

# Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> November 2017 Stepping Hill Hospital, Stockport



## *The 14<sup>th</sup> Annual National Conference organised by Parents & Professionals in Partnership*

Just **SOME** of the speakers you can hear this year:

**Catherine Aldred:** Consultant Speech & Language Therapist will present a review of **PACT** a pioneering form of therapy based on intervention techniques which has shown impressive results in the world's largest long term follow up study of treatment for children with severe autism (core autism).

**Saskia Baron:** Journalist, Filmmaker & campaigner for greater awareness of the challenges of ageing with autism and intellectual disabilities. Saskia will discuss one of her BBC Films, **'The Autism Puzzle'**, which features her autistic older brother Timothy and her father, Michael Baron, who was one of the founding parents of the National Autistic Society.

**Olga Bogdashina:** Founder of the Autism Society of Ukraine, Olga has worked extensively in the field of autism and holds multiple positions including; Honorary Professor at the International Autism Institute and Associate Consultant (Autism) to the European Institute of Child Education & Psychology. Olga will present on **'Sensory Perceptual Issues in Autism'**.

**Charlotte Moore:** Parent, Journalist & Author of **'George & Sam'** returns to chair and share more of her experiences at the 2017 conference.

**David Skuse:** Professor of Behavioural and Brain Sciences at the Institute of Child Health, University College London, & Honorary Consultant in Developmental Neuropsychiatry at Great Ormond Street Hospital. David will present on **'The Nature of Rituals & Obsessive Interests'**.

**Mark Wetherell:** Associate Professor of Psychobiology at Northumbria University & registered with the Health & Care Professionals Council as a Practising Health Psychologist. Mark will discuss **'The Psychological & Physical Effects of Caring'**.

**Plus..... a presentation from the Challenging Behaviour Foundation on 'Positive Behaviour Support' and hear from parent speakers, sharing their experiences.**

Parent Fee £35.00

Professional Fee: £100

Conference Fee includes: delegate pack, lunch & refreshments throughout and a CPD Certificate (if required).

Registration 08:30

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*Workshops covering the following areas:*

- **Autism & Animals**
- **Review of PACT**
- **Hospital Visits for Adults with Autism**
- **Sensory Issues**
- **Positive Behaviour Support**

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### APPLICATION FORM

<b>Name:</b>	<b>Position:</b>
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<b>Or I enclose a cheque for £_____ (payable to: Autism – A Hands on Approach)</b>	

For multiple applications please photocopy and submit a separate form for each applicant.

Completed forms and cheque (if applicable) should be sent to:

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