



The Standard of Care in Providing Colored Overlays

# 2014 IRLLEN SYNDROME TRAINING WORKSHOP

For Certification in Screening for Scotopic Sensitivity

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## Registration: \$575

\_\_\_\_\_ JAN 31-FEB 1, 2014

\_\_\_\_\_ JUNE 13-14, 2014

\_\_\_\_\_ MARCH 14-15, 2014

\_\_\_\_\_ NOVEMBER 7-8, 2014

\_\_\_\_\_ Special date to be arranged\*

Please mark the workshop date you would like to attend. Sessions are from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. both days. Call (316) 689-4233 to inquire about short-notice registration (within two weeks of date). \*Special dates may be arranged for two or more.

**For:** Educators  
Reading/Resource Specialists  
Psychologists  
Teachers  
Special Education Personnel  
School Counselors  
Occupational and Physical Therapists  
Nurses

**Fees:** \$575.00 Includes:  
• All Materials for the Training  
• Certified Training  
• Supervised Practicum Experience  
• Intervention Strategies for Dyslexia, Attention Deficit Symptoms, Autism Spectrum , and, Behavioral Disorders  
• Professional Development Credits for LPC and others

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*Application, resume, and fee of \$575.00 for registration and materials MUST be received FOUR WEEKS PRIOR to the workshop. Purchase orders are also acceptable. The Irlen Institute requires this amount of time in order to prepare training kits. Late registrations are welcome, but may incur a late fee of \$45.00 for rush shipping. If you must cancel before the training date, fees are NON-REFUNDABLE, but may be applied toward a future workshop. Screeners enrolling to re-certify can do so for only \$25.00. Please bring your materials.*

### Payment

\_\_\_\_\_ Check enclosed payable to: Dr. Cathryn A. Hay

\_\_\_\_\_ Purchase Order enclosed (recognized facilities only) P. O.# \_\_\_\_\_

I enclose: \_\_\_\_\_ one-page resume \_\_\_\_\_ \$575.00 fee, or \_\_\_\_\_ \$25.00 fee (re-certification)

Start-up kits, containing an assortment of overlays, test protocols, a copy of the Peter Jennings feature on Scotopic Sensitivity, and other items are available for \$100.00. Please check below if you would like for us to order a kit for you which will give you materials to begin screening right away. You may pay at the workshop or include payment with your registration.

\_\_\_\_\_ YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO

# Q&A

## What is Irlen Syndrome/Scotopic Sensitivity Syndrome?

Irlen Syndrome or Scotopic Sensitivity Syndrome (SSS) is a sensitivity to light that can significantly interfere with reading and writing activities. It can lower test scores and impair a person's ability to function in school and work situations. It can co-exist with dyslexia, learning disabilities, attention deficit disorder, autism, and some emotional or behavioral disturbances. Irlen Syndrome/SSS cannot be diagnosed using standard educational, psycho-educational, or speech and language tests. Fortunately, this syndrome can be diagnosed and treated. Learn how to diagnose and ameliorate Irlen Syndrome using the Irlen Screening method and Irlen Colored Overlays.

In Europe, this is called Meares/Irlen Syndrome or as Remedial Chromotherapy.

## How do you screen for Irlen Syndrome?

The Irlen Screening Process is efficient and economical. The testing and remediation can be administered individually in 30–60 minutes, and results are immediately known. Irlen testing can be administered alone or as a part of a test battery. The Irlen method is currently being used in schools throughout the world, as well as in clinic and private practice settings.

## How do you become trained to administer the Irlen Screening Test?

To become a Certified Irlen Screener, you must participate in a two-day workshop with a Certified Irlen Trainer. Day 1 includes theory and history, test administration and interpretation, and remediation procedures using Irlen Colored Overlays. Day 2 is a practicum in which participants administer, score, and interpret Irlen screenings with actual clients, and you may bring someone to screen on Saturday afternoon.. Certification as an Irlen Screener does not permit you to train others as Irlen Screeners.

## Who is qualified to be trained to screen for Irlen Syndrome?

Educators, reading specialists, special education specialists, school nurses, psychologists, speech pathologists, occupational therapists, counselors, teachers, and diagnosticians can qualify to be trained as Irlen Screeners. Certain other professionals may also qualify on a limited basis. To register for the training workshop, submit a completed application form, a professional one-page resume featuring your training, and the training fee or purchase order. *If you are not accepted for the training workshop, the entire fee will be returned to you.*

## What are the costs?

**Option I:** \$575.00 per person. Includes training, practicum, training manual, instruction manual, test manual, 10 record forms, client intake form, one CD ROM and two sets of 10 Irlen colored overlays for use in the seminar.

**Option: II** In-district training at your school site—Consultant fee: \$4000.00 (TWO DAYS) plus \$225.00 per person materials fee (plus postage). Maximum: 14 people.