**Behavior Management**Behavior Management is training for parents and caregivers of individuals with developmental disabilities in how to manage difficult behaviors.

| Agency                       | Address  | Contact  | Population Served                                   | Description of Program   |
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| ArchCare                     | 1432 Fifth Avenue<br>New York, NY 10035                | T: Reception 646-289-7700<br>W: www.archcare.org   | Individuals with diagnosed or suspected DD          | Behavioral + cognitive behavioral therapy for individuals and their families; periodic series of psycho-educational group sessions for parents + caregivers of persons with DD-related behavioral challenges, with an ABA focus. |
| Atlas Foundation for Autism  | 252 West 29th St.<br>Third Floor<br>New York, NY 10001 | Amanda Friedman or Alison Berkley T: 212-256-0846 C: Amanda Friedman 914-494-9888 E: info@atlasforautism.org A: www.atlasforautism.org | Children with DD, including ASD                     | Special educators support families, caregivers, teachers and therapists in creating and implementing behavioral and communicative supports for children and young adults with special needs. Fees sometimes apply.               |
| Child Study<br>Center at NYU | 1 Park Avenue<br>7th Floor<br>New York, NY 10016       | T: 646-754-4873 E: sarah.kuriakose@nyu.org W: http://nyulangone.org/locations/c hild-study-center                                      | Individuals with autism ages 12 months to adulthood | Parent + caregiver training for the management of challenging behaviors in individuals with ASD of all functioning levels. Available in family + group formats. Fees charged.  |
| Child Study<br>Center at NYU | 1 Park Avenue<br>7th Floor<br>New York, NY 10016       | T: 646-754-4873 E: sarah.kuriakose@nyu.org W: http://nyulangone.org/locations/c hild-study-center                                      | Individuals with autism ages 12 months to adulthood | Psychotherapy including Cognitive Behavior Therapy (CBT) + Behavior Therapy for individuals with ASD + their families. Group-based, skills-focused intervention also available (The Bridge Project). Fees charged.               |
| Hawthorne<br>Foundation      | 156 William St.<br>New York, NY 10038                  | Jeannine Schmelzkopf T: 646-675-5957 E: jeannines@hawthornecountryda y.org W: www.hawthornecountryday.org                              | Individuals with DD and/or ASD, ages 3-18           | In-home behavior management training for parents.  |
| Lifespire                    | 184-10 Jamaica Ave.<br>Hollis, NY 11423                | Jay Kleinman<br>T: 718-454-6940<br>E: jkleinman@lifespire.org<br>W: www.lifespire.org  | Caregivers of individuals of all ages with DD       | In-home behavior management training.  |

## **Behavior Management (cont'd)**

| Agency   | Address   | Contact   | Population Served                            | Description of Program  |
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| Seaver Autism<br>Center for<br>Research and<br>Treatment | Mount Sinai Medical<br>Center<br>1 Gustave L. Levy<br>Place<br>Box 1230<br>New York, NY 10029 | T: 212-241-0961<br>W:<br>www.icahn.mssm.edu/research/c<br>enters/seaver-autism-center | Individuals of all ages with autism          | Treatment provided in the context of research studies at no cost. In addition, services also provided on a fee for service basis.   |
| Spectrum<br>Services                                     | 303 5th Ave.<br>Suite 1003<br>New York, NY 10016  | W:<br>www.spectrumservicesnyc.com   | Individuals with an autism spectrum disorder | Behavior analysts + psychologists work directly with individuals and/or their family members on behavior related issues. Fee charged.   |
| YAI  | 460 W. 34th St.<br>11th floor<br>New York, NY 10001   | T: YAI LINK 212-273-6182<br>W: www.yai.org  | Caregivers of people with DD                 | Project Intervene is a short term in-home training program, focusing on behavior management, parent-child interactions, and skills acquisition. Toilet training groups also available. Also, see Project Grow in Family Training. English and Spanish spoken. |
| YAI  | 460 W. 34th St.<br>11th floor<br>New York, NY 10001   | T: English 212-273-6200<br>T: Spanish 212-273-6229<br>W: www.yai.org/helpinacrisis    | People with DD and their families            | Crisis Intervention: A team provides services to stabilize crises, provide training, supportive counseling, advocacy, linkage to other services, in-home behavior management, and parent training. English and Spanish spoken.                                |