## **Resources On Asperger's Syndrome:**

www.socialthinking.com http://www.ninds.nih.gov/disorders/pdd/pdd.htm

www.aspergerssyndrome.org <a href="http://www.childbrain.com/pdd.shtml">http://www.childbrain.com/pdd.shtml</a>

<u>www.nlda.org</u> <u>http://www.thegraycenter.org/social-stories</u>

<u>www.aspirationsnewsletter.com</u> (parenting asperger's info online)

http://www.aspergers.com/index.htm

http://www.ninds.nih.gov/disorders/asperger/detail\_asperger.htm,

http://www.baltimorepsych.com/aspergers.htm,

http://aacap.org/page.ww?name=Aspergers%20Disorder&section=Facts+for+Families,

http://www.nativeremedies.com/aspergers-syndrome-asperger-

<u>disorder.shtml?ovchn=GGL&ovcpn=Google+main&ovcrn=asperger's&ovtac=PPC</u>

http://www.autisticadvocacy.org

Autism Info for parents, practitioners, and professionals <a href="http://www.travisithompson.net">http://www.travisithompson.net</a>

Autism Network International <a href="http://ani.autistics.org">http://ani.autistics.org</a>

Autism National Committee (AUTCOM) http://www.autcom.org

The Autism Acceptance Project <a href="http://www.taaproject.com/">http://www.taaproject.com/</a>

Aspies for Freedom <a href="http://www.aspiesforfreedom.com">http://www.aspiesforfreedom.com</a>

"the REAL voice of autism" <a href="http://www.autistics.org">http://www.autistics.org</a>

The Autism Society of America (ASA)

www.AutismSpeaks.org <a href="http://www.AutismSpeaks.org">http://www.AutismSpeaks.org</a>

www.firstsigns.org < http://www.firstsigns.org >

www.aautismsocietyofamerica.com <a href="http://www.aautismsocietyofamerica.com">http://www.aautismsocietyofamerica.com</a>

www.defeatautismnow.org < <a href="http://www.defeatautismnow.org">http://www.defeatautismnow.org</a>>

www.autismresearchinstitute.com <a href="http://www.autismresearchinstitute.com">http://www.autismresearchinstitute.com</a>

http://www.nimh.nih.gov/health/publications/autism/complete-index.shtml

http://www.brainbalancecenters.com/2010/10/mri-might-screen-for-autism-by-showing-

communication-deficits/

Autism Awareness Video: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=x5m5vqrFZpc&feature=youtu.be

"Daily Asperger's Tips from Dave Angel" < dave@parentingaspergerscommunity.com >
For sensory processing issues: http://thehandleinstitute.wildapricot.org
The Government of British Colombia, Canada has a wonderful special education awareness website. http://www.bced.gov.bc.ca/specialed/sped\_res\_docs.htm/

http://childpsych.theclinics.com/issues
Child and Adolescent Psychiatric Clinics of North
America, January 2003, Vol. 12, Issue 1, entire issue on Asperger's, medication, stress
management, successful social-skill interventions

Checklist for parents and teachers to begin identifying a child with AS:

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Classroom Tips for Students with Asperger's Disorder and other information: http://www.schoolbehavior.com/disorders/aspergers-nld/

Apps for Autism - <a href="http://edudemic.com/2013/04/apps-for-children-with-autism-world-autism-day/">http://edudemic.com/2013/04/apps-for-children-with-autism-world-autism-day/</a>

Magazines: Spectrum OR Autism & Aspergers Digest Magazine

<u>Dr. Thompson's Straight Talk on Autism</u> by Travis Thompson, PHD and Paula Goldberg, Paul H Brookes Publishing Company, 2008

The Source for Asperger's Syndrome, by Timothy Kowalski, LinguiSystems, 2002

<u>Asperger's Syndrome: A Guide for Parents and Professionals,</u> by Tony Attwood, Jessica Kingsley Publishers, 1998

<u>Pretending to be Normal: Living with Asperger's Syndrome</u>, by Liane Holliday Willey, Jessica Kingsley Publishers, 1999

<u>Asperger's Syndrome in the Family: Redefining Normal</u>, by Liane Holliday Willey, Jessica Kingsley Publishers

Asperger's Syndrome and Adolescence: Helping Teens and Preteens Get Ready for the Real World, by Teresa Bolick, Ph.D., Fair Winds Press, 2001

<u>Asperger's Syndrome and Adolescence: Practical Solutions for School Success</u>, by Brenda Smith Myles and Diane Adreon, Autism Asperger Publishing Company, 2001

Helping A Child with Nonverbal Learning Diorder or Asperger's Syndrome: A Parent's Guide, 2<sup>nd</sup> edition, by Kathryn Stewart, Ph.D., New Harbinger Publications, Inc.

