

AutismPro® Workshops

Autism training for instructional and support staff



Prepare your staff for the demands of autism

There are two known facts—autism diagnoses are increasing (now 1:110) and school budgets are shrinking.

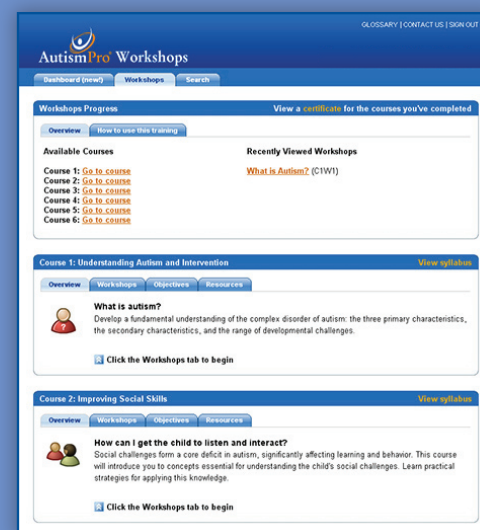
The U.S. school system remains the largest provider of autism interventions; however, at the end of the day, there's *less* money and *fewer* staff to effectively address *more* students with autism and other developmental delays.

AutismPro Workshops is an online professional development program that enables school districts to train all instructional and support staff in autism—cost-effectively. When made accessible to an entire district, administrators can provide more inclusion opportunities and promote an environment of continuity and stability for students with autism—in all education settings.

Greater district-wide autism knowledge and acceptance can significantly reduce risks, costs of outplacement and poor compliance.

AutismPro Workshops includes:

- Content that encompasses the most well-researched and evidence-driven methodologies, including ABA—all expert-authored and based in the latest research.
- Web-based content that professionals can access conveniently from their school or home.
- Video-based and illustrated case examples that make it easier to understand autism's unique challenges.
- Nearly 50 hours of content delivered in nonsequential segments to accommodate different user navigation preferences and learning styles. Content is organized so users can return at a later date to review.
- Easy online course monitoring, so administrators can track staff progress and intervene when extra support is needed.
- Quizzes and knowledge checks that enable adult learners and administrators to test user comprehension.



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"In the last ten years, we have seen a significant increase in the number of students with autism entering our school district. As these students spend most of each day in a general education classroom, it is imperative that our staff has access to appropriate programming and effective professional development. AutismPro is the ideal solution for assisting us in implementing research-based programming and training."

Eloise McGarry, Director of Support Services,
Rutland City Public Schools, Vermont

Workshops contains six comprehensive courses:

For a significantly reduced cost compared to traditional training, you can provide quality professional development to your entire staff and track their progress. A site license accommodates an unlimited number of users in your school.

Delivered over the Internet

Each course is delivered over the Internet with user-friendly language, and video and illustrated case examples that demonstrate behaviors and relevant interventions. *Workshops* viewers can earn a certificate for each section they complete.

Workshops course listing:

- 1: Understanding autism
- 2: Improving social skills
- 3: Improving communication skills
- 4: Improving behaviors
- 5: Improving learning and independence
- 6: Choosing teaching methods

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AutismPro Resources and Resource Manager

Give your special education staff the tools they need for immediate interventions and the comprehensive, evidence-based classroom resources to build custom IEPs for each student. When you combine *Workshops* with *Resources* and *Resource Manager*, you benefit from a complete training and case management solution for delivering educational programming to students with autism.

Learn More at:

AutismPro.com/Products



Helping educators improve outcomes for students with autism.



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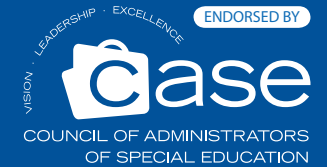
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Resources for Individual Education Plans (IEPs)



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Use Resources independently, or with Resource Manager

For significantly less time and cost compared to traditional research methods (e.g., timely Google searches), you can provide teachers and paraprofessionals with a searchable online database of over 300 learning objectives, 5,000 activity plans and hundreds of behavioral supports and teaching strategies. A site license accommodates an unlimited number of users in your school.

