

THE CHALLENGING BEHAVIORS OF CHILDREN WITH AUTISM & OTHER SEVERE DISABILITIES: WHAT CAN PARENTS DO?

Dr. Peter Doehring

Bear: February 23, 2007, 9 AM- 12:00 PM (*Eden Center*)

Dover: February 26, 2007, 9 AM - 12:00 PM (*DNREC Auditorium*)

Free to Parents and educators – Pre registration is required by February 20, 2007 - No on-site registration will be permitted



**DAP Educational Seminars
Best Practices in ASD**



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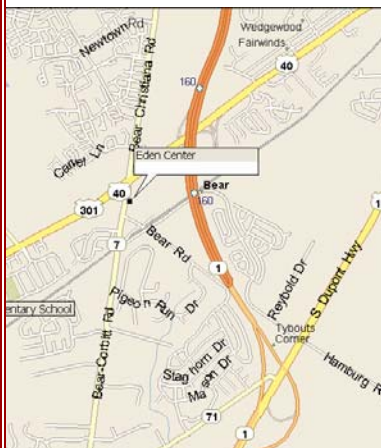
has worked in the field of autism for more than 15 years, and as the Statewide Director of the Delaware Autism Program (DAP) since 1999. DAP is the largest public school program of its kind in the US, and provides comprehensive services to students with autism from birth to 21 years of age. Dr. Doehring has presented and published internationally on screening / diagnosis, professional /organizational development, and educational programming.

Many children and adolescents with moderate to severe disabilities present with challenging behaviors that can at least interfere with learning or, in more extreme cases, result in private residential placement. Research is beginning to describe why such behaviors typically occur, and how to prevent and/or respond to such behaviors. Building on our experience with students with autism and other severe disabilities, we present the most common reasons for such challenging behaviors, examples of interventions that families can implement, and ways for families and schools to work together to develop an effective behavior plan. The session is aimed at parents and other caregivers, and includes opportunities for questions & discussion.

To pre-register Email your name, address, phone/fax/email, to: Chris Logullo

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Directions



Bear (Eden Center, Christina School District)

From Rt. 1:
Take Exit 160 West (Rt. 40/301);
Continue west
Turn left onto Rt 7 south, at the 2nd light at Rt. 7 at the Wawa / Bob Evans (your 1st or 2nd light?).

Eden is an old elementary school immediately on your left. Go past it, and turn left at the first opportunity, and left again after the first house (New Castle County Head Start), to curve back around in front of Eden. Park in the main parking lot, and enter through the main doors.

Dover (DNREC auditorium)

From north: Take Rt. 1 south, & 1st exit after Dover Downs & tolls (Rt. 8), towards Dover. At Rt. 13, turn left, & then turn right at TGIF Fridays onto Lookerman

From the south:
From Rt. 13, turn left at Lookerman (at TGIF Fridays).

At 1st light on Lookerman (Legislative Ave), turn right into parking lot at the Post Office. Go straight to the of parking lot behind DNREC. Come in through the front entrance of DNREC on Kings Highway. The auditorium is on the right.

Parking is limited. If no parking is available behind DNRC, exit back onto Legislative Ave, cross Lookerman, and take the 1st left to go behind the large brick building (the Archives) Street parking is limited to 2 hours – YOU WILL BE TICKETED!!

