





Workshops will be held at the

Community Services Building, First Floor Auditorium 327 East Ridgewood Avenue Paramus, New Jersey 07652

Bergen County Special Services CAPE Resource Center and Learning Disabilities Association of New Jersey present

FREE Parent/Professional Workshop Series

Everything You Ever Wanted to Know About Testing:

A Parent and Professional Survival Guide

Date:	October 1, 2014
Presenter:	Steven Korner, Ph.D.
Time:	7:00-8:30 P.M.

Parents are often at a disadvantage when presented with test data and reports consisting of numbers and technical terms that are unfamiliar to them, and are also frequently puzzled by laws that regulate their child's eligibility for services and accommodations. This workshop will provide a step-by-step method to understand the evaluation process and the laws that govern it. A Q&A period will be included.

Workshop participants will gain knowledge in:

- Understanding what tests constitute a psych-educational and neuropsychological evaluation
- Interpreting test results and translating technical terms in reports
- Understanding the laws that regulate eligibility for services and accommodations and students' rights to a fair and appropriate education
- Navigating your local Child Study Team and/or the College Board to obtain the services and accommodations students need

Dr. Korner has provided psycho-educational and neuro-psychological evaluations and advocacy services for over 30 years, is a school psychologist at Harrington Park School, and currently serves on the advisory board of the Learning Disabilities Association of New Jersey.

Classroom Survival Skills for Parents and Teachers

Date:	October 9, 2014 *New Date*
Presenter:	Fern Goldstein,
	Recipient of LDA America's Sam Kirk
	Teacher of the Year Award
Time:	7:00-8:30 P.M.

As parents and teachers, we each struggle with our students' lack of organizational skills, sometimes more than they do. Frustration builds and arguments frequently erupt.

But there <u>is</u> hope!

This workshop will provide participants an understanding of the problems students with learning disabilities face in the classroom and at home when charged with academic tasks, household chores, and other responsibilities. The role of executive function will be discussed and techniques for mastering time management and completing tasks will be presented. The presentation will include a Q&A period.

Fern Goldstein holds a bachelor's degree in Speech Pathology and Audiology from SUNY Albany and a master's degree from Adelphi University in Special Education. She presently teaches high school English for students with learning disabilities, and is also the parent of a young adult with learning disabilities. EARLY REGISTRATION IS ADVISED

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