

## Autism Spectrum Disorders and Criminal Justice

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**Length:** 4 hours

### 1 hour and 30 minutes

- Introduction
- Snapshot of ASD in America
- Sexuality Education for Students with ASD
- Comorbid Conditions
- Intimate Partner Violence
- Characteristics of ASD

### 1 hour and 15 minutes

- Communication and Language Challenges
- Social Fatigue
- Restricted, Repetitive Patterns of Behaviour
- Pornography Considerations
- Common Sensory Triggers
- The Autism Defence

### 1 hour and 15 minutes

- Parent & Family Considerations
- Responding to an ASD Diagnosis
- Case Studies
- Forensic Assessment
- Conclusion