

## DIRECTIONS

**Englewood Hospital & Medical Center**  
**350 Engle Street**  
**Englewood, NJ 07631**

**From Garden State Parkway South:** South to exit 163. Take Route 17 South to Route 4 East exit. On Route 4 East, take second Grand Avenue exit (Grand Avenue/Englewood). At stop sign, make right. Grand Avenue becomes Engle Street. Englewood Hospital and Medical Center is on the left.

**From Palisades Interstate Parkway:** Take Parkway South to exit 1 (Englewood). Exit onto Palisade Avenue and follow to Engle Street. Make right onto Engle Street. Englewood Hospital and Medical Center is one mile ahead on the left.

**From 9W North: 9W North to Palisade Avenue.** Make left onto Palisade Avenue and follow to Engle Street. Make right on Engle Street. Englewood Hospital and Medical Center is one mile ahead on the left.

**From 9W South: 9W South to Palisade Avenue.** Turn right on Palisade Avenue and follow to Engle Street. Make right on Engle Street. Englewood Hospital and Medical Center is one mile ahead on the left.

**From George Washington Bridge:** Follow signs to Route 4 West. On Route 4 West, take first Grand Avenue exit (Grand Avenue/Englewood). Grand Avenue becomes Engle Street. Englewood Hospital and Medical Center is ahead on the left.

**From Route 17 South:** Take Route 4 East exit. On Route 4, take second Grand Avenue exit (Grand Avenue/Englewood). Make right at stop sign. Grand Avenue becomes Engle Street. Englewood Hospital and Medical Center is ahead on the left.

**From Old Hook Road:** Travel East on Old Hook Road (CR-502). Old Hook Road becomes High Street. Take High Street to Knickerbocker Road. Turn right onto Knickerbocker Road (CR-505). Pass through one roundabout. In Englewood, turn left onto Ivy Lane. Turn right onto Dean Street. Englewood Hospital and Medical Center is ahead on the left.

## SPEAKER BIOGRAPHY

### **Dr. Marjorie Gillis**

**Senior Scientist and Project Director of  
the Literacy Institute  
at Haskins Laboratories**

Dr. Margie Gillis, Senior Scientist at Haskins Laboratories and President of Literacy How, has been teaching children of all ages to read for 35 years. She worked as a special educator in public as well as private schools for 20 years and became a certified Academic Language Therapist during that time. In 1998, Margie earned her Doctorate of Education in Special Education from the University of Louisville where she began her work training teachers of reading. In 2000, she became an Early Reading Success Fellow at Haskins Laboratories and in 2009 she founded Literacy How to continue the professional development work she began at Haskins.

## CO-SPONSORS

The International Dyslexia Association is a non-profit Scientific and Education organization for the study and treatment of children with specific language disability (dyslexia). The Association does not endorse any specific program; it supports efforts to provide dyslexic individuals with appropriate instruction and to identify these individuals at an early age.

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The mission of the New Jersey Speech-Language-Hearing Association (NJSHA) is to serve audiologists, speech-language pathologists, and speech, language or hearing scientists by providing resources, information, programs, and services that meet members' needs; promoting public awareness; and advocating for professional standards, legislation, and regulation necessary to provide the highest quality of care for the individuals they serve.

## QUESTIONS

Contact us at 908-876-1179 or  
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**The New Jersey Branch of  
The International Dyslexia  
Association**

*and*

**New Jersey  
Speech-Language-Hearing  
Association**

*Present*

## **Reading Instruction: A Vision for the Future**

*Saturday, October 2, 2010*

*8:15 am - 3:30 pm*

*Englewood Hospital & Medical Center  
Chiang Auditorium*

**0.5 CEUs**

**5 Professional Development Hours**

## SCHEDULE

8:15-8:45	REGISTRATION Coffee
8:45-9:00	WELCOME: Georgette Dickman, MA Deadra Ledet-Rosenberg, MA President NJIDA Theresa Bartolotta, PhD CCC-SLP President NJSHA INTRODUCTION Mae J. Balaban, EdD
9:00-10:30	TEACHER KNOWLEDGE: What teachers have not been taught
10:30-10:45	Break
10:45-12:15	A TWO PRONGED APPROACH TO CLOSING THE TEACHER KNOWLEDGE GAP
12:15-1:00	LUNCH—provided
1:00-1:15	AWARDS CEREMONY Presenter G. Emerson Dickman, JD
1:15-2:45	RESEARCH-BASED STRATEGIES FOR COMPREHENSIVE LITERACY INSTRUCTION
2:45-3:00	Break
3:00-3:30	SUMMARY & DISCUSSION
3:30	ADJOURN

## LEARNING OUTCOMES

Participants will:

1. Identify current research related to theory and instructional methods for promoting reading proficiency.
2. Discuss the various certification policies related to reading specialties among professionals.
3. Define the core components of comprehensive reading instruction and discuss methods for each element.
4. Discuss how to develop a “call to action” plan to improve reading education in the state of New Jersey.

## COURSE DESCRIPTION

This conference will present the current research on literacy instruction ... what teachers need to know and be able to do. The five core components of reading instruction —phonemic awareness, phonics, fluency, vocabulary, text comprehension as well as oral language and written expression will be discussed. Teacher training programs, legislative actions and policies along with the model for teacher preparation that was eventually adopted in CT will also be presented.



The New Jersey Speech-Language-Hearing Association is approved by the Continuing Education Board of the American Speech-Language-Hearing Association (ASHA) to provide continuing education activities in speech-language pathology and audiology. **See course information for number of ASHA CEUs, instructional level and content area.** ASHA CE Provider approval does not imply endorsement of course content, specific products or clinical procedures.

This course is offered for 0.5 ASHA CEUs  
(Intermediate Level, Related Area).

## REGISTRATION

**DEADLINE for registration is September 24, 2010. There will be no registration at the door.**

**EARLY REGISTRATION: Postmarked by August 16, 2010.**

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE NUMBER: \_\_\_\_\_

JOB TITLE: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ \$55 EARLY REGISTRATION

\_\_\_\_\_ \$65 POSTMARKED BY 9/24

\_\_\_\_\_ \$ 5 CEU FEE (PAYABLE AT DOOR)

**Return this form with a check or purchase order postmarked no later than 9/24/10 payable to:**

NJIDA -Reading Conference  
PO Box 32  
Long Valley, NJ 07853

**You will not receive confirmation.**

**Registration includes coffee, buffet lunch, and complimentary parking.**

**Must attend entire day. No partial credit given.**

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