



The National Association of Young People Who Stutter

Interactive One-Day Conference

children's programs • group activities • small discussion groups • panel presentations



Saturday, May 30, 2020

9:30am - 4:00pm



Lehman College, Speech Theatre Building

East Dining Room: 1st Floor

250 Bedford Park Blvd West, Bronx, NY 10468

The FRIENDS one-day conference is a wonderful opportunity for families to come together & learn about stuttering while meeting others who are dealing with similar struggles. Children's programming is activity-based and focuses on feelings & strategies for dealing with stuttering. Facilitated by speech-language pathologists & members of the adult stuttering community.



Individuals Who Stutter

Children, Teens, Young Adults

Meet others who stutter, learn about stuttering and ways to increase your confidence in communicating, and have fun talking.



Parents

Of children, teens, & adults

Learn how to best support your child, meet other parents of children who stutter and share experiences / concerns with people who "get it."



SLPs and Students

Undergraduate & Graduate

Learn more about stuttering, current treatments and the support available to people who stutter, earn 0.5 ASHA CEUs

Register online at www.friendswhostutter.org

If you stutter, you have FRIENDS.

 **Friends** is a national non-profit, volunteer organization providing support and education for individuals who stutter, their families, and professionals



PRESENTERS & FACILITATORS

Heather Grossman, Ph.D., CCC-SLP, BCF-S is the Director of the American Institute for Stuttering in NYC. She was among the initial select group of therapists to be recognized as a specialist in stuttering and has worked with people who stutter and their families for over 25 years. She has extensive experience as a teaching professor, supervisor, and researcher and is proud to be a regular presenter at FRIENDS annual conventions and one-day conferences.

Lee Caggiano, M.A., CCC-SLP, BCS-F is the co-founder and director of FRIENDS. She has developed and coordinated workshops for children who stutter, families, and professionals for the past twenty-five years. She has presented at local and national conferences regarding the needs of children who stutter. Lee is a Board-Certified Specialist in Fluency Disorders and Director of the Stuttering Therapy and Resources of Northern Colorado. Lee is an adjunct professor at NYU and Queens College.

Cheryl Goettsche, M.S., CCC-SLP serves as the FRIENDS Outreach Coordinator. She is a lecturer and clinical supervisor in the Department of Speech-Language-Hearing Sciences at Lehman College in NYC. Cheryl has been involved with Friends since 2001. She is the mother of a young man who stutters. He was her motivation to go back to school and complete her education.

Before 4/30/20	After 4/30/20	Special SLP Registration Fee:
\$35 Individual	\$40 Individual	\$50 when registering with client's family
\$45 Family	\$50 Family	
\$80 SLP - CEUs	\$85 SLP - CEUs	Financial assistance is available for any conference participant
\$25 Grad Students	\$25 Grad Students	

*Reg. fee includes a pizza lunch (note: please kindly bring your own lunch if you have dietary restrictions)

FOR SPEECH PATHOLOGISTS AND STUDENTS

CONFERENCE OBJECTIVES for CEUs



The Stuttering Foundation of America is approved by the Continuing Education Board of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association (ASHA) to provide continuing education activities in speech-language pathology and audiology. **See course information for number of ASHA CEUs, instructional level and content area.** ASHA CE Provider approval does not imply endorsement of course content, specific products or clinical procedures.

This activity is offered for 0.5 ASHA CEUs (Intermediate level, Professional area)

At the completion of the conference, participants will demonstrate the ability to:

- Describe effective intervention strategies for children who stutter and their families.
- Understand need for management approach to childhood stuttering that includes parents, professionals and support networks.
- Identify specific social and clinical strategies for supporting children who stutter and their families.

Any questions? Contact Sara MacIntyre at sara@friendswhostutter.org



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