BEST PRACTICES IN THE ASSESSMENT OF ADAPTIVE FUNCTIONING

Presenters: Daniella Maglione, Ed.S., M.S. & Maggie Kjer, Ph.D.

Friday, April 13, 2018 ♦ 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
Fort Lauderdale, Florida

Technically sound and clinically useful measures of adaptive behavior are necessary for accurate decisions regarding eligibility for a variety of special education programs. Adaptive behaviors are those daily activities required for personal and social self-sufficiency that allow an individual to function with others in school, work, and community settings. When planning for intervention, it is imperative that the instruments used to assess adaptive behavior be contemporary, developmentally appropriate, and clinically useful in identifying the needs and strengths of individuals as they confront salient developmental challenges across the lifespan and within their unique environments.

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES

Participants will be able to:

- Compare and contrast the fundamental differences between the Vineland-3 and ABAS-3.
- List the different ways in which the Vineland-3 and ABAS-3 can be administered and scored.
- List several advantages of the semi-structured interview format for adaptive skills assessment.

PROGRAM LOCATION

Nova Southeastern University
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ABOUT THE PRESENTERS

Daniella Maglione, Ed.S., M.S., is a Florida licensed school psychologist and certified school psychologist. She received her M.S. in Counseling and Human Services and Ed.S. in School Psychology from Florida State University. Daniella was born in Venezuela and came to the United States at 8 years of age. As a result, she is fluent and proficient in English and Spanish. Daniella was employed as a Bilingual School Psychologist for Hillsborough County Schools for 17 years and was Team Leader for the Bilingual Team of Hillsborough County for 6 of those years. She has previously presented at NASP, FPA, and FASP on Bilingual, ELL, Assessment, and Gifted issues. In April of 2014, Daniella was hired as the Pearson Assessment Consultant for Florida and Puerto Rico. She is a member of the Florida Association of School Psychology and the National Association of School Psychology. The Florida Association of School Psychology (FASP) nominated her as the 2014 Florida School Psychologist of the year.

Maggie Kjer, Ph.D., is currently employed as the Pearson Assessment Consultant for Georgia specializing in the Clinical Assessment Area. Maggie is also the Southeastern/Southwestern Regional Manager. She has been a consultant with Pearson Assessments/AGS for 17 years. Maggie earned her Ph.D. in Education with a specialization in Training and Performance Improvement from Capella University. Maggie’s teaching career spans over 25 years and she has taught in Europe and Asia, as well as in the United States. She is certified as a teacher of math, reading and special education as well as an Administer of Special Education. Maggie is a member of Phi Delta Kappa.

PROGRAM AGENDA

8:30 a.m. –  9:00 a.m.  Registration and refreshments
9:00 a.m. –  9:15 a.m.  Overview of adaptive functioning
9:15 a.m. –  9:45 a.m.  Updates and Revisions for the ABAS-3
9:45 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. Administration and Scoring of the ABAS-3
10:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. Updates and Revisions for the Vineland-3
11:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m. Administering and Scoring of the Vineland-3
11:45 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Questions and Answers / Discussion

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