

## TRI-STATE AUTISM COLLABORATIVE WEBINAR SERIES Fall 2022

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The Tri-State Webinar Series is made available through collaboration with the Colorado Department of Education, Kansas TASN Autism and Tertiary Behavior Supports, and the Nebraska Autism Spectrum Disorders Network.

Anyone with an interest in learning about the characteristics of autism spectrum disorders and evidence-based practices is invited to attend any of our webinars. This may include administrators, general education teachers, specialist teachers, family members, paraprofessionals, special education professionals, healthcare, and related service providers.

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Date: September 21, 2022

Title: The Incredible 5-Point Scale and Anxiety

Presenter: Kari Dunn Buron, MS

**Description:** Anxiety is often a part of the autistic profile. Anxiety is also the most contagious of all emotions, and anxiety is personal. Because of these issues, it is essential that all educators, when faced with troublesome, disturbing, or confusing behavior have an objective planning system on hand.

The anxiety curve, as introduced by Buron and Curtis, in 2003 provides just such a system. This webinar will discuss the use of the anxiety curve to both address emotional regulation with students, and as a tool for educational planning. Kari will connect the curve to the Incredible 5-Point Scale; and illustrate how it relates to other common teaching strategies.

This is a follow-up webinar to a presentation Kari provided in spring 2022 about The Incredible 5-Point Scale. To learn about 5-Point Scale prior to this webinar checkout the following resources: Tri-State Webinar: <u>Using the 5-Point Scale</u> and Kari's Webpage <u>5-Point Scale</u>.

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Date: October 12, 2022

Title: Sex Education for Individuals with ASD

Presenter: Kate Loving, M.S., BCBA

**Description:** Understanding and possessing the ability to express one's sexuality can be viewed as a basic human right, yet for many individuals with Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD), this is not a right afforded to them. Traditional relationship development and sex education curriculum is often inaccessible to individuals with ASD, indicating the need for more person-centered programming that takes into account the strengths and needs of each individual.

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**Date:** October 26, 2022

**Title: Small Group Instruction 101** 

Presenter: Sasha Long, BCBA, M.A.

**Description:** In this webinar, Sasha Long, founder and president of The Autism Helper, will discuss why small group instruction is essential for meeting the diverse needs of learners. She will cover what considerations should be made when establishing small group instruction. Participants will also learn key strategies for scheduling group rotations, para training, and the necessary evidence based practices to utilize while running groups.

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