

IRLEN SCREENER TRAINING WORKSHOP

Host: Alan Penn – Irlen Clinic Director

Date: Thursday April 27th – Friday April 28th 2017

Times: Meet and Greet 8.45am – 9.15am

Day 1: 9.30am – 5:00pm

Day 2: 9.30am – 4:00pm

Location: Alan Penn Irlen Clinic, Marble Hall, Nightingale Road, Derby DE24 8BF

Travel: Onsite parking is available for those driving.

Derby train station is 10 min taxi ride.

Dress code: Informal and comfortable.

Refreshments: Tea, coffee and water available on arrival and at breaks. Lunch is not included but there is an onsite café, local food shops and onsite breakout areas to eat your own.

Comms. Wi-Fi is available

Marble Hall reception can be contacted on 01332 742600 in case of emergencies

Price for training per person is £325 including materials

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BECOME A CERTIFIED IRELEN SCREENER

Join me, Alan Penn, on one of my two-day workshops specifically designed for educators, reading or resource specialists, school psychologists, speech-language therapists, chiropractors, rehab counsellors, vision care specialists, occupational therapists, counsellors, learning specialists, tutors, and educational therapists.

NOTE: Do not apply if you lack ENTHUSIASM, PASSION and DESIRE to change lives.

Become a certified Irlen Screener and add this service to your existing educational, OT, psychological, or tutoring practice and services. Become part of an international network of professionals who help maximize educational, work, and daily activity performance for children and adults with reading problems, dyslexia, ADD/ADHD, chronic migraines/headaches, light sensitivity, anxieties, autism, and sensory processing disorders.

This workshop will leave you inspired and confident to work with individuals whose life could become positively impacted by Irlen colour technology.

IN THIS TWO-DAY WORKSHOP, YOU'LL LEARN:

- Irlen History and the Irlen Network
- How to identify individuals with Irlen Syndrome
- The common learning and behavioural characteristics of individuals with Irlen syndrome
- How perception affects reading, maths, copying and writing skills
- How perception can affect depth perception and sensory integration
- How to test using the Irlen Reading and Perceptual Scale (IRPS)
- A variety of intervention strategies including coloured overlays
- Hands-on Practice using the IRPS
- When Irlen Spectral Filters worn as glasses may be the best solution

**READING, LEARNING,
ATTENTION PROBLEMS ,
FATIGUE AND HEADACHES**
do not have to limit a person's
future. We've got a way!

Find out what the Irlen Method,
using Irlen Coloured Overlays,
can do.

Research was initiated in the 1980's to study methods of helping adults and children with unresolved learning and reading problems. This research revealed that certain individuals showed a marked improvement in their ability when reading material covered by a coloured overlay.

Helen Irlen developed a diagnostic assessment instrument to accurately determine those individuals who could benefit from reading using colour. The Irlen Method provides a real solution that works simply and effectively. It can be easily incorporated into the educational setting and assessment battery.



WHO SHOULD APPLY?

You should want to help people and improve their lives. You should be able to reach individuals that need help. The Irlen screener network comprises of committed and passionate individuals who should provide a top quality assessment.

This workshop is therefore suited to those connected to education, therapy and wellbeing. We are happy to work with vision care professionals and those who work in support groups helping other that may have Irlen Syndrome.

Some people will screen for Irlen Syndrome this as part of their daily job, other may wish to offer this as a private Irlen screening service.

APPLYING TO TRAIN

Acceptance for Irlen screener training is not automatic. Please email irlen@alanpenn.co.uk with a brief application of why you what to be trained, who you want to help and what qualities you have that would make you a good screener.

Applications should be no later than 6 weeks before the workshop dates. You will be sent an invoice for the total amount. If the invoice is to be made in a company name please make this clear.

Payment of the invoice must be made in full with cleared funds, 3 weeks before the workshop date. Refunds cannot be made but can be transferred to a new candidate or transferred to a later session.

AFTER TWO FULL DAY

To complete your training, an informal third day or discussion is arranged to review a number of screenings and resolve any issues. Once it has been established that all screening documentation and outcomes are achieved correctly, your name will be passed to Helen Irlen to issue your Irlen Screener Certification. Please note it is the individual that is certified and not the organisation, irrespective of who has paid for the workshop.

Once certified you will be authorised to use the Irlen Method. You will have access to further support and mentoring to help you become a better screener. Some of you may decide to further your Irlen status and become an Irlen Diagnostician who is able to access for Irlen Spectral Filters.

TRAINING MATERIALS:

Included in the price are the essential training materials including; IRPS Screening Manuals, Screener Handbook, Test Overlays, 10 IRPS forms and books by Helen Irlen all in an Irlen carry bag.

I look forward to us working together.

Alan Penn - Irlen Clinic Director