

Mississippi School for the Blind (MSB) **PROJECT** 

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& Mississippi Hearing-Vision Project (MH-VP)

are pleased to offer A FREE Workshop on

**Cortical Visual Impairment (CVI)** 

# *Presented by* Christine Roman–Lantzy, Ph.D.

Friday, December 14, 2018

Auditorium, Mississippi School for the Blind 1253 Eastover, Jackson, MS 39211

Cortical Visual Impairment (CVI) is now the leading cause of visual impairment among children in the United States. During this day long learning event, Dr. Roman-Lantzy will provide an overview of CVI, medical causes, diagnostic criteria, application and procedures of the CVI Range, and principles of intervention.

**Dr. Christine Roman-Lantzy** is a world leader in furthering understanding, assessment, and intervention strategies for Cortical Vision Impairment. She is the creator of The CVI Range- a functional vision assessment tool, and author of the book, *Cortical Visual Impairment—An Approach to Assessment and Intervention.* Dr. Roman Lantzy has lectured extensively regarding the CVI educational materials she has developed. With degrees in Elementary Education and Special Education/Visual Impairment at Michigan State University and Master's and Doctoral studies at University of Pittsburgh, she is a certified teacher of students with visual impairment, certified orientation and mobility specialist, and infant developmentalist. Dr. Roman-Lantzy is also the Director of the Pediatric VIEW (Vision Information and Evaluation) Program at The Western Pennsylvania Hospital, Pittsburgh, PA.

Lunch will be on your own. .7 CEUs will be offered for \$15 to S-RESA (check or cash)

## Registration ends **December 7, 2018** *Pre-registration is Required to Attend!*

Deadline to request Braille or Sign Language Interpreters is November 29.

To register, follow the link below OR

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https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/CVI121418

### Cortical Visual Impairment Dr. Christine Roman-Lantzy

December 14, 2018 8:00 - 4:00

#### Agenda

7:30 - 8:00	Registration
8:00 – 9:30	Overview of CVI: Definitions and history/background Causes of CVI
9:30 - 9:45	Break
9:45 - 10:15	Diagnostic criteria and the CVI Characteristics
10:30 - 12:00	Diagnostic criteria and the CVI Characteristics (cont.)
1:00 - 2:15	CVI Range
2:15 - 2:30	Break
2:30 - 3:45	Principles for Intervention
3:45 - 4:00	Questions / Wrap-Up

#### Learning objectives:

Participants will be able to:

- Identify the definition of cortical visual impairment
- Understand and describe the medical causes of CVI
- Demonstrate knowledge of the diagnostic criteria for CVI including the characteristics
- Demonstrate the application and procedures of the CVI Range
- Describe principles of intervention