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Save the Dates for Arc Herkimer Summer/Fall Workshops

As a leader in Central New York in bringing renowned experts on autism and developmental disabilities to area professionals, individuals supported, and families, Arc Herkimer will host three workshops in Summer/Fall 2018.

All workshops are free and open to the public but require registration at www.archerkimer.org.

Brad Bennett, Ph.D., will present "Understanding & Working with the Needs of Individuals with Autism Spectrum Disorder and Other Developmental Disabilities," on Thursday, August 16, from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. at Francesca's in Ilion, NY.

Nancy Musarra, Ph.D., will present her book, *The New Normal: 7 Things to Know as You Care for & Love a Child with Special Needs*, on Thursday, October 4, from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at Herkimer High School in Herkimer, NY. She will also host a book signing from 7 p.m. to 8 p.m.

On Friday, October 5, Dr. Musarra will also lead a workshop, "A Look at Criminal Justice and Legal Proceedings Related to Autism and Other Neurodevelopmental Disorders," from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Herkimer College, Herkimer, NY.

Please visit www.archerkimer.org to register. For questions, please contact Arc Herkimer Outreach Coordinator Mona Fermin-Fennell at (315) 574-7822 or email: mfermin@archerkimer.org.

Arc Herkimer's mission is empowering people with disabilities and enriching lives throughout the community. For more information regarding Arc Herkimer call (315) 574-7000.

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