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## **Feeding Problems in Young Children: A Motor Learning Approach to Treatment**

Presented in Two Evenings by

**Genie Rogers MA CCC-SLP, BCS-S**

**Wednesday July 12, 2017  
& Wednesday July 19, 2017**

Registration and Light Supper : **5:15 PM– 5:45 PM**

Course begins promptly at **5:45 PM -9:00 PM**

**Challenge Early Intervention Center**  
**649 39th Street Brooklyn NY 11232**

Course provides 6 Professional Development Hrs for NYS DOH Early Intervention Providers  
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**Feeding Problems in Young Children: A Motor Learning Approach to Treatment**  
*Presented by Genie Rogers MA CCC-SLP, BCS-S*

**Course Description:**

A basic, introductory level workshop, provided in two sessions, on the topic of feeding problems in young children. Areas of discussion include physiology of swallowing, normal development of feeding skills in young children, and etiology, assessment and treatment of feeding disorders. Feeding techniques, treatment of feeding refusal behavior, increasing caloric intake and adding new foods into the diet, positioning for stability and parent involvement will be covered. Instructional methods include lecture, case studies, handouts, powerpoint presentation, videos and discussion.

**Who Should Attend?** Course material is appropriate for Special Instructors, SLPs, OTs, Nutritionists, Social Workers, Psychologists and all related professionals who seek to gain a basic introduction to the subject of Feeding Problems in Young Treatment and Treatment approaches.

**Learning Objectives – Upon completion, Participants will be able to:**

- Identify underlying issues in assessment of feeding problems with behavioral difficulties.
- Identify different types of reinforcement which can be used in a behavioral feeding intervention.
- Describe the principles of behavioral programming and determine where to start when initiating a feeding program.
- Demonstrate clinical skills for implementing behavioral feeding programs for advancing textures from purees to solids.
- Develop criteria for selecting new foods for inclusion in a behavioral feeding program.

**About Genie (Eugenia) Rogers:** Ms. Rogers is a practicing pediatric speech language pathologist specializing in oral motor and feeding problems. She is highly experienced in working with babies in the NICU and received certification through the Newborn Individualized Developmental Care & Assessment Program (NDCAP). She has over 30 years experience providing speech, oral motor, language and developmental feeding therapies to infants and toddlers through Early Intervention. Ms. Rogers is a Board Certified Specialist in Swallowing and Swallowing Disorders through ASHA. She is the Clinical Speech Supervisor at Step By Step Infant Development Center. She is an Adjunct Professor at Teachers College, Columbia University and Touro College's Graduate Speech Program. She has presented numerous workshops on a variety of topic including *Normal Feeding Skills and Swallowing Disorders: Birth to Three*; *Developing Breast and Bottle Feeding in the NICU*; *Behavioral Feeding and Communication Skill Development in Early Intervention*.

**Seminar Registration:** Individual and group Registration available on our website: challenge-ei.com. For assistance, please call 718-851-3300 ext 155. Payment must be received to confirm registration. Registration Fees include CEUs, handout materials, light breakfast and lunch. All food is Kosher, under Supervision of Rabbi Babad.

Individual: \$225.00

Group of 2: \$205.00/person

Group of 5+: \$195.00/person

**CHALLENGE AFFILIATED THERAPISTS may register at a special rate of \$185.00.**

*(Must be currently working with children through Challenge  
or have done so in the past 3 years.)*

**Cancellation Policy:** Tuition will be refunded less a \$25.00 processing fee, if written notification is received by Challenge up to two weeks prior to the seminar. Two weeks to 72 hours prior to seminar date 50% refund; 72 hours or less no refund.