

Training program

Early Intensive Behavioral Intervention in Autism (EIBI)

From September 2026 until June 2027

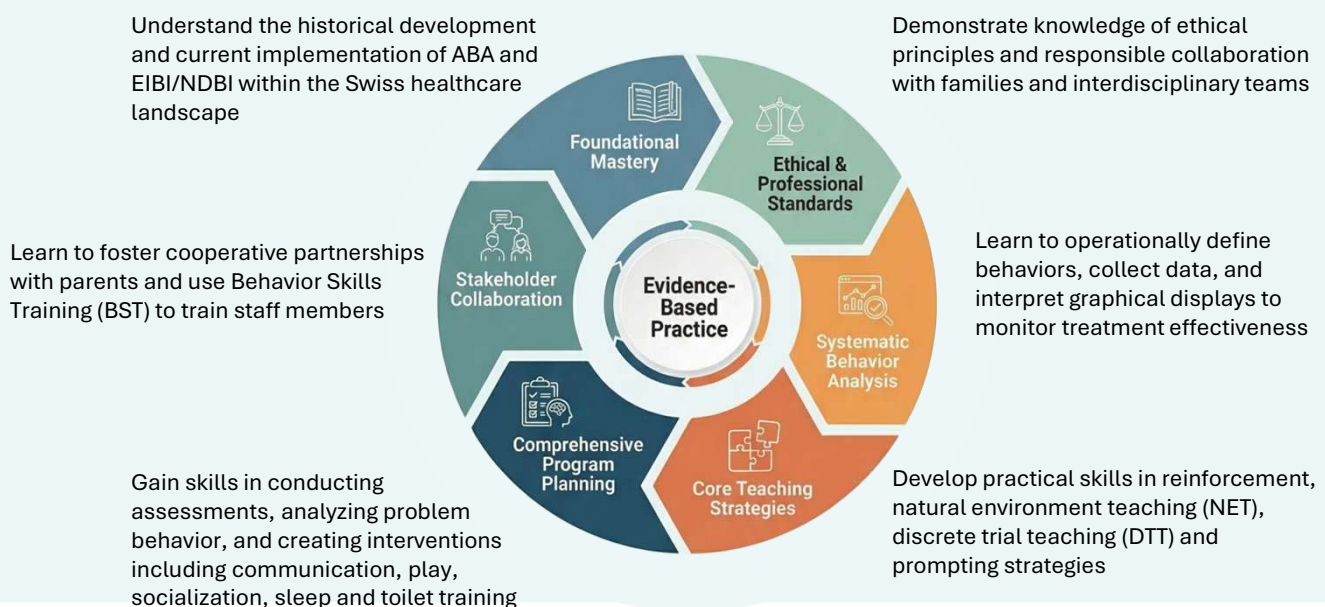
Overview

This training program provides a thorough theoretical foundation of the principles of ABA and how to utilize them in supporting and teaching young children on the autism spectrum. Participants learn how to use effective and evidence-based methods when working with children and are taught many practical applications of these skills. The training is delivered through various methods, including live course days, online classes, video lectures, podcasts and reading of literature.

Target audience

Professionals working in early intervention settings with young children on the autism spectrum. Psychologists, special educators, speech and language therapists, occupational therapists and related professions. Participants of the intercantonal training for early intensive intervention in autism.

Goals & Content



Methods

4 Live Course Days

4 days at participating center
(Zurich, Bern)

Opportunity for center visits
to observe early intervention

Lectures, group exercises,
and discussions

Short, ungraded multiple-
choice revision tests to guide
self-correction

8 Online Course Days

8 days delivered live but
remotely

Lectures, group exercises,
and discussions

Short ungraded multiple-
choice revision tests

Self-Study

Approx. 1 day preparation per
course day

Prerecorded video lectures,
with integrated multiple-
choice question

Reading of textbooks and
scientific articles

Listening to audio and video
podcasts

Course Dates

Have a look at the course dates

[Link to course dates](#)

