  

**SPIN It to Win It!**

Special Parent Information Network 1010 Richards Street, Room 118

Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

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**Saturday, April 21, 2018**

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## 8:30 am-3:30 pm • UH Campus Center

**A statewide conference for families of children with disabilities.**

**• • • Look inside to see our**

**exciting program.**

#### 32nd Annual SPIN Conference

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| **Power Up** | Adapting Games with Assistive Technology |
| **Connect 4 Keiki** | Early Intervention Transition |
| **Phone a Friend** | Coping Strategies for Families |
| **Learning the Rules of the Game** | Social and Emotional Learning |
| **Inclusion:** | Inclusive Education |
| **Level Up** | Transition to |

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| **Stratego** | Estate & Benefits Planning |
| **Hungry, Hungry Hippos** | Helping Picky Eaters (to age 8) |
| **I’ll Take BLISS for $500** | Mindful Meditation |
| **Chutes &** | Universal Design for Learning |
| **Clue** | Literacy Strategies |
| **Jenga** | Positive Behavioral |

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**(closes @ 1:00 p.m.)**

* **Awards Presentation**

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| **Master Mind** | Understanding Executive Functioning |
| **Game Changer** | Mental Health First Aid for Depression & Anxiety |
| **The Game of Life** | Life Course Planning for Individuals with I/DD |
| **Bringing Your** | Strategies to Support |

**REGISTRATION**

**(Please print clearly)**

Name Address City Zip Phone: (h) (c) (w) E-mail Child’s Age Disability

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**Saturday, April 21, 2018, UH Campus Center Ballroom**

**Registration/Boardwalk of Resources**

**9:45 a.m. - 10:15 a.m. Visit the Boardwalk of Resources**

**10:20 a.m. - 11:20 a.m.**

**Visit the Boardwalk of Resources Luncheon Buffet in the Ballroom**

r Please register me for the Conference. Make checks, money orders or purchase orders payable to SPIN. (We are unable to accept credit card payments).

 Enclosed is my registration fee: $25 per parent ($45 for two family members together) or $40 per professional. Amount enclosed or Purchase Order # .

**Keynote Presentation**

r I am a Neighbor Island parent/grandparent of a child with a disability and would like an airfare scholarship. ( All scholarships are based upon availability and completion of SPIN’S Airfare Scholarship Form).

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###### Airfare Scholarships are limited, so apply early!

r I need a map to the Campus Center.

**11:30 a.m.**

**12:00 p.m. - 1:15 p.m.**

**1:20 p.m. - 2:20 p.m.**

r I need an accommodation due to a disability:

**8:30 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.**

**9:00 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.**

**2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.**

r materials in an alternative format (Braille, tape, etc.)\*

r sign language interpreter\*

r map of accessible parking stalls for persons with disabilities

**Game On!**

r other:

\*REQUESTS FOR THIS DISABILITY ACCOMMODATION SHOULD BE SUBMITTED BY APRIL 2, 2018 TO ENSURE AVAILABILITY.

Students with Autism

###### Send completed forms with payment as soon as possible to:

**‘A’ Game**

SPIN, 1010 Richard St., Room 118, Honolulu, HI 96813

Adulthood

Supports

**Round 3**

Fax: (808) 586-8129

E-mail: spin@doh.hawaii.gov Phone: (808) 586-8126

**Round 1**

**Round 2**

###### vRegister Early to Guarantee A Seat!v

**ROUND 3 2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.**

**BRINGING YOUR ‘A’ GAME **

**Communication Strategies to Support Students with Autism** will provide evidence based information and ways to elicit effective communication between your child and those around them.

**THE GAME OF LIFE **

A new tool in the Developmental Disabilities Division is the **Life Course Planning for Individuals with DD/ID.** This exciting new program will help families and individuals plan out support and services using a wide variety of natural, community and social supports.


##### GAME CHANGER

**Mental Health First Aid for Depression and Anxiety** is a skill all of us can learn. This workshop will provide an overview of the Mental Health First Aid class and include ways to spot depression and anxiety in our youth. Knowing what to look for and how to approach a young person in need can make all the difference.

##### MASTER MIND

**Understanding Executive Functions** is the key to helping keiki keep track of time, make plans, finish work on time, analyze ideas and more. Get some great ideas and tools to help your child improve their impulse control, flexibility and working memory - skills all kids can benefit from.

