



2-Day Workshop
12 BCBA CEUs, 3.25 EI credits,
12 QSP CEUs, 12 CPDUs

**Designing and Implementing a
Language and Social Skills
Intervention Program
Based on the VB-MAPP**

**Thursday and Friday
May 3rd and 4th, 2012
The Metropolis
Arlington Heights, IL**

Dr. Mark Sundberg, Ph.D., BCBA-D

About the Workshop

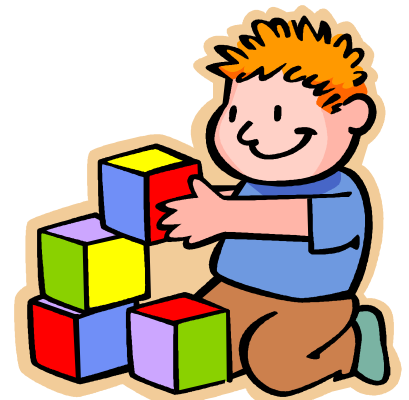
This two-day workshop will describe how to use the VB-MAPP (the Verbal Behavior Milestones Assessment and Placement Program) to assess an individual child's language and social skills, as well as identify potential barriers that may inhibit the child's development. The VB-MAPP is derived from behavior analysis, B.F. Skinner's analysis of verbal behavior, and the developmental milestones of typical children. The workshop will then focus on how to set up an individualized language and social skills intervention program based on the results of a VB-MAPP assessments. Additional topics discussed over the course of the workshop will include how to use a child's strengths to develop skills in other areas, how to set up a verbal behavior classroom or home program, writing IEP goals, data collection, addressing behavior problems, choosing augmentative communication systems, and transitioning to a less restrictive environment.

A Must-Attend for:

**BCBAs, BCaBAs, School Psychologists, Early
Intervention Providers, Special Education
Teachers, Psychologists, and Providers
working in the Field of Autism.**

Seminar Location:
The Metropolis
111 West Campbell Street
Arlington Heights, IL

Seminar Times:
8:30 am -4:00 pm
Thursday, May 3 and
Friday, May 4, 2012



About Dr. Sundberg

Mark L. Sundberg, Ph.D., BCBA-D received his doctorate degree in Applied Behavior Analysis from Western Michigan University (1980), under the direction of Dr. Jack Michael. Dr. Sundberg serves on the Board of Directors of the B.F. Skinner Foundation. He is the author of the *Verbal Behavior Milestones Assessment and Placement Program (the VB-MAPP)*, the book *Teaching Language to Children with Autism or Other Developmental Disabilities*, and the book *A Collection of Reprints on Verbal Behavior*. He is also the co-author of *The ABLLS* assessment tool. He has published over 45 professional papers, including a chapter titled "Verbal Behavior" in Cooper, Heron, & Heward (2007). He is the founder and past editor of the journal *The Analysis of Verbal Behavior*, a twice past-president of The Northern California Association for Behavior Analysis, a past-chair of the Publication Board of ABAI, and is a member of the committee that develops the BACB Task Lists. Dr. Sundberg has given over 500 conference presentations and workshops, and taught 80 college courses on behavior analysis, verbal behavior, sign language, and child development. He is a licensed psychologist in private practice who consults for programs and classrooms that serve children with autism in the San Francisco Bay Area. His awards include the 2001 "Distinguished Psychology Department Alumnus Award" from Western Michigan University.

Cost: \$299 pp for both days
Early Bird Discount \$279 pp by March 1
Student rate (with valid ID): \$149 pp

Agenda
Day 1: Assessment • Day 2: Intervention
8:30 Registration and Refreshments
9:00 Seminar Begins
12:00 Lunch on your Own (1 hour)
4:00 Seminar Ends

CEU Information:

12 Type 2 BCBA CEUs, 12 QSP CEUs, or 12 CPDUs (for educators) will be awarded for completion of this seminar.

We apologize, at this time, we cannot offer CEUs for School Psychologists or Speech Pathologists.

The Illinois Early Intervention Training Program has approved this event for 3.25 hours of EI credential credit. (1 hour of Assessment, 1.75 hours of Intervention and .5 hours of Atypical Development.)

Learner Objectives

At the conclusion of this seminar, participants will be able to:

- Define and exemplify the basic elements of Skinner's analysis of verbal behavior.
- Describe the five components of the VB-MAPP.
- Administer the VB-MAPP.
- Use the VB-MAPP to identify appropriate IEP goals for children with language delays.
- Explain how to use the Placement Guide to set up an intervention program for an individual child.
- Describe how to teach basic language and social skills to children with autism.
- Describe how to teach advanced manding and intraverbal skills to children with autism.

Registration Information

Online registration available with credit card.

www.clearbrook.org/sundbergseminar

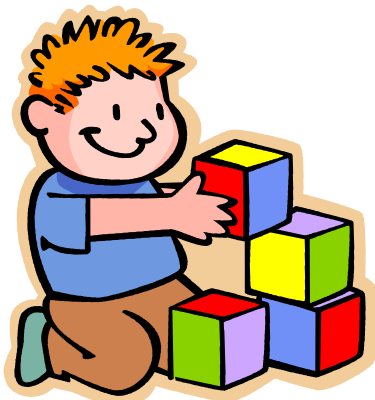
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Refund Policy: A \$25 handling fee will be deducted for all cancellations. 100% of funds (minus handling fee) will be refunded prior to 10 days from seminar. Within 72 hours of seminar, 50% of funds (minus handling fee) will be refunded. No refunds will be given less than 72 hours from seminar.



Registration Deadline is Friday, March 30th.

