



## President's Message



**I** cannot give enough praise to the individuals who came together to make the 2003 Cal ABA conference such a great success. As Conference Chair, Roy Mayer did his usual outstanding job of directing his committee and colleagues to recruit excellent speakers. The conference setting was wonderful, and the feedback was very positive. We will be in San Francisco next year. Our new

conference co-chairs Cathy Watkins and Jane Howard have already set the tone for what might be our best conference yet.

We are now gearing up to support the International ABA Conference, which will be held in San Francisco this May. Cal ABA will be hosting a reception at 8 p.m., on Saturday the 24th. Please stop by and enjoy a drink with us! Or, stop by the Cal-ABA booth and lend your support in getting the word out about our organization.

This has been a very successful year for Cal ABA. As I prepare to hand over the presidency to my competent and enthusiastic colleague, Jose Rios, I feel fortunate to have had so much support over the last 9 months. The heart and brains of the organization at Sacramento Advocacy truly push Cal ABA forward. Cathy Barankin, Judy Barrett Miller, and Rosie Cereceres have all been invaluable in directing the daily tasks related to legislative involvement, conference preparation, and membership needs.

I hope that Cal ABA is meeting the expectations of its members. I also hope that those who want to become more involved in our State's policies and practices related to behavior analysis feel comfortable in approaching our Board of Directors. If you're not sure who those 21 people are, take a look at the list on page 10 in this newsletter. Connect with some of us and find out how you may join in some of the current or future activities. There is always work to do, and it would be great to have you on board!

Drop by and say "Hi" in San Francisco!

William Frea, Ph.D.

## 2003 Cal-ABA Conference

**A**nother conference is behind us. Because of the contacts of the Conference Committee, we were able to entice numerous national and international leaders in the field of behavior analysis to present at the 2003 Conference. From all the feedback that I received everyone found something of interest at the conference. The largest complaint was that it was difficult to decide which program to go to because of the wealth of offerings.

The area that received the highest ratings on the Conference evaluations was the Cal-ABA staff for their organization and helpfulness. We all owe the staff a major note of gratitude. Most seemed to like the Newport location; however, some complained about the expense and wanted it closer to their own homes. Personally, I thought the hotel was a great location. However, I do think we lost some of our attendees to shopping at the mall. A good location, though, provides a little something for everyone, right? We also received several letters from presenters and participants indicating how much they enjoyed the Conference. (Some are reprinted in this Newsletter.)

Now, however, is the time we turn our attention to the 2004 Conference. I wish the co-chairs well. Please check with the Cal-ABA office to see how you might be of help. Putting on a regional conference, which the Cal-ABA Conference is, is a major undertaking and commitment.

Respectfully,

G. Roy Mayer, Conference Chair



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# Professional Standards Committee Update

**Eric Carlson, Ph.D., BCBA**  
**Professional Standards Chair**



As the new Professional Standards chair for CalABA, I would like to take this opportunity to say "Hello" to fellow CalABA members. I look forward to continuing the work of my able predecessor, Siri Ming. I am sure I speak for all who have met her or worked with her when I express appreciation for the superb job she has done at moving CalABA onward and upward to new levels of professional integrity. Her work included a sustained and closely coordinated collaboration with the Behavior Analyst Certification Board (BACB) and with those CalABA Board Members who spearheaded our successful legislative efforts to establish BCBA's as approved service vendors with California's Department of Developmental Services (DDS) over the past few years.

The Professional Standards Committee should provide a variety of services to CalABA members. These services include, but are not limited to, the following:

- continue to provide useful information to our members about certification issues such as BACB policy changes, examination dates, and so on,
- identify formal undergraduate and graduate level educational programs and opportunities that meet BACB eligibility criteria for taking the exam,
- identify formal training (continuing education) opportunities that permit BCBA's and BCABA's to maintain their current certification status,
- identify opportunities for individuals to obtain supervised practicum and mentoring experience by BCBA's,
- provide information for BCBA's about opportunities to work with or become vendored or approved service providers with the California Regional Centers and public schools

If any CalABA member wants to share information about these topics or if you have questions or concerns regarding these topics, you should not hesitate to contact me with your inquiry.

## **BACB Information**

The Fall 2003 BACB examination date is provisionally set for November 22nd. The list of cities where examinations will be administered is growing and can be found at the BACB website: [www.bacb.com](http://www.bacb.com).

