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the PSCP: The Psychology Network are pleased to offer:

How does Executive Functioning Develop?

Executive Functioning skill is a current "buzz" word, though in reality always was encompassed in the world of occupational functioning. Sensory Processing is the foundation on which skills are built in early developmental years and prepares for executive functioning ability. This workshop will discuss how the developmental hierarchy of learning impacts on skills such as the ability to organize, to write what you are thinking, to adhere to timelines, to be disciplined in study methods.

Maude Le Roux, OTR/L is an occupational therapist with extensive field and supervisory experience with a wide variety of therapeutic skills. She has providing training internationally, focusing on development, and on tools used in fostering functional occupational performance in children. Maude is a cross-discipline mentor to professionals around the world, and has built a multi-disciplinary team in her practice in Delaware County, PA. She co-authored the book "Our Greatest Allies" with Laureen O'Malley (available on Amazon.com.)

Date: Friday, February 1, 2019 Place: AIM Academy 1200 River Road Conshohocken, PA 19428 215-486-2461 www.aimpa.org

Time: 12:30 P.M. to 2:30 P.M.

Please bring a bag lunch. Dessert and beverages will be supplied Tour of the school with previous request.



FEES: This workshop is free for members of SOS, PSCP, and staff at the host school. There is a \$15.00 admission fee for others. CE credits and Act 48 credits are \$30.00 each. Payment must be made online, by check, or money order made out to SOS. <u>NO CASH PLEASE</u>.

<u>CANCELLATION POLICY</u>: You are holding a spot so reservations for this workshop are non-refundable. If you cancel at least 48 hours before the event, you will be issued a credit memo (minus a \$10 transaction fee) to use for another SOS workshop within the year.

TO REGISTER: visit <u>www.specialistsofschools.org</u> (if you are a member please sign-in), click the name of the event, select the appropriate registration option and click the "Register Now" button, then follow the onscreen instructions to pay by credit card. This is strongly recommended, as it will decrease a lot of waiting time and confusion at the registration table.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES: Upon

completion of this training, participants will be able to:

- List seven different components in the development of executive functioning, including the basis in brain functioning of each
- Describe how the academic components of reading, writing, and math fit into the developmental continuum, and apply to the concept of executive functioning
- Explain what is meant by two dimensions of intervention;
 "bottom up" and "top down"

DIRECTIONS: Will be included with the handouts.

CE CREDITS: This session is co-sponsored by the Philadelphia Society of Clinical Psychologists (PSCP) and Specialists of Schools. PSCP is approved by the American Psychological Association to offer Continuing Education (CE) for psychologists. PSCP maintains responsibility for the program and its content. This program provides 2 hours of CE credits for Licensed Psychologists, Social Workers. Licensed Professional Counselors, and Marriage and Family Therapists.

