



Presented by: Mañé H.I.T. Autism Support Group

“Hope for ADHD, Autism Spectrum Disorders and Learning Disabilities”

**What You Need to Know About AD(H)D, A.S.D.,
Developmental and Neuro-Behavioral Disorders
Tampa, Florida — Saturday, May 8th, 2010**

Free Seminar

**Children’s Board of Hillsborough County
1002 East Palm Avenue, Tampa, Florida 33605**
For directions, www.childrensboard.org

In the last two decades childhood disorders including ADHD, Autism Spectrum Disorders, developmental and neuro-behavioral disorders have skyrocketed to epidemic proportions.

This seminar will discuss a comprehensive treatment approach that integrates functional neurology and hemispheric integration therapy with biomedical, nutritional and dietary interventions along with therapeutic modalities and Applied Behavior Analysis. Come learn how these treatments may dramatically improve the lives and well being of your children.

In addition, information will be provided regarding Individualized Education Program and Financial Planning for Special Needs.

Topics Under Discussion

- ◆ 9:00 “Hemispheric Integration Therapy for ADHD, Autism and Autism Spectrum Related Disorders” — Dr. Nelson Mañé, D.C.

A brain based rehabilitation which addresses Autism Spectrum Disorders as a neurologic condition and a Functional Disconnect Syndrome. The concept of Hemispheric Integration Therapy is to strengthen weak and under-functioning neurologic pathways that lead to areas of the brain not having optimal communication with each other causing the brain to become desynchronized. Concepts discussed will include Epigenetics, Neuroplasticity, Temporal Coherence, Motor Cognitive Binding, Long Term Potentiation and Hemisphericity.

- ◆ 10:30 “Autism Assessment and Intervention: An Overview” — Dr. Danielle Sutton, Ph.D.

In this presentation Dr. Sutton will provide a brief overview of autism assessment and treatment strategies for use with the child with autism. Specifically, the participant will become familiar with early indicators of autism spectrum disorders as well as screening and assessment tools specifically developed for this population. In addition, Dr. Sutton will present the spectrum of developmental and behavioral treatment approaches used with children with ASD, with an emphasis on ABA.

- ◆ 11:30 Individualized Education Program (IEP): “The Law and Individual Education Program & Development” — Suzanne E. Azizi, Social Worker

- ◆ 12:00 1 Hour Lunch Break

- ◆ 1:00 “Introduction to Biomedical Interventions & Functional Medicine” — Dr. Nelson Mañé, D.C.

An introduction to mal-absorption, nutritional deficiencies, leaky gut, bacterial, parasitic and yeast infections, toxins and immune dysregulation associated with those on the autism spectrum.

- ◆ 2:00 Financial and Law “Special Needs Solution” — June M. Paulsen, CLTC

In this presentation June will educate the participants on how to maintain government benefit eligibility for securing their financial future. She will also speak on how you can help ensure that your child’s lifetime needs are met with appropriate insurance and financial products.

- ◆ 3:00 Question & Answer for Presenters and Parents of children who are currently treating

To Register For This Free Seminar Call 813-935-4744!

Don't delay seats are limited.

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Dr. Nelson Mañé, D.C., D.A.B.C.O., D.A.C.N.B., F.A.C.F.N., F.A.C.O.

Dr. Nelson Mañé, of the Mañé Center is board certified in chiropractic orthopedics and neurology. Dr. Mañé has been in private practice in Tampa, Florida since 1985. Dr. Mañé is a D.A.N (Defeat Autism Now) doctor. He has additional sub-specialty training in childhood Neuro-Behavioral Disorders. Dr. Mañé is a frequent speaker to parents, professionals and support groups with respect to neurological, behavioral, and developmental disorders along with biomedical and nutritional interventions.

Dr. Mañé has been interviewed by Bay News 9, Fox 13 news, WFLA channel 10 news, the Tampa Tribune, Spectrum Magazine, and is being featured in the upcoming Documentary about Autism, "Walking In The Dark: Finding The Light In Autism" regarding his innovative treatments. Dr. Mañé was recently nominated for the "Autism Impact Award" given by Icare4autism, "International Center for Autism Research and Education".



Dr. Danielle Sutton, Ph.D.

Dr. Sutton has been working in the field of autism for 20 years. Her diverse experiences include research, assessment and intervention with individuals with autism of all ages and their families. She is a recognized expert in the gold-standard of autism diagnostics: the Autism Diagnostic Interview (ADI) and the Autism Diagnostic Observation Schedule (ADOS), and has administered the ADI and ADOS to hundreds of children and families. For the past three years Dr. Sutton served as the Director of the Autism Spectrum Assessment and Treatment Clinic at the University of South Florida. She also helped develop and direct an internationally recognized autism spectrum assessment clinic at the University of Miami. Dr. Sutton is trained in Floor Time, Applied Behavior Analysis, and Pivotal Response Training, among many other intervention methodologies. She has provided consultation services to families, schools, and community agencies throughout the United States. Dr. Sutton's work on autism has been published in the *Journal of Autism and Developmental Disorders*, *Infancy*, and the *American Journal of Human Genetics*, among others. She is a frequent guest speaker on the topic of autism, presenting across the U.S., Canada and Italy.

Suzanne E. Azizi, Social Worker

Suzanne Azizi is first and foremost parent of a now 19 year old daughter with autism. She is known for her Medical / Educational Case Management. She is a social worker trained in Applied Behavior Analysis and I.E.P. Development and Advocacy. She is a member of the Mañé H.I.T. Autism Support Group. Her daughter has treated with Dr. Nelson Mañé at the Mañé Center.

June M. Paulsen, CLTC

Premier Agent, June Paulsen has been with The Prudential Insurance Company of America's Sunshine State Agency since 2007. Her work involves addressing the needs of the Southwest Florida community with insurance and financial products to address their business succession and estate planning needs.

June has also completed the Prudential Special Needs Solutions training to serve the Special Needs Community.

June is a graduate of University of South Florida, Cum Laude where she earned a Bachelor's degree in Finance and Economics.

