ADOS-2 TRAINING ACADEMY

TRAINING OPPORTUNITES WINTER/SPRING 2022

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Comprehensive Training

Training for those with no prior experience with the ADOS-2

Intermediate Training

NEW

Additional information and practice with with ADOS for those that completed the Comprehensive Training but would like more support.
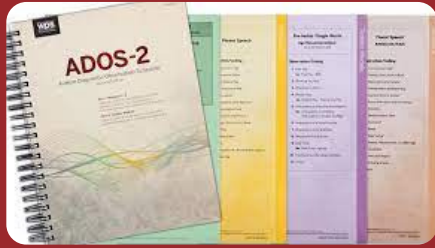
Refresher Training

Annual refresher training is recommended for active ADOS-2 users to re-calibrate coding decisions, as well as get updated information as it is released

Register at www.ces.k12.ct.us

You must log in with your Protraxx account to register for training. Participants must register in Protraxx in addition to requesting a purchase order from your district/agency.

COMPREHENSIVE ADOS-2 TRAINING

Beginning training for individuals with no prior experience with ADOS-2

This training session will provide a comprehensive training for new users of the ADOS-2. No prior training or experience with the ADOS-2 is expected. In order to use the ADOS-2 with validity, within the public schools, it is expected that the user is a special education professional (school psychologist, speech language pathologist, special education teacher, etc.) with extensive experience conducting evaluations including data collection, interpretation of information, and clinical formulation to assist in the process of determining whether or not a student qualifies for special education services, as defined by federal legislation and local state statute.

The training will be a combination of experiences provided fully online with a blend of asynchronous and live training sessions.

In this blended learning model, didactic information will be offered online via the Canvas learning platform (you can create a free account to access the course) as well as live (remote via zoom) viewing of an ADOS-2 administration, time to complete your coding decisions, and a group review of the coding to compare with the individual that administered the ADOS-2 in the video.

Introduction

DETAILS:

REQUIRED MATERIALS FOR ADOS-2 TRAINING

It is expected that you have access to an ADOS-2 kit, manual, and a protocols for Modules 1, 2, and 3. Manuals and protocols will not be provided to you. When you attend the live (remote via zoom) sessions, you need to have a protocol to use. Please check your inventory and order more protocols directly from WPS if you need more.

- The manual is product number W-605M (printed version) or W-605MP (digital version)
- Module 1 protocol product number is W-605B
- Module 2 protocol product number is W-605C
- Module 3 protocol product number is W-605D
- Module 4 protocol product number is W-605E

EXPECTATIONS FOR COMPREHENSIVE ADOS-2 TRAINING

It is expected that participants will participate in all training activities in full, including asynchronous activities to complete in this Canvas platform as well as attending 5 live half-day sessions (via zoom). Live (via zoom) sessions will provide an introduction to the ADOS-2 (session 1) and opportunities to view administrations of the ADOS-2 and practicing coding the ADOS-2. In between live sessions, participants are expected to complete activities including watching videos, reading the ADOS-2 manual, and practicing the administration of the ADOS-2 activities. In total, the full training is expected to include about 28.5 hours of time to complete these activities (and this time may not include reading the manual and practicing with the tasks and materials). Please note that 17.5 hours will be live (via zoom) sessions and an additional 11 hours of online asynchronous work is required as part of this training. Specific guidelines will be provided about planning for up to 4 hours of work in between training sessions.

Winter/Spring 2022 Live Session Dates:
2/23, 3/8, 3/22, 4/7, 4/28 12:00-3:00pm

INTERMEDIATE TRAINING

DETAILED INFORMATION AND PRACTICE WITH THE ADOS-2

NEW

Many practitioners report that the comprehensive training provided in the introductory program is not sufficient to gain mastery and fluency with the ADOS-2, and we have received requests for additional opportunities to practice coding and explore more information about the ADOS-2. This training program will offer 2 opportunities to explore the ADOS-2 in more detail. One session will focus on the Module 1 and 2 set, and another session will focus on the Module 3 and 4 set. Register for one or both sessions to meet your needs. In each session, we will discuss specifics of the coding items in more detail, view and code an administration, and answer specific questions from the group about the module set.

