

Autism Safety Training

For Caregivers

October 12, 2010 Time: 5:30-7:30

Held at: CESA #2, 448 E. High St., Milton WI 53563

There are many things that caregivers can do to keep their loved ones with autism safe. This presentation covers developing info sheets, the importance of medical ID jewelry, 911 premise alerts, neighborhood watch for wanderers programs, tracking devices, and much more. It also discusses the role of first responders and what caregivers can do to prepare their family members for emergencies and make these unforeseen interactions more successful

Topics Covered:

- 1. Risks caregivers should be aware of, including wandering
- 2. Preparing for an emergency ahead of time
- 3. Safety tools such as child info sheets, occupant with autism decals, 911 premise alerts, etc.
- 4. Home security and tracking systems
- 5. Search and rescue protocol
- 6. Meeting your first responders
- 7. Working with the schools
- 8. Resources

Target Audience: Parents, caregivers, family, friends, social workers, educators, health care professionals

<u>Presenter</u>: Chris Lacey is a professional trainer, author, and founder of Autism ALERT, Inc. In 2008 alone, she provided training for more than 1000 first responders, health care professionals, educators, and caregivers across Wisconsin through a variety of venues including departmental trainings, autism society supported caregiver trainings, and statewide conferences. She is the mother of two children, one of whom has autism. She lives in south central Wisconsin where she strives to raise autism awareness and promote successful interactions with autistic persons and their communities.

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Cost: \$35 per person Registration Deadline: October 8, 2010

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