

**Registration deadline is**

**February 24<sup>th</sup>!**



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## **CHARGE and Challenging Behaviors**

Join us for a workshop on strategies for working with children who have CHARGE and challenging behaviors. Our presenter Dr. Kasee Stratton is an international presenter in the area of CHARGE Syndrome, severe multiple disabilities, and deaf-blindness. Dr. Stratton is an assistant professor in School Psychology at Mississippi State University. She is a licensed psychologist and nationally certified school psychologist. She completed her doctoral internship and post-doctoral fellowship at Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine and the Kennedy Krieger Institute in Baltimore, Maryland. Dr. Stratton specializes in providing behavioral assessment and treatment to children who present with a wide variety of developmental delays. She has spent 10 years researching CHARGE Syndrome and related behavioral difficulties.

**Who:** Parents/guardians, teachers, and educational service providers of children with CHARGE syndrome. We do not know if CEUs will be offered at this time.

**Registration is limited to 30 people. Student teams for children with CHARGE will be given registration preference.**

**What:** This workshop will cover general information about understanding CHARGE syndrome as well as the impact of challenging behaviors on learning.

**When:** Friday, March 4<sup>th</sup> from 12:00 pm – 4:00 pm  
Saturday, March 5<sup>th</sup> from 8:30 am – 3:30 pm – **lunch will be provided**

**Where:** Spring Hill Inn and Suites – a block of rooms will be held until February 19th.  
1236 Jordan Creek Pkwy - West Des Moines  
515-223-9005

**Registration:** Contact Susan Brennan, Deafblind Project Coordinator/Consultant  
Email the following information to Susan at: [sbrennan@iowa-braille.k12.ia.us](mailto:sbrennan@iowa-braille.k12.ia.us) - **include your name/position, student you work with, phone number and mailing address**

**Phone:** 319-560-4014 or 800-645-4579 (in Iowa only)

**Additional information: Stipends are available to participants.** Participants within 50 miles of the workshop location will be eligible for a \$150 travel stipend and participants coming from greater than 50 miles will be eligible for a \$300 travel stipend. Participants must attend both days to receive a stipend.