



# Partners with a Purpose: Occupational and Speech Therapy using a Sensory Integration Approach

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## Description:

This seminar is designed for speech and language pathologists and occupational therapists who have an interest in building a partnership to support communication, interaction, organized behavior, learning, joint attention, modulation, utilizing Sensory Integration principles from the work of Dr. A. Jean Ayres.

For many years, occupational therapists and speech language pathologists have recognized the existence of a relationship between sensorimotor function and the development of speech and language in children. Through lectures, slides, experiential labs and video of intervention for children ages birth through school age the strategies presented will emphasize an integrated approach for the OT and SLP to enhance treatment effectiveness.

## Objectives: Participants will be able to

1. Learn to recognize arousal states and design strategies to bring children to a state of readiness and interest for communication, interaction, learning and fun.
2. Outline the relationship between sensory processing and the development of interaction and communication skills.
3. Describe the relationships between sensory processing, non-verbal communication and speech and language development.
4. Identify the significant aspects of speech sound production that relate to sensory integration, non-verbal communication and speech and language development.
5. Identify the significant aspects of speech sound production that relate to sensory integration, respiratory support, oral apraxia and oral motor function.

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## OT/SLP Partners 2008 Schedule

Dates and locations subject to change.

Jan 18-19, 2008	Seattle, WA	<input type="checkbox"/>	May 9-10, 2008	Mt. Kisco, NY	<input type="checkbox"/>
July 25-26, 2008	Columbus, OH	<input type="checkbox"/>	Sept 12-13, 2008	Honolulu, HI	<input type="checkbox"/>
Oct 16-17, 2008	Las Vegas, NV	<input type="checkbox"/>			

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