Don’t forget to visit the **BOARDWALK OF RESOURCES,** with displays from our Community Partners! We are expecting over 60 tables representing government and private organizations. Look for a special program booklet when you sign in to help locate agencies

and programs and find who you’re looking for!

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or the past 32 years the annual SPIN conference has given parents and grandparents the opportunity to meet

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and network with other families and professionals while learning about resources and strategies that can improve their lives and the lives of their children. This year’s conference is using the theme of **family games** for fun and decoration, and also to symbolize that spinning the wheel of knowledge is a powerful and winning path to improved quality of life and relationships.

**HOW TO USE THIS FAMILY GUIDE TO GAMES & LEARNING**

The Conference includes 16 workshops organized into three sessions called **ROUNDS.** The first two **ROUNDS** offer 6 workshops of varying topics and complexity while the last **ROUND** has 4 workshops (3 of which are about specific disabilities). Look at the Conference Schedule inside the front page to see your workshop choices for each **ROUND**. Then look up a description of workshops and check the program key to see what age group is covered in the presentations.

**PROGRAM KEY:**

Early Intervention/Preschool =  Elementary = 

Middle/High School =

Check us out on the web:

###### [www.spinhawaii.org](http://www.spinhawaii.org/)

for local events, resources and educational news!

Like us on **Facebook SPIN - Special Parent Information Network** to talk story and share!

All Age Groups =

NOTE: Workshops are subject to change.

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**ROUND 1 10:20 a.m. - 11:20 a.m.**

**LEVEL UP**

**Transitioning to Adult** services can be stressful for both parents and students. This workshop will provide you tips, how-to’s and insight on making the transition easier for your student to ‘level up’ into adulthood.

**INCLUSION: GAME ON!**

Having more **Inclusive Classrooms** is a goal for the DOE and parents alike. This workshop will explain what inclusion is and what it isn’t, how all children can benefit from being included with their peers and why it’s important to have the right supports in place for inclusion to work.

**LEARNING THE RULES OF THE GAME **

**Social and Emotional Learning** is the process of gaining and applying skills like understanding and managing emotions, setting and achieving positive goals, showing empathy for others, establishing and maintaining positive relationships and making responsible decisions. Pick up strategies for home and how to connect them with school life.

##### PHONE A FRIEND

In this workshop, you will be learning **Coping Strategies for Families** with take-home tips and techniques to deal with the stresses that can break a family’s trust and resilience. Find out how to grow your support networks, increase meaningful communication and share the load.

##### CONNECT 4 KEIKI

The **Transition from Early Intervention to Preschool** is a game changer for many families. Drop in to find out about the process and choices you have to connect your keiki to DOE or private preschool and hear from parents who have made the transition successfully.

##### POWER UP

Slide over to this workshop to learn how **Adapting Games with Assistive Technology** can be fun and easy. A specialist will show you simple ways for you child to be included in games for learning and play using add-ons, built-in accommodations and a little thinking out of the box.

**ROUND 2 1:20 p.m. - 2:20 p.m.**

##### JENGA

**Positive Behavioral Support** is used as a behavioral management system to understand why a student has continued challenging behavior and how to change the behavior using positive reinforcements. This class

will give you tips, tricks and helpful ideas to build a foundation for your keiki to grow their communication, social and self-management skills.

##### CLUE

There are several common **Literacy Strategies** you can use to help your child in phonics, fluency, vocabulary, comprehension and writing. This workshop will provide you with strategies you can take home and start using today.


##### CHUTES AND LADDERS

What is **Universal Design for Learning** and how can it help your keiki? Come to this workshop and find out how teachers are using UDL

to present information in a variety of ways to engage students and how students can share what they learned in diverse ways.

##### I’LL TAKE BLISS FOR $500

A great way for decreasing your stress levels is to learn techniques for **Mindful Meditation.** Join us to find your center, improve your breath- ing skills and calm your mind while taking in the art of being mindful to your surroundings and how you interact with the world.


##### HUNGRY, HUNGRY HIPPOS

Keeping your patience while **Helping Picky Eaters** can be trying at best. This workshop will focus on children up to 8 years old, giving parents and caregivers some constructive tips and tricks to inspire a healthy appetite.

##### STRATEGO

Many families wonder and worry over **Estate and Benefits Planning.** How do I get started? How will it affect my child’s benefits? How long will it last? The answers to these and other questions can be found if you attend this workshop.