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Attwood on Asperger's & Autism, 3 & 4 May 2018

Programme: DAY 1: Identifying & Understanding Autism Spectrum Conditions

- 8.45 **Registration and Refreshments**
- 9.30 **Welcome and Introduction**
Jay Rawlings
Kathy Erangey, Founder and Managing Director, Autism Oxford UK
Professor Charles Newton
- 9.40 **'Live' Diagnostic Interview (60 minutes)**
Professor Tony Attwood and Susan Ward Davis
- 10.40 **BREAK**
- 11.10 **Discussion Q & A following 'Live' Diagnostic Interview**
Professor Tony Attwood
- 11.45 **Recognising autism/Asperger's and differentiating from other diagnoses, especially in females**
Professor Tony Attwood
- 12.15 **Reflections on a Late Diagnosis**
Susan Ward Davis, Autism Oxford UK Training Team
- 12.30 **LUNCH**
- 1.30 **Camouflaging our Autism: why & how children, young people & adults do it**
Richard Maguire, Autism Oxford UK Training Team
- 2.00 **Latest Research on Autism Spectrum Conditions & Practical Applications Pt 1 & Introducing Autism Oxford UK's Training Films**
Professor Tony Attwood
- 3.00 **BREAK**
- 3.30 **Latest Research on Autism Spectrum Conditions & Practical Applications Pt 2**
Professor Tony Attwood
- 4.00 **Questions to Speakers**
- 4.20 **Closing Remarks**
Professor Charles Newton
- 4.30 **END of Day 1**

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Programme: DAY 2:

Cognitive Abilities, Special Interests & Autistic Distress Behaviour

- 8.45 **Registration and Refreshments**
- 9.30 **Welcome and Introduction**
Jay Rawlings
Kathy Erangey, Founder and Managing Director, Autism Oxford UK
Professor Charles Newton
- 9.35 **Cognitive Abilities & Special Interests: Clinical Perspectives Pt 1**
Professor Tony Attwood
- 10.35 **BREAK**
- 11.05 **Cognitive Abilities & Special Interests: Clinical Perspectives Pt 2**
Professor Tony Attwood
- 11.35 **Cognitive Abilities & Special Interests: Autistic Perspectives**
Catherine Green, Autism Oxford UK Training Team
- 11.55 **Passionate Interests or Obsessions?**
Tilus Clark, Autism Oxford UK Training Team
- 12.10 **Autistic Distress: Autistic Perspectives**
James Hoodless, Autism Oxford UK Training Team
- 12.25 **LUNCH**
- 1.25 **Autistic Overload and Meltdown Experiences – some Causes and Effects**
Chris Memmott, Autism Oxford UK Training Team
- 1.45 **Autistic Distress Behaviour that Challenges Pt 1**
Professor Tony Attwood
- 2.45 **Dealing with Autistic Meltdowns – Strategies from an Autistic Professional**
Richard Maguire, Autism Oxford UK Training Team
- 3.15 **BREAK**
- 3.35 **Autistic Distress Behaviour that Challenges Pt 2**
Professor Tony Attwood
- 4.05 **Questions to Speakers**
- 4.20 **Closing Remarks**
Professor Charles Newton & Jay Rawlings
- 4.30 **END of Day 2**