

**To: Speech Language Pathologists
Psychologists
Teachers (dealing with autism)**

**Occupational Therapists
Parents of children with autism**



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Prince Salman Center for Disability Research
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***Prince Salman Center for Disability Research
is pleased to invite you to attend***

Picture Exchange Communication System (PECS) Training Workshop

Topics:

The Picture Exchange Communication System (PECS) is an initial language training package that is used to teach communication skills rapidly to those with limited functional speech. PECS is a unique training program that does not require lengthy prerequisite training, and promotes communication in a social context that the user initiates. Training in PECS begins by teaching a spontaneous request and goes on to teach additional communicative functions such as responding to questions and commenting.

Date: 15 – 16 February 2010G (1 – 2 Rabi Al Awal 1431H)

Time: 8:00 am – 4:30 pm

Venue: PSCDR Auditorium, Diplomatic Quarters, Riyadh

Instructors:

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Louise Malkin

Pyramid Educational Consultants

United Kingdom

Who should Participate:

This training will provide crucial information and hands-on practice for individuals who work and/or live with children, adolescents, and adults with limited communication skills (including autism). Specifically, speech pathologists, teachers, psychologists, parents, occupational therapists and support staff will benefit from learning about PECS.

****The Workshop will be delivered in English.***

Pre-registration is required.

Number of participants is limited.

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