

# Join us!

## For An Interactive Workshop

Friday, January 16<sup>th</sup>, 2015 9:00 -4:00pm

Location:

Phone: 408-241-2229 http://www.pediatricspeech.com

### **WORKSHOP DETAILS**

Course Fee: \$60 payable to Innovative Therapy Services.

There are limited spots for this class to ensure optimal hands on learning.

Please enroll early.

Cancellation Policy: Course fee will be refunded only if received in writing at least 20 days before the course start day.

Refreshments will be provided during breaks; lunch on your own (several restaurants nearby).

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## What are Social Skills?

Social skills are the heart of human communication. It is a continuous process that develops along with our other cognitive skills. Any interruption in the cognitive processing system in our brain can result in social problems. An important key to the well-being of a child with special needs is being involved in social activities and also knowing how to function in the social setting. Thinking Socially Inside Out (TSIO) is structured to support children diagnosed with social cognitive deficits in daily social situations. The purpose of TSIO is to focus on desirable social communication behaviors by providing several practical activities for home, classroom and daily social situations. This workshop will be beneficial for social challenges associated with:

- \* Autism Spectrum Disorder
  - \* Asperger Syndrome
- \* Traumatic Brain Injury
  - \* Down Syndromes
- \* Emotional Disabilities
- \* Attention Deficit Disorder

Core Focus Areas:
Problem Solving
Friendship
Critical Thinking
Conversations
Listening



# BUILDING BLOCKS FOR SOCIAL SKILLS



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# Everyone is invited to this hands on workshop on ways...

to facilitate and model different components of social skills using the Thinking Inside Out approach to teach functional day to day:

- Non-verbal language
- Self- Regulation
- Empathy
- Assertiveness
- Conversational Skills
- Problem-Solving Skills
- Self-Expression

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# **Learning Outcomes**

Upon conclusion of this workshop, participants will be able to:

- Facilitate positive social relationship for students struggling socially,
- Apply hands on listening and attending strategies within day to day situations,
- Coach and motivate children to interact with others through functional selfmotivating incentives,
- Encourage and increase conversational skills
- Decreasing students' inappropriate behaviors,
- Facilitate functional problem-solving and harness friendship with peers.

# **About Speaker**

Uduak (Udie) Osom holds a Bachelor's and a Master's degree in Speech and Language Pathology from San Jose State University. She is the founder and president of Innovative Therapy Services. Udie has served students of all ability levels from preschool through grade 12, for over 19 years. She is very passionate about neuro-developmental disabilities and social-cognitive disabilities. She has taught at San Jose State University, and continues to provide clinical supervision to Interns from various Universities. In 2000, she developed a program known as Paired Pragmatic Language Program (now known as PLSS), a social skills program that pairs typical developing students with students diagnosed with social cognitive disabilities. She went on to develop a secondary program known as "All for 3's." She also specializes in working with children with feeding related difficulties, especially premature babies and kids. Udie has worked as a consultant for several schools, conducted numerous workshops for schools, written and published articles. She is recognized as being extremely insightful and very creative in her practical approach to working with her clients and parents.



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## **WORKSHOP REGISTRATION**

Return this form to:

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# (Registration two weeks before event date, \$65.00)

If you need accommodations please call at least two weeks prior to the event date and we will be happy to assist you.

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