

## LAMP Words for Life™ App for iPad

LAMP Words for Life is designed to meet the communication needs of children with autism. It combines the power of PRC's Unity® language system and Language Acquisition through Motor Planning (LAMP™), a proven-therapeutic approach that uses consistent motor plans for accessing vocabulary.

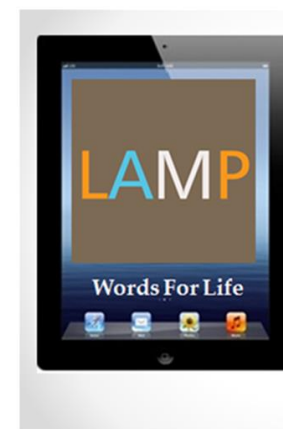
The app is appropriate for beginning communicators who are just learning that they can affect those around them to skilled communicators with advanced language skills. It features structured language and includes three vocabulary files and features within the app to support language development from the current skill level throughout their life.



For information on attending or hosting a workshop, contact a PRC seminar coordinator at **(800) 848-8008**.



# LAMP Words for Life App for iPad: Overview, Features and Teaching Strategies – 5 Hour



**Location:** Zanesville, OH

**Date:** October 20, 2017

**Time:** 9:00 am to 3:00 pm

**ASHA CEUs:** 0.5

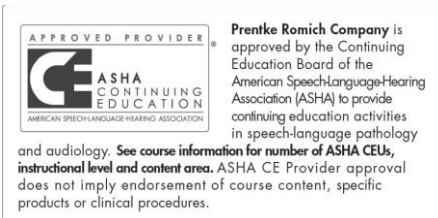


## ABOUT THE WORKSHOP

Through demonstration and presentation, participants will learn about the vocabulary options and features of the LAMP Words for Life™ application for the iPad.

The foundations of the LAMP approach will be briefly reviewed as well as the principals behind the development of the Words for Life™ application. Participants will practice saying single words, phrases and short sentences in the 1-hit, transition and full levels. In addition, participants will learn how to program and customize the application as well as use the features of word finder and vocabulary builder. In the afternoon, a variety of AAC teaching strategies will be reviewed to help teams implement LAMP WFL in school or at home.

This training is intended for individuals who have already purchased the application or are interested in learning more about the application.



**ASHA CEUs: 0.5**

(Introductory level, Professional area).

**Cost: \$89**

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## ABOUT THE PRESENTER

**Jennifer Monahan, M.A., CCC-SLP** – Jennifer earned her undergraduate degree in Hearing and Speech Sciences at Ohio University and her Masters Degree in Speech Language Pathology from the Ohio State University in Columbus. Since receiving her Masters, Jennifer has worked as a speech pathologist in the public school setting as well as in private practice, serving all ages. She gained practical, hands-on experiences targeting speech and language skills necessary for functional communication outcomes, performing AAC (Augmentative & Alternative Communication) evaluations and treatments for a variety of age levels and disabilities, and implementing successful therapy plans for individuals with Autism Spectrum Disorder.

Beginning in 2005, Jennifer has been employed as an Augmentative Communication Consultant for the Prentke Romich Company, allowing her to focus her passion on assisting individuals who require alternative methods for communication and cannot speak verbally. Jennifer has provided continuing education seminars for the Zane Trace Early Childhood Conference, the Ohio School Speech Pathology and Education Audiology Coalition, and the Ohio Speech Language and Hearing Association. Most recently she was selected as a presenter at the 2012 ISAAC (International Society for Augmentative and Alternative Communication) conference and enjoys her role as a regular guest lecturer for the Ohio State University College of Education and Department of Speech and Hearing Sciences. Jennifer has earned her Certificate of Clinical Competence from the American Speech Language Hearing Association.



**Financial:** Jennifer Monahan is a salaried employee of the Prentke Romich Company.

**Nonfinancial:** Jennifer Monahan is an employee-owner of the Prentke Romich Company, earned her Certificate of Clinical Competence from the American Speech Language Hearing Association, and is a member of ASHA.

## LEARNING OBJECTIVES

participants will be able to:

- Describe the differences between the LAMP approach and the LAMP Words for Life™ (WFL) app
- Discuss why LAMP WFL uses single words instead of phrases
- Name the 3 language levels in LAMP WFL
- Define word finder and vocabulary builder
- Perform basic programming
- Explain the difference between communication and compliance
- Name two other functions of communication other than requesting

### Who should Attend:

OTs, SLPs, ATPs, Educators, family members and others

who support individuals who currently use or may need to use the LAMP Words for Life application. This course is appropriate for both beginners and those with experience in assistive technology and AAC.