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Pediatric Therapy Network™  
1815 W. 213th Suite 100  
Torrance, CA 90501  
Attn: Jill Gisselere

FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT PTN™  
visit [www.pediatrictherapynetwork.org](http://www.pediatrictherapynetwork.org)

FOR QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS PROGRAM  
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**Pediatric Therapy Network**

### A WORD ABOUT

**Pediatric Therapy Network™**

Pediatric Therapy Network is a non-profit therapy center serving more than 1000 families in the Southern Los Angeles area. Proceeds of this conference will go directly to supporting therapy services including scholarships, education, supplies and research.

# Buddy Club Builders™

*Hands-On  
Social Skills  
Training Seminar*

**March 25–26, 2006**

JERSEY CITY, NEW JERSEY

**April 8–9, 2006**

SKOKIE, ILLINOIS

**August 12–13, 2006**

TORRANCE, CALIFORNIA

### PRESENTERS

Annie Baltazar, OTD, OTR/L  
Danette Piantanida, MA, CCC-SLP



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## WHO SHOULD ATTEND

This introductory course is designed for occupational therapists, physical therapists, speech language pathologists, counselors, educators, administrators and other health care professionals working with children and adolescents who face challenges with social interactions.

## LEARNING OBJECTIVES

Upon completion, participants will be able to:

- assess and identify contributors to social challenges;
- develop and adapt materials and strategies used to facilitate social skills;
- design a social skills program specific to the needs of clients in home, school and community settings; and
- provide parent and teacher education

## ABOUT BUDDY CLUB™

The content from this seminar is based on Buddy Club™, a successful ongoing social skills training program at PTN™. This program originated through identified clinical needs. The tools and strategies were designed through collaboration between PTN™ staff and families and continue to successfully support children and their social experiences.

**SOCIAL SKILLS  
ARE NECESSARY  
IN EVERY ASPECT OF LIFE**

## COURSE SCHEDULE

8:30 – 9:30

### Registration and Continental Breakfast

9:00 – 12:00

### Social Skills Seminar

Introduction of core concepts of social skill development and contexts in which social skills occur. Information and discussion surrounding program development.

12:00 – 1:00

### Lunch on your own

1:00 – 4:00

### Presentation and Discussion

... of the following specific tools and strategies that include: thought bubbles; personal space; body talk; taking a break; turn-taking; problem solving; topic maintenance; playground games; conflict resolution; and staying in the game.

### Social Skills Materials Workshop

Develop materials to take home for immediate application in your own setting.

*Lasting friendships  
improve quality of life.*



## COURSE LOCATIONS

### March 25–26, 2006

The Doubletree Club Suites • 201.499.2400  
455 Washington Blvd., Jersey City, NJ 07310

### April 8–9, 2006

The Holiday Inn Chicago–Skokie • 847.679.8900  
5300 West Touhy, Skokie, IL 60077

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*Please contact hotel directly for room reservations.*

*For hotel recommendations in Torrance, contact*

*Jill Gisselere at Pediatric Therapy Network:  
310.328-0276.*

## COURSE FEE

**\$350.00**

**\$315.00**

AOTA member discount

*Deadline for Registration:*

March 15, 2006 Jersey City

March 30, 2006 Chicago

July 28, 2006 Torrance

## UPON COMPLETION THE PARTICIPANT WILL:

- 1) experience and learn to facilitate social skills groups;
- 2) have an educational packet of materials sufficient to implement a social skills program for the entire school year; and
- 3) receive a Certificate of Completion for 12-contact hours and 1.2 CEU's through AOTA.

