

THE EARLY YEARS DIAGNOSTIC CENTRE

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THE DISTINCTIVE NEEDS OF CHILDREN WITH PATHOLOGICAL DEMAND AVOIDANCE SYNDROME (PDA): FROM DIAGNOSIS TO EDUCATION AND MANAGEMENT

A conference for parents and professionals

FRIDAY 15 OCTOBER 2004 9.30am- 4pm

at

Nottingham Racecourse, Colwick

This conference will present an overview of issues in the identification, diagnosis and educational/clinical provision of this increasingly recognised group of children.

Presentations will give an updated view on our current understanding of PDA as well as suggest areas for future development and research in refining clinical understanding and educational interventions.

Contributors will include:

Phil Christie, Consultant Child Psychologist (Early Years Diagnostic Centre)

PDA: Current understanding and questions for the future

George Thomas, Team Leader

and Linda Lowe, Specialist Teacher (Leicestershire Autism Outreach)

PDA Support in the Primary Classroom

Dorinda Miller, Consultant in Speech and Language Therapy and Developmental Psychology
(Early Years Diagnostic Centre)

and Helen Gee, Speech and Language Therapist (CDC, Rotherham Primary Care Trust)

Cracking Communication

A parent's perspective (to be confirmed)



Please send me a booking form for the PDA Distinctive Needs Conference

(estimated costs: professionals £95, parents £55)

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