## **Continuing Education at CalABA 2003**

With the generous assistance of those in the main office (Rosie Cereceres and Judy Barrett Miller) and the volunteer work of Roy Mayer's students, the recent CalABA conference provided many opportunities for participants to obtain the CEUs needed to maintain their BCBA or BCABA status. I wish to extend my appreciation to all of the presenters who took the time to apply to have their presentations considered for CEU eligibility. A full report on the CEU program will be presented in the next newsletter.

## **Mentoring Opportunities**

Currently, the CalABA website lists twelve BCBA's who have offered to provide mentoring to individuals who wish to obtain supervised applied behavior analysis experience. Since this practical experience is a requirement for those who would like to sit for the certification exam, I would like to encourage any BCBA's within California who are willing to do so, to add their contact information to this list.

Adding your name to the list is easy. Simply go to the CalABA website and, at the bottom of the CalABA home page, click on the electronic mail link : [calaba@sacadvocacy.com](mailto:calaba@sacadvocacy.com) and you can provide your contact information. Be sure to indicate that you want the information added to the mentoring list.

## **Contacting the Professional Standards Chair**

I would like to add that if you have concerns or problems regarding professional standards issues, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Eric Carlson  
ericcarlson@applied-learning-systems.com  
or you can reach me at: (805) 528 5674

# Behavior Analyst Certification Board Update

**T**he Behavior Analyst Certification Board®, Inc. (BACB®) is a nonprofit 501(c)(3) corporation formed as a result of credentialing needs identified by behavior analysts, agencies within several state governments, and consumers of behavior analysis services.

The BACB's main purpose is to develop, promote, and implement a voluntary national (and perhaps eventually international) certification program for behavior analyst practitioners. The BACB has established uniform content, standards, and criteria for the credentialing process. It seeks to ensure that the program meets 1) the legal standards established through state, federal and case law; 2) the standards for national certification programs as established by the National Organization for Competency Assurance and the National Commission for Certifying Agencies; and 3) the "best practice" and ethical standards of the behavior analysis profession.

## California Certified Behavior Analysts

The following individuals are Board Certified Behavior Analysts (BCBA) or Board Certified Associate Behavior Analysts (BCABA), having met the criteria established by the Behavior Analyst Certification Board, the academic and professional experience, and passage of an exam. CalABA provides this list as a resource, but does not endorse a particular provider or service. This list is taken directly from the BACB.com web site (January 5, 2003).

CA	CITY	LAST NAME	FIRST	MI	BCBA/BCABA
CA	Agoura Hills	Bass	Helen	S.	BCBA
CA	Ahwahnee	Wilhite	Christine		BCBA
CA	Alameda	Martin	Stephanie	K.	BCABA
CA	Alhambra	Martinez	Sylvia	L.	BCBA
CA	Alta Loma	Tibbetts	Terry	J.	BCBA
CA	Aptos	Tucci	Vicci		BCBA
CA	Arcadia	Mieure	Ione	V.	BCBA
CA	Arcata	Gruber	Mary	B.	BCBA
CA	Berkley	Detrich	Ronnie		BCBA
CA	Carmichael	Hiner	Jenny	M.	BCABA
CA	Carmichael	Neely	Eve	C.	BCABA
CA	Castro Valley	Norton	Jill	W.	BCBA
CA	Citrus Heights	Gifford	Audrey	J.	BCBA
CA	Citrus Heights	Wood	Kimberly	A.	BCABA
CA	Concord	Alumbaugh	Larissa		BCBA
CA	Concord	Croci	Jackie	A.	BCABA
CA	Concord	Sundberg	Mark	L.	BCBA
CA	Davis	Shin-Lee	Jenise	L.	BCBA
CA	Dixon	Montgomery	Dawn		BCBA
CA	Dublin	MacDonald	Jennifer	E.	BCBA
CA	Eureka	Ming	Siri	M.	BCBA
CA	Felton	Amos	Jennifer	A.	BCABA
CA	Fullerton	Christian	LeeAnn		BCBA
CA	Garden Grove	Huynen	Kim	B.	BCBA

