SPEECH PATHways is the only comprehensive pediatric speech-language pathology clinic in Carroll County, Maryland, offering services since 1999. Owner Kimberly A. Bell, M.S., CCC-SLP, has been a speech and language pathologist for over ten years. She and her associates offer a wide variety of specialized pediatric programs in addition to traditional speech and language services. In 2007, Kimberly organized the nonprofit SPEECH PATHways Foundation in 2007 to help provide funding and speech therapy resources for those who might otherwise not be able to afford services. The PPST Group is one of the Foundation’s active support services.