

Center for Special Education presents:

Meeting the Needs of Children with Autism

Tuesday, October 21, 2008 | 4:30 pm–6:30 pm

University Hall Amphitheatre, 1815 Mass Ave, Cambridge

What professionals need to know about special education law, with a focus on recent changes to the state and federal law impacting children with autism spectrum disorder.

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Join us to learn about the specific legal requirements pertaining to the unique learning needs of children with autism spectrum disorder (ASD). With an emphasis on the requirement that children with ASD receive educational opportunities that reflect competency and potential, presenters will address current trends, legal standards, evaluation rights and procedures, and writing IEPs and evaluation reports. Practitioners will learn how schools can implement best practices for children with ASD and how to work effectively with families as part of the IEP Team process—to help make the promises of special education law a reality. There will be ample time for questions at the end of the presentation.

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