

AuSM's Autism Direct Support Certification Program is designed for professionals who work with individuals with autism or who want to better provide service to those with autism spectrum disorder. This in-depth, 15-hour course will give practical solutions for working with people on the spectrum. Class includes final case study and test.

Training Objectives

- Identify how people with autism think.
- Understand how differences in thinking lead to differences in behavior.
- Understand how different tools/interventions address the strengths and challenges of ASD.
- Identify tools to support clients in different situations.

Who Should Participate?

Job Coaches Support Staff Personal Care Attendants (PCAs) EIDBI Tier 3 Providers Educational Aides

Fall 2017 Session

Fridays

Sept. 15, 22, 29; Oct. 6, 13, 2017 9 a.m.-12 p.m.

Winter 2018 Session

Saturdays

Jan. 20, 27, 2018 from 9 a.m.-3:30 p.m. and Feb. 3, 2018 from 9 a.m.-12 p.m.

Direct Support Personnel
Group Home Staff
Day Training and Habilitation Professionals
Anyone who works directly with
individuals with autism
Family Members

Spring 2018 Session

Mondays

March 5, 12, 19, 26; April 2, 2018 6-9 p.m.

Summer 2018 Session

Monday-Friday

June 11-15, 2018 9 a.m.-12 p.m.

Each session is limited to 15 participants. Licensed professionals may submit documentation from the AuSM Autism Direct Support Certification Program to licensing boards for Continuing Education Unit (CEU) consideration (up to 15 hours).

Location of AuSM Autism Direct Support Certification

AuSM, 2380 Wycliff St. #102, St. Paul, MN 55114

Cost Per Session

\$250 per person. A group discount is available for 3 or more participants from the same organization. Contact AuSM to register a group of 3 or more participants for the same session.

Registration/Certification on Request

Register for AuSM Autism Direct Support Certification online at www.ausm.org. Call 651.647.1083 ext. 22 or e-mail education@ausm.org with registration questions. AuSM Autism Direct Support Certification also is available for groups of 15 at your specified location. Contact 651.647.1083 ext. 22 or e-mail education@ausm.org for more information.