CA	CITY	LAST NAME	FIRST	MI	BCBA/BCABA
CA	Gilroy	Whang-Ramos	Paula	L.	BCBA
CA	Guerneville	Powers	Mary Ann		BCBA
CA	Lodi	Long	Chanti	F.	BCBA
CA	Lompoc	Holdsambeck	Robert	D.	BCBA
CA	Long Beach	Heo	Tammy	H.	BCBA
CA	Long Beach	Whitson	Ronnie	E.	Inactive
CA	Los Angeles	Bosch	Sebastien		BCBA
CA	Los Angeles	Chehrazi	Avazeh		BCABA
CA	Los Angeles	LaVigna	Gary	W.	BCBA
CA	Los Angeles	Mora	Susan	B.	BCBA
CA	Los Osos	Carlson	Eric	L.	BCBA
CA	Marina	Harrower	Josh	K.	BCBA
CA	Marina Del Rey	Gershater-Molko	Ronit	M.	BCBA
CA	Martinez	Braga-Kenyon	Paula	R.	BCBA
CA	Martinez	Raymond	Pamela	J.	BCBA
CA	Merced	Bluett-Murphy	Victoria	L.	BCBA
CA	Modesto	Amerine-Dickens	Mila	A.	BCBA
CA	Modesto	Branscum	Emily	E.	BCBA
CA	Modesto	Novak	Gary	D.	BCBA
CA	Monterey Park	Smith	Leonard	A.	BCBA
CA	Montrose	Hamada	Fumiko		BCABA
CA	Morro Bay	Sullivan	Genevieve	C.	BCBA
CA	Napa	Vreeland	Robert	G.	BCBA
CA	Oakdale	Joslin	Heather	D.	BCBA
CA	Oakdale	Taylor	Steve	J.	BCBA
CA	Oakland	Britton	Lisa	N.	BCBA
CA	Oakland	Kachadourian	Kevin	G.	BCBA
CA	Oakland	Lambe	Austin	J.	BCBA
CA	Oakland	Peters	Michael	D.	BCBA
CA	Oakley	Burkholder	Eric	O.	BCBA
CA	Oxnard	Brown	Willie	G.	BCBA
CA	Palo Alto	Lete	Dalmacio	T.	BCBA
CA	Pasadena	Ballmaier	Heike	I.	Provisional BCBA
CA	Pasadena	Korneder	Jessica	A.	BCBA
CA	Pasadena	Torre	Monica	M.	BCBA
CA	Pleasant Hill	Grimes	Teresa	A.	BCBA
CA	Pleasant Hill	Partington	James	W.	BCBA
CA	Pleasant Hill	Watson	Rebecca	A.	BCBA
CA	Porter Ranch	Deming-Douglas	Jodie	E.	BCBA
CA	Rancho Palos Verdes	Cone	Shawn	D.	BCBA
CA	Richmond	Carroll	Stacy	L.	BCABA
CA	Richmond	Shaw	Howard	L.	BCBA
CA	Riverbank	Gloria	Katherine	M.	BCABA
CA	Riverside	Lubbers	John	R.	BCBA
CA	Riverside	McIntyre	Laura Lee		BCBA
CA	Rosemead	De Leon	Victor	O.	BCABA
CA	Roseville	Rooks	Dana	N.	BCBA
CA	Sacramento	Beaubiah	Cheri	L.	BCABA
CA	Sacramento	Burgess	Helene		BCBA
CA	Sacramento	Devlin	Diane		BCBA
CA	Sacramento	Hamman	James	L.	BCBA
CA	Sacramento	Jensen	Robert	G.	Inactive
CA	Sacramento	Morrow	Joseph	E.	BCBA

