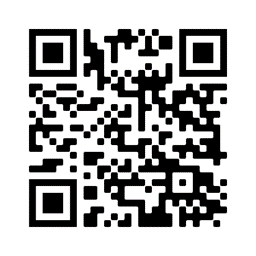
*CENTRAL ALABAMA’S 8th*

**“UNLOCKING THE MYSTERY OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISORDERS”** **CONFERENCE**

NOVEMBER 9, 2023

The Worship Center Church

100 Derby Parkway, Birmingham AL 35210



*Scan code for speakers’ presentation summaries and bios*

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| **Time Slot** | **Sanctuary**  (Upstairs Level) | **Room 1**  (Downstairs Level, on left) | **Room 2**  (Downstairs Level, on left) |
| 8:00 – 8:20  WELCOME | Cindy Nelson,  Conference Coordinator | NA | NA |
| 8:20 - 9:40  KEYNOTE | Dr. Dale Stripling + Sgt. Mike Cowart:  ***"Creating a Culture of School Safety"*** | NA | NA |
| 9:40 - 10:00  BREAK | NA | NA | NA |
| 10:00 - 11:00  Session ONE | Erica Lee  ***“Using Mindfulness to Improve Behavioral Outcomes in the Elementary Classroom”*** | Tish McInnis  ***"Monitoring developmental Milestones"*** | Shannon White + Aronia Allen  ***"Achieving Your Maximum Potential with Vocational Rehabilitation/Life After High School"*** |
| 11:10 - 11:15  BREAK | NA | NA | NA |
| 11:15 - 12:15  Session TWO | Tyler Merrill  ***"Tips for Breaking the Co-Teacher Code"*** | Gwendolyn Brown  ***"Regional Autism Network: We see Possibilities and sometimes provide Hope"*** | Jerimie Goike  ***"Motivational and Inspirational Journeys through the world of Autism"*** |
| 12:15 - 12:45  Lunch Pickup/Break  \*SILENT AUCTION ends at 12:45\* | **(Eating/drinking is not permitted in Sanctuary!)** | Attendees may eat in  Room 1 | Attendees may eat in  Room 2 |
| 12:45 - 1:45  Session THREE | Samantha Wadsworth  ***"Executive Functioning Skills: The CEO of the Brain"*** | Caroline Richter  ***“Behavioral and psychiatric disorders associated with neurodevelopmental disorders"*** | Leslie Allen  ***“Special Ed Law 101: A Crash Course for Educators”*** |
| 1:45 - 2:00  BREAK | NA | NA | NA |
| 2:00 - 3:00  Session FOUR | Dr. Joe Ackerson + Jeremy Cottle  ***"Neuropsychological Perspectives on the Diagnosis and Treatment of Autism"*** | Brynna Benefield  ***“Augmentative and Alternative Communication"*** | Deborah Voltz  ***"M 2 ECCA for Inclusion"*** |
| 3:00 DISMISSAL | PICK UP CERTIFICATES  (Upstairs Foyer) |  |  |

\*\*SPECIAL NOTES\*\*

\*Silent auction ENDS at 12:45

\*Winners will receive a **text** and MUST pick up and pay for item(s) ***BEFORE 2:00*** (or it goes to the next bidder on the bid sheet)

\*No food or drink allowed in sanctuary!

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