



Venue & date:

Cotswold Conference  
Centre

October 1 and 2nd 2009

Visit this first class venue:

[www.cotswoldconferencecentre.com](http://www.cotswoldconferencecentre.com)

Price: £565

To include 3 course dinner, overnight accommodation. Full English breakfast, lunch, tea, coffee and biscuits.

Non-residential rate available on request.

# Training for Autism Trainers

**Aim**

This exciting two day course aims to provide a solid platform of training skills and training ideas for new or existing trainers to enable them to deliver autism training that is engaging, imaginative, positive, effective adult learning.

**Who is it for?**

This course is for you if:

- You are at the beginning of your career long development as an autism trainer
- You are a trainer new to the field of autism
- You are an autism trainer who wants to improve your practice, skills and knowledge

*The course does not teach about autism - you bring your autism knowledge to the course.*

The course will get you to turn positive ideas about autism into positive actions. You might be a care practitioner, teacher, social worker, nurse, therapist, manager who has a role in learning and development of staff who work with children/adults with autism.

**How**

Whether you are an experienced trainer or have recently taken on a staff development role, providing good adult learning in the field of autism presents some specific challenges. The course will provide a safe environment to develop as a trainer in the company of other trainers. Autism is a complex condition and helping staff teams understand it and feel supported is a real skill. Making that achievable is what this course is all about. As part of the course there will be pre and post training activities and support. Much of the course will focus on learning how to make autism training fun, accessible and positive for learners.

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**Learning outcomes:**

**At the end of the course trainers will:**

- be confident about their training
- have a development plan for themselves, their practice and the training they deliver
- have ideas to enhance their effectiveness, self awareness and resilience as a trainer
- understand the range of unique learning needs that staff teams have in relation to autism
- have their own ideas for effective training practice ready to go
- have an appreciation of adult learning and the relationship between training, learning and doing
- have transformed their training style
- want to learn more

Got a question?

**07999 716 106**



# Training for Autism Trainers

## The team

The course is led by a skilled team who will bring out the best in everyone who participates. The emphasis is on learning specific skills, meeting personal challenges and growing in confidence.

## The venue

This first class venue has been carefully selected to give trainers a relaxed “away from the office” experience. It will provide the perfect setting to reflect on training style and practice in a productive learning environment. The event programme offers plenty of time to enjoy the 300-acre grounds and sports facilities.

Cotswold Conference Centre is situated on the Farncombe Estate, just outside the picturesque village of Broadway in Worcestershire, less than 2 hours from London and only 1 hour from Oxford, Bristol & Birmingham.



**JOIN US FOR THIS EXCITING AND UNIQUE EVENT AT A FIRST CLASS VENUE BY COMPLETING THE BOOKING FORM AND RETURNING IT TO THE ADDRESS BELOW:**

## Positive About Autism

We also run other events and in-service workshops for teams:-

- POSITIVE ABOUT **AUTISM**
- POSITIVE ABOUT **BEHAVIOUR**
- POSITIVE ABOUT **COMMUNICATION**
- POSITIVE ABOUT **SENSORY**



*Chris Barson is lead trainer for the course and until recently was training manager for the National Autistic Society*



*Hazel Ratcliffe is Director of Ratcliffe Consultancy and has worked in social and health care for over twenty five years as a Qualified Nurse, Psychotherapist & Social*

## Cancellation

Bookings cancelled with more than 28 days notice - no fee will be charged. Bookings canceled with more than 14 days notice - 50% fee will be charged. Bookings canceled with less than 7 days notice - 100% fee will be charged.

I would like to apply for: **TRAINING FOR AUTISM TRAINERS** at the following venue (please tick)

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**Want to book more than one place?** Please indicate how many places you are booking (**including** the named person above)

You can pay for all these places with one payment by invoice or enclose a cheque. Just email us with the names later.

I have read and accept the cancellation terms