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CA	CITY	LAST NAME	FIRST	MI	BCBA/BCABA	CA	CITY	LAST NAME	FIRST	MI	BCBA/BCABA
CA	Sacramento	Saber	Nancy	J.	Inactive	CA	Solana Beach	Kliore-Frederickson	Rima	B.	BCABA
CA	Sacramento	Stephany	Paul	W.	BCBA	CA	Sonoma	Redcoff	Nikarre	M.	BCBA
CA	Sacramento	Weninger	Mary	E.	BCABA	CA	South Pasadena	Campbell	Randy	V.	BCBA
CA	Sacramento	Williams-Wenell	Michelle	L.	BCABA	CA	South Pasadena	Rios	Jose	D.	BCBA
CA	Salida	Visser	Cathy	L.	BCABA	CA	Stanford	Hall	Scott	S.	BCBA
CA	San Diego	Cone	John	D.	BCBA	CA	Stockton	Anjo	Kathleen	Y.	BCABA
CA	San Diego	Green	Gina		BCBA	CA	Stockton	Flood	William	A.	BCBA
CA	San Diego	Mayer	G.	Roy	BCBA	CA	Stockton	Franco	Michelle	E.	BCBA
CA	San Diego	Nunn	Robert	G.	BCBA	CA	Stockton	Hopson	Tina	M.	BCBA
CA	San Diego	Voth	Rochelle	D.	BCABA	CA	Stockton	Roth	Sally	R.	BCBA
CA	San Diego	Wilson	Anita	L.	BCBA	CA	Stockton	Wilder	David	A.	BCBA
CA	San Francisco	Kim	Sung	C.	BCBA	CA	Studio City	DuCharme	Corinne	E.	BCABA
CA	San Francisco	Marone	Frank	J.	BCBA	CA	Toluca Lake	Schlinger	Henry	D.	BCBA
CA	San Francisco	Nolley	David	A.	BCBA	CA	Torrance	Gomez	Julie	A.	BCABA
CA	San Francisco	Rajaratnam	Trista	N.	BCBA	CA	Torrance	Marasovich	Sabrina	Y.	BCABA
CA	San Francisco	Ryan	Deiredre	A.	BCBA	CA	Torrance	McMillan	Tracy	D.	BCABA
CA	San Francisco	Sawchuck	Cynthia	L.	BCABA	CA	Torrance	Schmittou	Kimberly	J.	BCABA
CA	San Francisco	Wachelka	Donald		BCBA	CA	Torrance	Yi	Janet	I.	BCABA
CA	San Jacinto	Schouten	Sandra	K.	BCBA	CA	Turlock	Brown	Deborah	L.	BCBA
CA	San Leandro	Blackman	Denise	C.	BCBA	CA	Turlock	Hesse	Bruce	E.	BCBA
CA	San Leandro	Huang	Weihe		BCBA	CA	Turlock	Howard	Jane	S.	BCBA
CA	San Luis Obispo	Ball	Randal	G.	BCBA	CA	Turlock	Potter	William	F.	BCBA
CA	San Pablo	Blackledge	Cynthia	R.	BCBA	CA	Turlock	Price	Leigh	A.	BCBA
CA	San Rafael	Levine	Mark	D.	BCBA	CA	Turlock	Schoneberger	Theodore	G.	BCBA
CA	Santa Clarita	Youngbauer	John	G.	BCBA	CA	Turlock	Teixeira	Lova	C.	BCBA
CA	Santa Cruz	Moore	Allyson	G.	BCABA	CA	Turlock	Watkins	Cathy	L.	BCBA
CA	Santa Cruz	Morgenstern	Barry	D.	BCBA	CA	Vacaville	Menicucci	Judy	C.	BCBA
CA	Santa Cruz	Olson-Tinker	Heidi	K.	BCBA	CA	Valencia	Minkus	Jennifer	L.	BCBA
CA	Santa Maria	Tuttle	Linda	L.	BCBA	CA	Vallejo	Sellers	Tyra	P.	BCABA
CA	Santa Monica	Feldman	Mariela	L.	BCBA	CA	Valley Springs	Riggs	Susan	D.	BCABA
CA	Santa Rosa	Henkel	William	J.	BCBA	CA	Walnut Creek	Linscheid	Randolph	B.	BCABA
CA	Sherman Oaks	Lang	Liat		BCABA	CA	Walnut Creek	Opheikens	Rikki	E.	BCABA
CA	Sherman Oaks	Lemon	Darren	C.	BCBA	CA	Yuba City	Rhoades	Terry	E.	BCABA

## ADEL C. NAJDOWSKI: 2003 Julie Vargas Award Winner

**T**he Julie Vargas Award was created by Dr. Julie Vargas of West Virginia University to promote student research in the field of behavior analysis. This competitive award is presented to a student for conducting original research in Behavior Analysis. CalABA congratulates Adel Najdowski on being the 2003 recipient of the Julie Vargas Award. Adel is currently a doctoral student in Psychology at the University of Nevada, Reno. She is a behavioral consultant for the Nevada Center for Severe Behavior Problems and her research interests include; child pathology, feeding disorders, instructional methodology, and functional analysis technology. The following is an abstract of the research study submitted for the Julie Vargas Award.

### Parental Assessment and Treatment of Food Selectivity in Natural Settings Adel C. Najdowski University of Nevada, Reno

Differential reinforcement of alternative behavior (DRA) plus escape extinction (EXT) is commonly used to treat food selectivity presumably maintained by negative reinforcement in the form of escape from food acceptance. This study evaluated effects of a parent conducted functional analysis and treatment of food selectivity using DRA with and without EXT. Results demonstrated substantial increases in food acceptance at home and in a restaurant setting when DRA in combination with EXT was used.