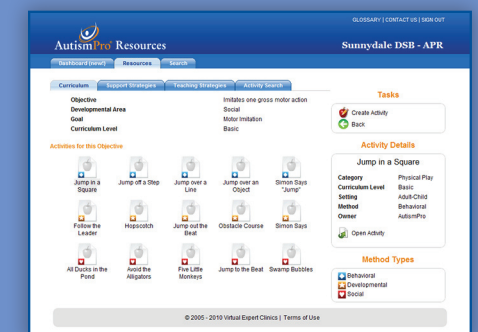
Give staff the resources they need to effectively teach students with autism

Without a doubt, as the population of students with autism increases, so will the number of IEPs.

This increasing number of students with autism places enormous demands on a special education department: more IEPs to produce that are more relevant to a student's unique needs, and not enough hands or time to manage them effectively. Additionally, if an IEP is not supported with research-based activities, a district is at risk for noncompliance and increased outplacement.

AutismPro Resources gives time and reassurance back to administrators, teachers and paraprofessionals. It removes the complexity of finding and selecting the right evidence-based program elements to support a unique IEP. And, educators and districts alike can rely on Resources' expert-authored content that's based on 12 proven methodologies in autism.

Endorsed by the Council of Administrators of Special Education (CASE), AutismPro Resources is an easily accessible online database of learning objectives, activity plans, behavioral supports and teaching strategies, which can be used to support annual objectives for students with autism and other developmental delays.



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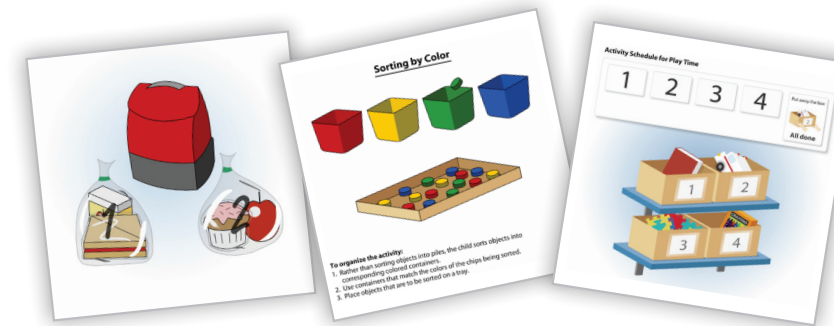
Combine with AutismPro Workshops

AutismPro Workshops is the companion to Resources and Resource Manager. Workshops provides nearly 50 hours of professional development delivered in nonsequential segments to accommodate different user navigation preferences and learning styles. All members of your staff— teachers, bus drivers, principals, cafeteria staff, music, art and gym teachers, school aids, paraprofessionals and new substitute teachers and aides—can take steps to create an environment of continuity and stability for students with autism.

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Helping educators improve outcomes for students with autism.



Resources provides over 5,000 activity plans, and hundreds of behavioral supports and teaching strategies online, which can be printed and used at home.

"With our students, it is critical that we set goals and be able to show how we are meeting those goals throughout the year. With AutismPro, we all can access the data we need to show where each student's progress lies."

Jenna Chamberlain,
Special Education Teacher,
Rutland City Public Schools, Vermont

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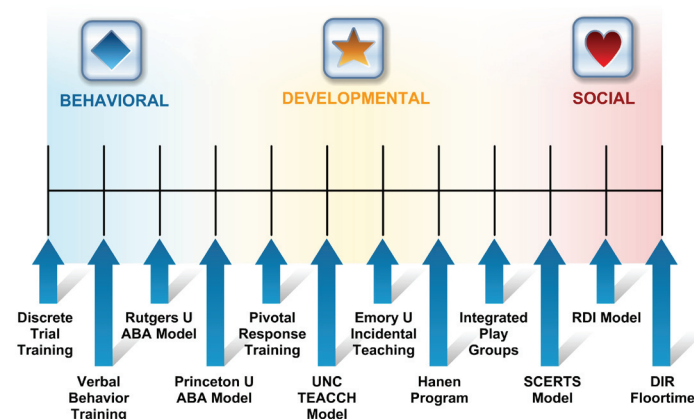
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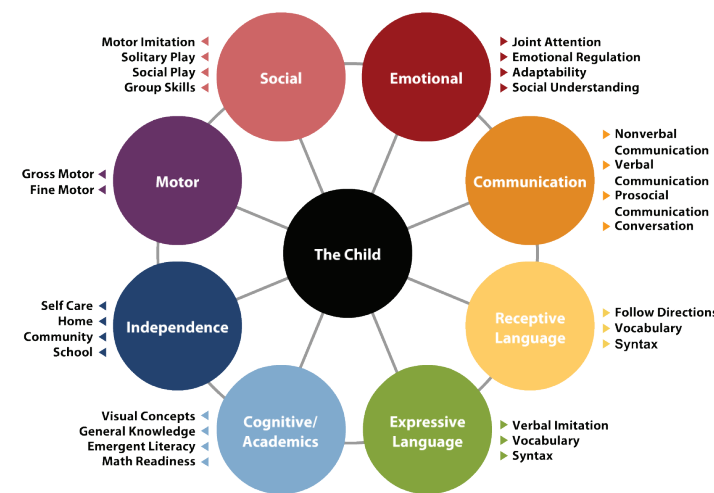
Resources for Individual Education Plans (IEPs)

