

Dave is recognized for his work regarding service provision to people with intellectual disabilities, focusing primarily on problematic sexual behavior, understanding problem behavior and abuse prevention.

REGISTER NOW! For These Phenomenal Training Opportunities! OCTOBER 3, 4 , 5 and 6

David Hingsburger is coming to Connecticut!



Dave lectures extensively. He has given keynote presentations nationally and internationally. Dave earned his B.A in psychology at the University of Victoria in British Columbia, a certificate in Human Relations from Ryerson in Toronto, and his M.Ed. from the University of Toronto. In the fall of 2009, Dave was inducted into the Canadian Disability Hall of Fame.

**Trainings for Self Advocates, Families and Staff
Sponsored by the Arc Connecticut Conference of Executives
and by the Connecticut Department of Developmental Services**



OCTOBER 3 MAKING MEANINGFUL CONNECTIONS

(All Day Session for Staff)

OCTOBER 4 JUST SAY KNOW!

(AM & PM Session for Self Advocates Only)

OCTOBER 5 IF YOU DO THAT ONE MORE TIME: CREATING CARING PLACES THAT SUPPORT POSITIVE BEHAVIOR APPROACHES

(AM Session for All)

5 THINGS YOU REALLY NEED TO KNOW ABOUT INTELLECTUAL DISABILITY

(PM Session for All)

OCTOBER 6 HEALTHY RELATIONSHIPS

(AM Session for Families)

**See the following pages for additional session information, for directions,
and for registration materials.**

Wednesday October 3rd, 2012

MAKING MEANINGFUL CONNECTIONS

8:30AM to 3:30PM
Four Points Sheraton
275 Research Parkway
Meriden, CT
Telephone (203) 238-2380

\$10.00 per person (Fee is for registration and lunch.)

*Registration fee to be paid at the door.

SPECIAL REQUESTS/ACCOMODATIONS _____

The training will cover topics including:

- Communication: Who's Listening?
- The Ethics of Touch
- Sexuality and People with Intellectual Disabilities
- Making Contact, Making Connections, Making Community

Pre-registration is required and is limited to the first 200 participants.

Please complete this form, then mail or fax it as soon as possible to:

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61 Woodland Street
Hartford CT 06105
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Thursday October 4th, 2012

JUST SAY KNOW!

9:00 - 12:00 AM SESSION

1:00 - 3:00 PM SESSION

Police Academy

285 Preston Avenue

Meriden, CT

FREE TRAINING!

(Lunch is NOT Provided)

Come learn how to protect yourself from abuse!

**The trainings is ONLY for self-advocates.
Staff will not be able to be in the training room.**

Pre-registration is required and is limited to the first 50 participants per session.

[] I am registering for the AM Session

[] I am registering for the PM Session

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Friday October 5th, 2012

IF YOU DO THAT ONE MORE TIME: CREATING CARING PLACES THAT SUPPORT POSITIVE BEHAVIORAL APPROACHES

8:30 AM to 12:00
Police Academy
285 Preston Avenue
Meriden, CT

FREE TRAINING!
(Lunch is NOT Provided)

Is it possible to reduce problem behavior by creating places of welcome and respect? This workshop suggests that how we interact with others determines how they interact with us. It also will suggest that 'compassion' is a set of skills not an emotion. This session is aimed at providing direct care providers with an understanding of behaviors in context. By developing a compassionate relationship, maintaining an objective stance when negative behaviors occur, and evaluating behavior as a means of communication, participants will learn how to better serve those in their care. Further, this workshop will outline several practical approaches that can lead to a reduction of problem behavior overall within an agency or within an individual's sphere of influence. Session participants will also leave with a clear understanding of when and how they should report suspected abuse or neglect.

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Friday October 5th, 2012

5 THINGS YOU REALLY NEED TO KNOW ABOUT INTELLECTUAL DISABILITY

1:00 PM to 4:00 PM
Police Academy
285 Preston Avenue
Meriden, CT

FREE TRAINING!
(Lunch is NOT Provided)

We all know that people with physical disabilities often need ramps – that makes sense. But what about ‘cognitive ramping’ – what about the idea of adapting the environment and even your approach to maximize success? By understanding what ‘intellectual disability’ means in terms of everyday interactions and in terms of learning, staff can develop approaches that work or patience that comes from understanding. This workshop is highly practical and those attending will leave with ideas for how to better serve those in their care.

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Saturday October 6th, 2012
HEALTHY RELATIONSHIPS
9:30 AM to 12:30 PM

Police Academy
285 Preston Avenue
Meriden, CT

FREE TRAINING!
(Lunch is NOT Provided)

The Ring of Safety: Teaching People With Disabilities the Skills Needed to Prevent Abuse People with intellectual disabilities are the most sexually victimized group in society. This workshop will look at causes and prevention strategies. Families will learn what they can do to help increase their child's self-protection skills and to reduce their family members vulnerability. Families will also learn about the CT Self Advocates movement to promote Healthy Relationships. Come hear what self advocates are doing to obtain better social supports from the department and to implement their manifesto- "A Credo for Relationships".

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Directions

The FOUR POINTS SHERATON

275 Research Parkway, Meriden CT
(203) 238-2380

From Hartford

Take I-91 South to exit 17 or Rte 15 to exit 67W (East Main Street exit). At the end of the exit, take a left onto E. Main Street. At the second light, take a right onto Pomeroy Avenue. Four Points Sheraton will be on the right.

From New Haven

Take I-91 North to exit 16 or Rte 15 to exit 67. At the end of the exit, take a right onto Pomeroy Avenue. At the stop sign take a right onto Research Parkway. Four Points Sheraton will be on the right.

From Waterbury

Take I-84 East to exit 27 onto I-691 East bound. Follow to exit 10, I-91, Rte 15 south. Get off at the first exit, which is 67 w East Main Street exit. At the end of the exit take a left onto E. Main Street. At the second light take a right onto Pomeroy Avenue. At the stop sign take a right onto Research Parkway. Four Points Sheraton will be on the right.

From Middletown

Take rte 66 to exit 13, which will put you on E. Main Street. At the second light take a left onto Research parkway. Follow to the stop sign, go straight through. Four Points Sheraton will be on the right.

MERIDEN POLICE ACADEMY

285 Preston Avenue, Meriden CT (203) 238-6508

FROM NORTH:

I-91 SOUTH TO EXIT 19 (PRESTON AVENUE); LEFT @ STOP SIGN. FOLLOW PRESTON AVENUE EAST TO CONNECTICUT POLICE ACADEMY. APPROXIMATELY ONE MILE ON LEFT.

FROM SOUTH:

I-95 TO I-91 NORTH TO EXIT 18 (66 EAST); EXIT 12 (PRESTON AVENUE); LEFT @ STOP SIGN; ACADEMY ON THE RIGHT AFTER GOING OVER BRIDGE.

FROM WEST:

I-84 EAST TO I-691 EAST TO EXIT 12 (PRESTON AVENUE); LEFT @ STOP SIGN; ACADEMY ON THE RIGHT AFTER GOING OVER BRIDGE.

FROM EAST:

ROUTE 66 WEST TO EAST MAIN STREET EXIT; RIGHT TURN ONTO PRESTON AVENUE. ACADEMY ON THE RIGHT AFTER GOING OVER BRIDGE.