

## Purpose of Conference

Children with learning disabilities exhibit a wide range of symptoms. Learning disabilities typically affect five general areas:

- Spoken language
- Written language
- Arithmetic
- Reasoning
- Memory

Among the symptoms commonly related to learning disabilities (LD) are academic symptoms, cognitive symptoms, physical symptoms, behavior and social symptoms. When considering these symptoms, it is important to remain mindful of the following: No one will have all these symptoms. Among the LD population, some symptoms are more common than others.

All people have at least two or three of these problems to some degree. The number of symptoms seen in a particular child does not give an indication as to whether the disability is mild or severe. It is important to consider if the behaviors are chronic and appear in clusters. *Excerpt: LDA of Greater Memphis Newsletter 2000, Richard Lavoie.*



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## Challenges & Choices – Disability Education Conference



Hope Presbyterian Church  
8500 Walnut Grove Road  
Memphis, TN

## CONFERENCE SPONSORS

Faith Christian Academy

Lindamood-Bell

Learning Disabilities Association of Tennessee

Hope Presbyterian Church

## SCHOLARSHIPS AVAILABLE

LDATN is sponsoring registration for 5 with the purchase of a LDA membership at \$30.

This is a savings of 60 dollars. To take advantage of this offer contact LDA of Tennessee at 901-448-3127 by September 12th.

The conference will have eighteen different sessions on topics related to developmental disabilities.

### *Agenda*

|                |                    |
|----------------|--------------------|
| 8-8:30 am      | Registration       |
| 8:30-9:30 am   | Breakout session 1 |
| 9:40-10:40 am  | Breakout session 2 |
| 10:50: 11:50am | Breakout Session 3 |
| 11:55-12:35 pm | LUNCH (included)   |
| 12:40-1:40 pm  | Breakout session 4 |
| 1:50-2:50 pm   | Breakout session 5 |
| 3:00-4:00 pm   | Breakout session 6 |

## TOPICS

- Treatment options
- Psychological evaluations
- Motivation for School and Home
- ADD/ADHD
- Legal rights
- Futures planning
- Sensory integration
- Discipline
- Classroom management
- Speech and Language Therapy
- Multi-sensory instruction
- Transition
- Play therapy
- Parents as partners
- Homework solutions
- Lindamood-Bell processing
- Marriage
- Respite care
- William Syndrome
- Autism Spectrum Disorders
- Childhood Bipolar Disorder
- Nutrition implications
- Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorders
- Asperger's Syndrome
- Learning Disabilities
- Assistive technology

## REGISTRATION

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Name

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Organization

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Phone Number

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Address

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City, State, Zip

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Email

Fee \$90.00 individual \$75 for groups of 3 or more.

Are you registering a group or 3 or more?

Please mail check and registration form to: F.C.A. – Conference, P.O. Box 1570, Cordova, TN 38088-1570.

Please remit payment in form of check payable to Faith Christian Academy or FCA. No credit cards please.

Additions Registrants:

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