## California Association for Behavior Analysis 22nd Annual Conference

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The Cal-ABA Conference has become one of the top national conferences for behavior analysts, educators, clinical professionals, service providers, consumers, students and parents interested in Behavior Analysis. The CalABA Conference presents the very latest in behavior analysis research and best practices across a wide range of settings (continuing education units available):

- Experimental (research, animal behavior, theory)
- Educational (public schools, special education, universities)
- Autism and developmental disabilities (discrete trial, functional assessment)
- Clinical (counseling, personal development, therapy)
- Professional development (certification, CEUs)
- Organizational behavior management (behavioral safety, organizational change)

**Mark your calendars today!**  
**February 19, 20, & 21, 2004**  
**San Francisco Airport**  
**Marriott**

## CalABA Co-Sponsors Convention in SF!

**Gina Green, PhD, BCBA**

**The Institute for Effective Education**

**CalABA Liaison to the Association for Behavior Analysis**



The 2003 convention of the Association for Behavior Analysis (ABA) is fast approaching—May 23-27 at the San Francisco Marriott. As the ABA Affiliated Chapter for the host state, CalABA is co-sponsoring this year's convention. The terrific program of workshops, symposia, panel discussions, papers, and poster sessions will include the work of many CalABA members. Additionally, CalABA will have a booth in the convention exhibit area, and will host a "Welcome to California" reception on Saturday, May 24, 8:00 – 10:00 pm in the Sierra K room at the Marriott. Mark your calendar, write it on your dance card, enter it into your PDA – whatever your prompt of preference, be sure to join your fellow CalABAans and other behavior analysts from all over the world at our reception.

You can support the ABA convention and CalABA's participation in it in several ways:

- Co-sponsor the CalABA reception. For a nominal donation, you or your agency can help CalABA cover the costs of the reception and get a little advertising to boot. Donors in the following categories will be provided with space at the reception to display materials, and will be listed on materials advertising the reception: Sponsor — \$500; Patron — \$250; Contributor — \$100. Send your donation TODAY (payable to CalABA) to Judy Barrett Miller at Sacramento Advocacy, CalABA, 2220 Capitol Ave., Sacramento 95816; phone: 916-447-7341; email: CalABA@sacadvocacy.com.
- Bring a friend or colleague to the convention who isn't yet a member of CalABA, but should be! Help him/her sample the many reinforcers available at the CalABA reception and exhibit booth, and throughout the convention.
- Volunteer to help the ABA staff with convention registration, in the convention bookstore, assisting poster presenters, and signing participants in and out of pre-convention workshops as well as continuing education events. Shifts are generally 3-7 hours in duration. Volunteers can work as many shifts as they choose, but are asked to commit to a minimum of 10 hours throughout the convention. Training will be provided at the convention site. All volunteers will receive the equivalent of \$5 per hour worked to apply toward convention registration fee refund, membership dues refund, purchases at the ABA bookstore, enrollment in ABA's job service, or continuing education credits. This is a great way to subsidize your attendance at the convention. To volunteer, log on to the ABA website ([www.abainternational.org](http://www.abainternational.org)), click on the text that says "ABA 29th Annual Convention," then go to the "Links" section in the lower right hand corner and click on "Volunteers."

See you soon in the beautiful city by the bay!

# 2003 Conference Report



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February 25, 2003

Dear Cal ABA Conference Staff:

After returning from the 2003 Cal ABA conference, I realized that I completed the conference evaluation form but there was so much more I wanted to say. I have been attending CalABA for many years, and I am impressed by the successful transition to running a conference in Northern and Southern California on alternate years. It is clear that the board has created a conference with national standards. Yet even with the high quality of the speakers and the conference, the committee has managed to maintain a comfortable local conference atmosphere. The 2003 conference was a wonderful example of this welcoming atmosphere combined with impressive speakers. It continues to be amazing to find both at the same conference.

Over the years, I have had staff at every level attend the conference and I continue to be impressed at what the Cal ABA conference offers to all levels of staff. First year attendees are always overwhelmed at the size of the conference and the depth of the material. However, they consistently report that they felt welcomed and made comfortable by the staff. Second year attendees report amazement at the size of the ABA field and the knowledge level of the presenters. Second year staff are generally beginning to consider ABA as a career, and Cal ABA shows them how much more there is to learn.