Registration

Sign up via E-mail:

kjpp.autismus.fruehintervention@pukzh.ch


Costs


2400.-

Proof of Learning

- 80% attendance
- Multiple choice exam at the end of the module
- Completion of an assessment with a learner
- Developing written teaching objectives for a learner
- Conduction and recording of a 30min 1:1 teaching session with a learner, including a self-evaluation
- Conducting of a parent coaching session under supervision

Locations


 Fachstelle Autismus Frühintervention,
Neumünsterallee 3, 8032 Zürich


 Station NEPTUN, Nussbaumstrasse 25,
3006 Bern


Organizer & Lecturers



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 **MSc. Nadja Studer,**
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 **MSc. Silja Wirth,**
Psychologist, BCBA,
Bern

 **MSc. Leslie Abegg,**
Psychologist, BCBA,
Zurich

Course Dates

DATE	TOPIC	TIME	CONTENT BY UNIT	LECTURER	LOCATION
Day 1 Saturday 05. September 2026	History ABA and ESDM/EIBI and development in Switzerland Definition and Characteristics and Basic Concepts of ABA	9h-12h15	History ABA and ESDM/EIBI and development in Switzerland Definition and Characteristics and Basic Concepts of ABA	Silja Wirth	online
		13h15-17h			
Day 2 Saturday 19. Sept 2026	Basic Skills in EIBI/FIVTI	10h-13h	Basic Skills in EIBI/FIVTI	Leslie Abegg	live Zürich
		13h45-17h30			
Day 3 Saturday 31. October 2026	Selecting and Defining Target Behaviors, Measuring Behavior, Improving and Assessing the Quality of Behavioral Measurement	9h-12h15	Selecting and Defining Target Behaviors, Measuring Behavior, Improving and Assessing the Quality of Behavioral Measurement	Nadja Studer	online
		13h15-17h			
Day 4 Saturday 14. November 2026	Constructing and Interpreting Graphic Displays of Behavioral Data Analyzing Behavior Change Treatment Desings Planning and Evaluating ABA Research	9H-12h15	Constructing and Interpreting Graphic Displays of Behavioral Data Analyzing Behavior Change Treatment Desings Planning and Evaluating ABA Research	Nadja Studer	online
		13h15-17h			
Day 5 Saturday 16. January 2027	Professionalism Assessments in EIBI	9h-12h15	Assessments in EIBI	Leslie Abegg	online
		13h15-17h			
Day 6 Saturday 23. January 2027	Defining and dealing with problem behavior	9h-12h15	Defining and dealing with problem behavior	Leslie Abegg	online
		13h15-17h			
Day 7 Friday 5. March 2027	Team Training in EIBI and FIVTI Transition to group settings	10h-13h	Team Training in EIBI and FIVTI Transition to group settings	Leslie Abegg	live Zürich
		13h45-17h30			
Day 8 Saturday 6. March 2027	Advanced Skills in EIBI/FIVTI	9h-12h15	Advanced Skills in EIBI/FIVTI	Silja Wirth	live Zürich
		13h15-17h			
Day 9 Saturday 20. March 2027	Program tracks and flowcharting in EIBI and FIVTI Writing teaching objectives and goals in EIBI and FIVTI	9h30-12h30	Program tracks and flowcharting in EIBI and FIVTI Writing teaching objectives and goals in EIBI and FIVTI	Silja Wirth	Live Bern
		13h30-17h15			
Day 11 Saturday 22. May 2027	Teaching alternative communication skills and alternative language programs	9h-12h15	Teaching alternative communication systems and alternative language programs	Silja Wirth	online
		13h15-17h			
Day 10 Saturday 29. May 2027	Parent training and collaboration with parents	9h-12h15	Parent training and collaboration with parents	Nadja Studer	online
		13h15-17h			
Day 12 Saturday 19 June 2027	Other interventions beyond intensive intervention (toilet training, sleep, motivation and token economy)	9h-12h15	Other interventions beyond intensive intervention (toilet training, motivation and token economy)	Nadja Studer	online
		13h15-17h			