



**AUTISM AND SAFETY ISSUES – WHAT PARENTS, CAREGIVERS,  
COMMUNITY PROVIDERS AND SCHOOL PERSONNEL NEED TO KNOW**

**PRESENTER: DENNIS DEBBAUDT**

**DO YOU KNOW ALL THE THINGS YOU NEED TO KNOW TO KEEP OUR  
CHILDREN AND ADULTS WITH ASD SAFE?**

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FEBRUARY 9, 2008  
SNOW DATE MAY 17, 2008

TIMES: 9:00 AM REGISTRATION  
WORKSHOP: 9:30 AM – 1:00 PM  
FEES: \$45 *Includes continental breakfast*

TO BE HELD AT: CENTRAL CT STATE UNIVERSITY CAMPUS, NEW BRITAIN, CT

To register by phone or credit card, call ASRC (203)265-7717. Questions about this workshop should only be made to The Connecticut Autism Spectrum Resource Center. Please ask for Lois Rosenwald.

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REGISTRATION FEE: \$45.00 *Includes continental breakfast*

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: JANUARY 21, 2008 *(NO refunds or cancellations after January 21, 2008)*

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## About Dennis Debbaudt

Dennis Debbaudt is the father of a young man with autism, and has been a professional investigator and journalist for 28 years. Over the past 11 years, he has trained and developed training materials for law enforcement, first response, and criminal justice professionals throughout the U.S., Canada, and the U.K. He has authored numerous articles and books including *Autism, Advocates and Law Enforcement Professionals: Recognizing and Reducing Risk Situations for People with Autism Spectrum Disorders* (Jessica Kingsley Publishers, 2002) and *Contact with Individuals with Autism: Effective Resolutions* with Darla Rothman for the FBI Law Enforcement Bulletin (2001). Among many other accolades, his workshops have been certified for law enforcement credits in CA, GA, ID, IL, IN, MI, MO, NH, NM, OR, and TX. His Autism and Law Enforcement Video and Handout are in use by Dept. of Homeland Security, PA State Police, Philadelphia PD, Boston Police Academy, Portland Police Bureau, Cincinnati PD, Virginia Beach PD, Palm and many other agencies throughout the U.S. including the New Haven CT PD. Dennis is a lively, well-informed, creative, and passionate presenter. Debbaudt's training offers tips and options for communications, and responses designed to successfully resolve a call involving a person with an autism spectrum disorder (ASD) – autism, PDD-NOS, and Asperger's syndrome. Everyone will come away with a good, practical understanding of the best approaches when they interact with children and adults who are affected by autism spectrum disorders.