MODULES 1 AND 2
January 12, 2022
9 am to 1 pm
Live via Zoom

MODULES 3 AND 4
January 19, 2022
9 am to 1 pm
Live via Zoom

RERESHER TRAINING

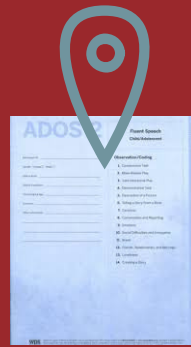## FOR INDIVIDUALS THAT ARE FULLY TRAINED IN THE ADOS-2, ANNUAL REFRESHERS ARE RECOMMENDED TO RE-CALIBRATE CODING DECISIONS

MODULE 1 REFRESHER

February 1, 2022
12:00-3:30 PM
Live via Zoom

MODULE 2 REFRESHER

February 8, 2022
12:00-3:30 PM
Live via Zoom

MODULE 3 REFRESHER

March 1, 2022
12:00-3:30 PM
Live via Zoom

MODULE 4 REFRESHER

March 15, 2022
12:00-3:30 PM
Live via Zoom

ADOS-2 REFRESHER TRAINING DESCRIPTION AND EXPECTATIONS

These training sessions will offer a refresher for individual modules of the ADOS-2, for individuals who have already completed the full comprehensive ADOS-2 training. The session will be a combination of opportunities provided fully online with a blend of asynchronous and live training opportunities. Research suggests that users of the ADOS-2 benefit from periodic practice and re-calibration of coding. Unless you are administering the ADOS-2 frequently (defined as several times per week), it is likely that your coding decisions will drift over time. Frequent ADOS-2 users and trainers calibrate often to maintain reliability with the coding process. The workshop will be presented in a blended learning model with didactic information offered online via the Canvas learning platform (you can create a free account to access the course) as well as live (remote via zoom) viewing of an ADOS-2 administration, time to complete your coding decisions, and a group review of the coding to compare with the individual that administered the ADOS-2 in the video.

It is expected that you have access to an ADOS-2 kit, manual, and a protocol for each session you attend. When you attend the live (remote via zoom) sessions, you need to have a protocol to use. Please check your inventory and order more protocols directly from WPS if you need more.

Prior to the live session, participants are expected to review information in the online course (via Canvas), retrieve the ADOS-2 Manual and protocol booklet, review the corresponding section of the manual, as well as review notes recorded during prior training sessions, and view 1-2 hours of video reviews of ADOS-2 tasks (as needed) and coding items (recommended).

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

REGISTER FOR ALL WORKSHOPS AT WWW.CES.K12.CT.US

COMPREHENSIVE TRAINING

5 live (via zoom) sessions PLUS asynchronous work between sessions

TRAINING DATES

February 23 ~12:00-3:30 pm
March 8 ~12:00-3:30 pm
March 22 ~12:00-3:30 pm
April 7 ~12:00-3:30 pm
April 28 ~12:00-3:30 pm

COST OF TRAINING:

$375

INTERMEDIATE TRAINING

Register for individual sessions

TRAINING DATES

Modules 1 and 2:
January 12 ~ 9am-1 pm

Modules 3 and 4:
January 19 ~ 9 am to 1pm

COST OF TRAINING:

$75 per session

REFRESHER TRAINING

Register for individual sessions

TRAINING DATES

Module 1: 2/1/22 ~12:00-3:30pm
Module 2: 2/8/22 ~12:00-3:30pm
Module 3: 3/1/22 ~ 12:00-3:30pm
Module 4: 3/15/22 ~ 12:00-3:30pm

COST OF TRAINING:

$50 per session

HELPFUL HINTS FOR REGISTRATION:

- Registration is limited and will close 48 hours before each session
- You must use your own Protraxx account with your login and password to register for training on the C.E.S. website (if you do not have a Protraxx account you can create one).
- When you register in protraxx, you can pay via credit card, personal check, or purchase order.
- If you are waiting for a purchase order, go ahead and register in Protraxx – registration is limited and you can reserve your spot.
- Refunds will not be offered for cancellation or missed sessions