

Healthy Start: Series Three

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Date	Topic	Speaker
November 12 1 - 3pm	Early Signs of Autism Identified in Infants We can recognize the early signs in autism for children as young as 6 months old. These findings will lead to better early treatments for early treatments for the disorder. Early findings can lead to more effective treatment.	Lihuei Wei, Early Intervention Specialist, M.A. of Special Education
November 19 1 - 3pm	SMILE - Dental Hygiene Challenges for children with special needs How to help our children with special needs keep healthy and clean teeth through regular check ups and special treatments.	Dr. Yee-Ming Wu, DDS, MS
November 26 1 - 3pm	Reveal the mystery of Autism, the assessment and intervention for children with Autism Assessing developmental problems in children, understand the regular human development both in motor milestones and cognitive milestones, and the current evaluation tools for developmental disorders.	Dr. Ching H. Wang, M.D., Ph.D., Director of Pediatric Neuromuscular Clinic, Lucile Packard Children's Hospital
December 3 1 - 3pm	Independent Educational Evaluations Understand what Independent Educational Evaluations are, what you can learn from them, and how they can help your child to develop effective and functional IEP goals and objectives.	Janet Rulifson, M.A., M.S., Education Specialist
December 10 1 - 3pm	Floor Time - a special play time with your child During this period, play is a spontaneous, unstructured activity when you get down on the floor with the child and try to follow his/her lead. Your initial goal is to tune in to whatever motivates or is of interest to the child.	Dr. Ilene Lee
December 17 1 - 3pm	Supports for Children with Autism Spectrum Disorders in Home and School Settings This presentation will address supports that have been identified in the research literature as effective across home and school settings. In particular, this session will explore ways to support the development of children with autism at school as well as offer strategies for parents to create opportunities for their children to learn at home.	Jamie Cho, Ph.D. Candidate, Joint Doctoral Program in Special Education, UC Berkeley and San Francisco State