AutismPro Resources provides practical tools to save time and reduce stress:

- Online access to thousands of lesson plans and evidence-based strategies which can be used to quickly and easily complement IEPs, saving busy educators hours in research and preparation.
- Step-by-step instructions and video tutorials are provided for over 300 learning objectives and 5,000 activity plans. Educators can know how to complete an activity, the appropriate setting, and the materials needed.
- Expert-authored resources can be used alone or as a support for the programming you currently use, and all curriculum meets No Child Left Behind standards.
- Over 400 support strategies demonstrate how to prevent each student's challenging behaviors, so even an unfamiliar behavioral strategy can be easily grasped.
- Compliments autism programs you already use.



AutismPro incorporates best practices from the most well-researched methodologies for autism intervention



AutismPro objectives are grouped into 28 different curriculum areas across eight developmental areas; and, they meet NCLB standards

Link to AutismPro® Resource Manager

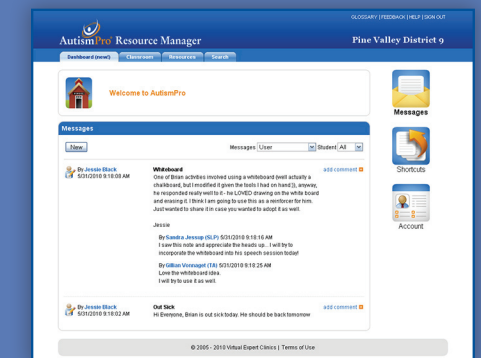
AutismPro Resources can be purchased separately or coupled with AutismPro Resource Manager. Resource Manager is an online platform that connects to the Resources database and is used for team collaboration, communication and easy documentation. Like an electronic logbook, administrators and members of an intervention team can plan, communicate, record and document student progress and outcomes from their own desktop. And, they have the option to include a student's parent for extended collaboration.

District administrators can view a 'snapshot' of every student and how the Resources content is supporting the student and staff member. This enables dynamic management of a student's IEP objectives, ensures real-time accountability, supports compliance and deploys special education expertise to school staff when time is unavailable for a face-to-face visit.

Upgrade to Resource Manager

With Resource Manager, you have access to all of the award-winning features of Resources as well as a number of reporting and tracking capabilities.

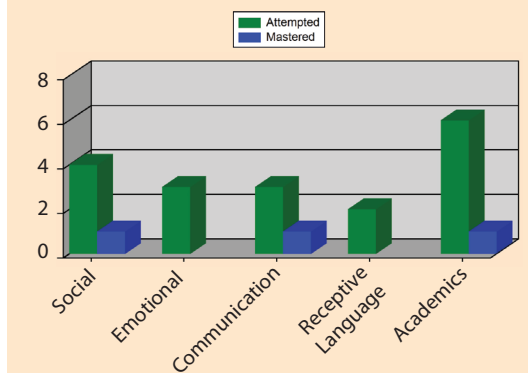
- Teachers and paraprofessionals can track individual student progress, providing summary reports to parents, administrators and other team members.
- Communication journal effectively keeps the entire team up to date on what needs to be done, by whom and when.
- Administrative overview allows administrators to view a 'snapshot' of how the tools are supporting their staff, ensuring accountability, closing the achievement gap, supporting compliance and ensuring a return on investment.



"I'm very pleased with the tracking systems provided... It's a really great way to provide regular feedback to parents. The activities are also just right. They're easy to prepare and use."

Kathy Sottile, Teacher, Thunder Bay Catholic District School Board

Objective Progress



Resource Manager allows educators to track each student's progress on objectives