Asperger's Syndrome and Difficult Moments: Practical Solutions for Tantrums, Rages and Meltdowns, by Brenda Smith Myles and Jack Southwick, Autism Asperger Publishing Company, 1999

A Mind Apart: Understanding Children with Autism and Asperger Syndrome, by Peter Szatmari, MD, The Guilford Press, 2004

Right Address...Wrong Planet: Children with Asperger Syndrome Becoming Adults, by Gina P. Barnhill, Autism Asperger Publishiing Company, 2002

Teach Me Language: A Manual for Children with Autism, Asperger's Syndrome and related

developmental disorders, by Sabrina Freeman and Lorelei Drake

Asperger's What Does It Mean To Me? A workbook explaining Self-Awareness and Life
Lessons to the Child with High Functioning Autism or Asperger's - Structured Teaching
Ideas for Home and School by Catherine Faherty, www.futurehorizons-autism.com

<u>The Picture Communication Symbols Book</u> by Mayer-Johnson, Inc (ISBN-1-884135-12-9) www.mayer-johnson.com

<u>The Affect Based Language Curriculum</u> by Stanley Greenspan & Diane Lewis ALSO: anything on Social Stories and Social Communication

<u>Life Journey Through Autism: An Educator's Guide to Asperger Syndrome</u>, available from Organization for Autism Research, www.researchautism.org

<u>Asperger Syndrome: An Owner's Manual</u>--What You, Your Parents and Your Teachers Need to Know: An Interactive Guide and Workbook Ellen S. Heller Korin (Author)

<u>Asperger Syndrome An Owner's Manual 2</u> For Older Adolescents and Adults: What You, Your Parents and Friends, and Your Employer Need to Know [Paperback] Ellen S Heller Korin

Book of Social Rules by Jennifer O'Toole

Asper Kids by Christine Barnett

Thinking in Pictures: My Life with Autism, by Temple Grandin (2010)

It's So Much Work to be your Friend: Helping Children with Learning Disabilities fond Social Success by Rick LaVoie, Michele Reiner, Rob Reiner, & Mel Levine (2006)

<u>Autism Recovery Manual of Skills and Drills</u>, Elizabeth Burton Scott and Lynne Gillis by rdrpublishers, 2010

Article reviewing 3 new therapies for those with autism. Here is the introduction statement: "MRI studies have long shown that the autistic brain has a very small corpus collusum. The corpus collusum is responsible for cross-talk, or communication in the brain. Hence, the autistic brain is not wired to communicate within itself. Several new therapies seek to do just that." <a href="http://summit-education.com/general/alternative-therapies-emerge-in-wake-of-rising-autism-by-gary-m-eisenberg-ph-d/?utm\_source=SPEVIP&utm\_medium=Email&utm\_campaign=031610">http://summit-education.com/general/alternative-therapies-emerge-in-wake-of-rising-autism-by-gary-m-eisenberg-ph-d/?utm\_source=SPEVIP&utm\_medium=Email&utm\_campaign=031610</a>

An amazing lady in Austin, TX named Soma began the Halo Education Center because her son has autism. She discovered a way to help him communicate, called the Rapid Prompting Method. Tito was administered an educational evaluation and they discovered that he has an IQ of approximately 186. He has also published his poems.

Soma and Tito were featured on an HBO special. A mother in Iceland searched the world over to find a program that would help her reach her son (about 12 or 13). Soma worked with this

child for about a week with her Rapid Prompting Method. This child communicated to Soma that he yearned to learn how to play the piano. He began to tear up, (he is nonverbal), and using the rapid prompting method (an alphabetic stencil type of device and a pencil in his hand to point) spelled out that he had had the music inside of him since he was little. Soma believes that you should always sit on the right side of the student, one-on-one is most effective, and she uses questioning as one of her tools to reach these incredible people. She also stated that stemming decreases thinking ability. She was quite amazing to watch. Go to www.halo-soma.org <a href="http://www.halo-soma.org/">http://www.halo-soma.org/</a> for more information on Soma's program.