

Liliana Sins, M.Ed.
Junior ABA Consultant & Lead ABA/VB Instructor

Education

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| September 2006 | Completed supervision requirements for eligibility to sit for the BCBA [®] examination |
| January 2006 | Master's in Special Education with emphasis in ABA, George Mason University, Fairfax, VA |
| August 2004 | Bachelor's of Arts in Psychology, George Mason University, Fairfax, VA |

Employment

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| 2005 - Present | Junior Consultant, <i>Dower and Associates, Inc.</i>, Manassas, VA <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Develop, implement, and update programs as needed in ABA/VB home programs under the supervision of a BCBA[®]• Conduct and attend team meetings in ABA/VB home programs• Assist in training other instructors, parents, and school personnel• Conduct Functional Behavior Analyses to investigate the cause of aberrant behavior and implement interventions to reduce them |
| 2004- Present | ABA/VB Lead Instructor, <i>Dower and Associates, Inc.</i>, Manassas, VA <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Provide 1:1 ABA/VB instruction to children with autism using the ABLLS and the ABLLS[™]-R as a curriculum guide under the supervision of a BCBA[®]• Use errorless teaching during intensive teaching and natural environment teaching to enhance communication and social skills• Collect, organize and graph data each session to ensure the individual's home based program is current and efficient and make instructional changes as needed• Use sign language to enhance communication in children with autism• Coordinate and update programs as needed• Issue reports to the primary consultant regarding the progress of clients• Attend team meetings to further refine techniques in ABA/VB• Work closely with families as an effort to maximize progress• Conduct observations of children with autism spectrum disorders in their public classroom environment, including writing detailed reports of such observations• Attend at IEP meetings, including reviewing and suggesting revisions to proposed IEP goals and objectives• Provide social skills training and behavioral support with children with autism spectrum disorder in various environments in their communities |

- 2003-2004** **Shadow for Child with Autism in Private Preschool,** **Northern Virginia, VA**
- Guided child as needed in the classroom's daily routine
 - Facilitated communication between child and peers
 - Assisted child in the classroom's tasks as needed
 - Worked closely with teachers to maximize learning experience
 - Issued daily reports to parents regarding progress
- 2003-2004** **Private ABA/VB Instructor,** **Northern Virginia, VA**
- Worked under the supervision of an associate of Dr. Carbone, BCBA[®] to implement the principles of ABA/VB
 - Provided 1:1 ABA/VB instruction to children with autism using the ABLLS as a curriculum guide
 - Used errorless teaching during intensive teaching and natural environment teaching to enhance communication and social skills
 - Coordinated and updated programs
 - Issued reports to the consultants regarding the progress of clients
 - Worked closely with families as an effort to maximize progress

Continuing Education, Workshop Attendance and Trainings

Language Intervention for Children with Autism Based on the VB-MAPP

Presenter: Dr. Mark Sundberg, BCBA[®]
 Annandale, VA
 March 2008

ABA-Verbal Behavior 2007: Where We Have Come and Where We Should Go

Presenter: Patrick McGreevy, Ph.D., BCBA[®]
 Reston, VA
 November 2007

Managing Problem Behaviors in the School and Home Settings

Presenter: Thomas Caffrey, MEd, BCBA[®]
 Leesburg, VA
 June 2007

ABLLS[™]-R Workshop: The Revised ABLLS: An Analysis of the Content Changes and Implications for Program Planning

Presenter: Dr. James Partington, BCBA[®]
 Ashburn, VA
 December 2006

SRA/McGraw-Hill: Reading Mastery Classic I, II, & FC: Initial Training

Presenter: Pam Smith
 Woodbridge, VA
 August 24-25, 2006

IDEA 2004: What you don't know CAN hurt you!

Presenter: Peter Wright, Esq.
George Mason University, Manassas, VA
February 20, 2006

Verbal Behavior: New Findings from the Field

Presenter: Mark Sundberg, BCBA
Herndon, VA
February 4-5 2006

Managing Problem Behavior in School & Home Settings

Presenter: Thomas M. Caffrey, M.Ed., BCBA[®]
Reston, VA
August 25-26 2005

Teaching Verbal Behavior in the Natural Environment

Presenters: Holly Kibbe, BCABA[®] & Cherish Twigg, BCABA[®]
Arlington, VA
July 14-15 2005

Teaching Verbal Behavior in the Classroom: An Overview

Presenter: Thomas M. Caffrey, M.Ed., BCBA[®]
Fairfax, VA
May 20, 2005

Promoting Functional Communication and Interactions in Children with Autism

Presenter: Tamara Kasper, MS, CCC-SLP, BCABA[®]
Charlotte, NC
March 11, 2005

Workshop 4: Hands on Training for Tutors and Therapists

Presenters: Holly Kibbe, BCABA[®] & Cherish Richards, BCABA[®]
Dulles, VA
February 16-18 2004

Applied Verbal Behavior Overview

Presenter: Nikia Dower, MS, CCC-SLP/L
Purcellville, VA
January 2004

Effective Shadowing Techniques in the School, Home, and Work Setting

Presenters: Noel Woolard, M.Ed., and Jill Aldrich, B.S., TAP-VA
August 11, 2003

Workshop 1: Introduction to Verbal Behavior

Presenter: Dr. Vincent Carbone, BCBA[®]
Reston, VA
March 15-17 2003

Presentations

ABA 101: An Introduction to Applied Behavior Analysis and Verbal Behavior

Presented with: Deborah Lawhorne, BS, SLPA, BCABA[®] and Claire Hess, BS

Manassas, VA

February 9, 2006

Languages

English, Spanish, Proficient in American Sign Language