

# CLINICAL TRAINING IN THE LIDCOMBE PROGRAM: A BEHAVIOURAL INTERVENTION FOR STUTTERING IN PRE-SCHOOL AGED CHILDREN

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Hosted by the Montreal Fluency Centre

### ABOUT THE LIDCOMBE PROGRAM

The Lidcombe Program is a behavioural intervention developed by Mark Onslow and his colleagues at the Australian Stuttering Research Centre, to treat stuttering in preschool aged children.

After training, speech-language pathologists will be prepared to teach parents to administer appropriate feedback about fluency and stuttering to their children in every-day speaking environments and to monitor treatment goals and progress.

Studies have shown that this is an efficacious and effective evidence-based treatment for stuttering. The Lidcombe Program has been adjusted for school-age children and special populations.

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The Lidcombe Program course is offered for 1.2 ASHA CEUs (Professional area, Intermediate level). Disclosures: The presenters receive reimbursement for their presentations. No relevant non-financial relationships to disclose.



### Location of Workshop:

Geneva Centre for Autism  
112 Merton Street  
Toronto, ON  
M4S 2Z7

### REGISTRATION

All fees are in CD \$  
Space is limited!

Register at  
[www.montrealfluency.com](http://www.montrealfluency.com)

Early Bird 2-day workshop (before October 15,, 2017)	\$505
Regular 2-day workshop	\$540
Groups of 4+ all from the same agency and registering together	\$470

- The workshop fee includes the training workshop, the treatment guide, coffee breaks
- Register and pay online at: [www.montrealfluency.com](http://www.montrealfluency.com)
- A \$115 processing fee will be charged if cancellations are made in less than one month prior to the workshop
- The LPTC reserves the right to cancel the workshop one month prior if registration is insufficient

### QUESTIONS?

The Montreal Fluency Centre  
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**Two-day Basic Lidcombe Workshop** (1.2 CEUs) Learner's Objectives:  
As a result of this activity, the participant will be able to: identify literature and efficacy data that support the use of the Lidcombe program with preschool children who stutter; use the Lidcombe Program; demonstrate appropriate problem-solving with other Lidcombe trained clinicians.

## **AGENDA**

### **Day 1**

- 8:30-9:00 Registration
- 9:00-9:30 Overview of the Lidcombe Program
- 9:30-10:30 Development of the Lidcombe Program / Research
- 10:30-10:45 Coffee Break
- 10:45-12:00 Measurement
- 12:00-1:00 Lunch
- 1:00-2:30 Measurement (continued)
- 2:30-2:45 Coffee Break
- 2:45-4:30 Parent Verbal Contingencies

### **Day 2**

- 9:00-10:30 Stage 1: Treatment in practice conversations
- 10:30-10:45 Coffee Break
- 10:45-12:00 Stage 1: Treatment in natural conversations
- 12:00-1:00 Lunch
- 1:00-2:30 Stage 2: Maintenance of fluency
- 2:30-2:45 Coffee Break
- 2:45-3:15 Case Studies
- 3:15-4:30 Parent's perception of the Lidcombe Program

*Participants are responsible for making their own accommodations:  
Suggestions...*

Best Western Roehampton Hotel & Suites – 416 487-5101

Wellesley Mannor Hotel – 416 927- 9820

Holiday Inn-Toronto Bloor-Yorkville – 416 927-9820