

## Fragile X Syndrome Workshop



for families, carers and allied health professionals

The Bentleigh Club, 33 Yawla Street, Bentleigh Friday 27 March 2015

**Program Overview** 

8:30 - 9:00	Registration
9:00 - 9:30	<b>Overview of Fragile X Syndrome</b> - Dr Jonathan Cohen, Medical Director, Fragile X Alliance Clinic
9:30 - 12:30	Behavioural Perspectives - Dr Marcia Braden, Ph.D., P.C.
	Understanding the Behavioural Traits of Fragile X Syndrome
	<ul> <li>Behaviour Management</li> <li>* Developing a behaviour plan</li> <li>* Factors for successful interventions at home and at school</li> <li>* Behavioural aspects throughout life</li> </ul>
Morning tea	A Young Adult's Perspective Michael Cohen
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	Behaviour Management continued * Case studies with a description of the process
Lunch break	case stadies with a description of the process
1:00 – 2:00	Therapy Perspectives
	<b>Communicating the Fragile X Way</b> Bev Sher, Speech and Language Pathologist, Fragile X Alliance Clinic
	<b>How Sensory Processing Affects Behaviour</b> Bev Kadish, Occupational Therapist, Fragile X Alliance Clinic
2:10 - 4:00	Educational Perspectives - Dr Marcia Braden, Ph.D., P.C.
	Successful Learning Environments * Creating a positive environment to support learning * The different programming from centre-based instruction to full inclusion Teaching Methods and Strategies that Really Work * Fragile X cognitive traits and learning style
	<ul> <li>* How to develop materials using high interest content</li> </ul>
	Q&A
	An opportunity to ask questions directly of Dr Braden. Questions may be submitted in advance.
4:00 - 4:30	Fragile X Update - Dr Jonathan Cohen, Medical Director, Fragile X Alliance Clinic
	Medications
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	Testing and Screening for Fragile X

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