



Professional Practices Symposium for Behavior Analysts: Developing Effective ABA Programs in Public School Systems

TOPIC SCHEDULE (TENTATIVE): 2019-2020

Date	Topic/ Speakers
OCTOBER 7, 2019	<p style="text-align: center;">Presenter: Anne Donovan, M.Ed., BCBA, LABA</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Welcome/ Symposium Overview/ Topic Outline • Updates: BACB CE changes • Home-based Service Delivery Models in Public Schools
NOVEMBER 4, 2019	<p style="text-align: center;">Guest Speaker: BethAnne Miles, M.A., BCBA, LABA</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Acceptance and Commitment Therapy: An Introduction to ACT for Public School BCBA's
DECEMBER 2, 2019	<p style="text-align: center;">Guest Speaker: Bob Ross, Ed.D., BCBA-D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Practical and Ethical Methodologies for Assessing Function of Problematic Behaviors in the Natural Environment
JANUARY 6, 2020 <i>Ethics CEs!</i>	<p style="text-align: center;">Presenter: Anne Donovan, M.Ed., BCBA, LABA</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Restorative Justice: Designing effective and ethical alternatives to standard consequence-based practices in public schools
FEBRUARY 3, 2020	<p style="text-align: center;">Presenter: Elise Stokes, M.Ed., BCBA</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Building Parent Connections: Strategies to Increase Effective Collaboration and Communication With Families
MARCH 2, 2020	<p style="text-align: center;">Presenter: Alina Kantor Nir, Esq. & Anne Donovan, M.Ed., BCBA, LABA</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • School Refusal: A Review of Legal Implications and Effective Interventions to Address Students' School Refusal Behaviors
APRIL 6, 2020	<p style="text-align: center;">Guest Speaker: Jillian Bennett, Ph.D, BCBA-D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Merging Behavior Analytic and Clinical Perspectives to Work with Students with Complex Mental Health Diagnoses
MAY 4, 2020 <i>Supervision CEs!</i>	<p style="text-align: center;">Guest Speaker: Missy Olive, Ph.D, BCBA-D</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • RBT Supervision: Challenges and Practical Considerations for Behavior Analysts in Public Schools
JUNE 1, 2020	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Topic Open For Group Input</i></p>

****All meetings are held on Mondays from 1:00-3:00 pm at The Hampton Inn & Conference Center in Natick, MA***