Staff in their third or fourth years are typically in graduate programs and are in awe of the opportunity to present and meet individuals whose research they have read and implemented. Cal ABA continues to offer staff at this level the opportunity to sit down and talk with founders and well-known professionals in the field. This year several of us enjoyed the VIP reception and the opportunity to sit and talk about various programs with world-renowned researchers.

For active professionals, Cal ABA is a place to go to share success, failures, discoveries and new ideas. It is a place to hear about the professional success and struggles of others and incorporate their ideas into our work. It is also a place to reconnect personally and share successes and struggles. Cal ABA is a place where people remember your name, are glad you came, and are eager to hear what you are doing. It is a place where we as professionals can continue to support each other in our professional and personal growth. Attending Cal ABA each year is like coming home.

Thank you to all the conference staff for working so hard to help Cal ABA continue to be that place where we all are encouraged to share new ideas in a setting that accepts and acknowledges each contributor.

Kim B. Huynen, Ph.D., BCBA

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Note from Dr. Nate Azrin

"Dear Ms. Barrett,

The excitement and enjoyment at the CalABA conference exceed all of my past experiences. What an exciting vibrant organization. Your personal efforts in explaining, expediting, and problem solving on my behalf were notable. I had a most enjoyable and informative experience..."



# CalABA Board of Directors

## Election Ballot

### For Terms Expiring June 30, 2003

**President (Term 2003-2004)**

Jose Rios  
 Write-in

**President-Elect (Term 2003-2004)**

LeeAnn Christian  
 Write-in

**2004 Conference Chairs  
(Term 2003-2004)**

Cathy Watkins & Jane Howard  
 Write-in

**2005 Conference Chair-Elect  
(Term 2004-2005)**

Randy Campbell  
 Write-in

**Secretary (Term 2003-2005)**

Jo L. Mullins  
 Janet Yi  
 Glenda Vittimberga  
 Scott LaRoche  
 Write-in

**Newsletter (Term 2003-2005)**

Write-in  
  
 Write-in

**Membership (Term 2003-2005)**

Michele Wallace  
 Write-in

**Northern CA Rep (Term 2003-2005)**

Bill Roth  
 Ramona Houmanfar  
 Write-in

**Southern CA Rep (Term 2003-2005)**

Kim Huynen  
 Ronit Molko  
 Write-in

**So CA Student Rep**

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**IMPORTANT!**

Make sure your vote counts!!  
 Print and sign your name below **and**  
 on your return self mailer.  
 Only one ballot per person, please. Deadline is  
 May 30 (postmarked by May 30).

Print Name:

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Signature:

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**Continuing Members:**

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 Professional Stds: Eric Carlson ..... 2002-2004  
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 SoCal Rep: John Youngbauer ..... 2002-2004  
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 ABA Liaison: Gina Green ..... 2002-2004  
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## PEOPLE'S CARE, INC.

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*PROVIDING RESIDENTIAL AND DAY CARE SERVICES FOR THE DEVELOPMENTALLY DISABLED SINCE 1997*

Our growing company is seeking a behavior analyst with professional experience in the developmentally disabled field to conduct; functional assessments, develop and implement positive behavior support plans for children and adults, provide staff trainings on a weekly basis on various intervention methods and work collaboratively with public/non-public schools and our adult day care center.

Our company operates 7 small residential care facilities and one behavioral adult day care facility for developmentally disabled consumers.

**Qualifications:** Licensed Psychologist, LCSW, MFT, or **Certified Behavior Analyst**, with at least 1 year experience with the developmentally disabled population.

**We offer:**

Competitive salary                      40 hour work week  
 Very flexible work schedule with opportunity to work from home part of the time  
 401K    Medical and Dental

For more information contact: Michael Kaiser R.N. (626) 284-4925 or (626) 665-1080.  
 Fax resume to 626-284-4924    Email: pci1@pacbell.net

### PACIFIC CHILD AND FAMILY ASSOCIATES

#### POSITION OPENINGS

Los Angeles, Orange County,  
San Francisco Bay Area

**Supervisors:**

Master's degree in psychology, applied behavior analysis, or special education OR State teaching credential in special education. Three years experience working with children with developmental disabilities. Medical/dental benefits. Salary DOE.

**Behavior Therapists:**

Bachelor's degree in psychology, special education or related field. Experience working with children. We will train. Medical/dental benefits. Salary DOE.

Interested applicants fax or email  
current vita or resume to:

Ira Heilveil, Ph.D.  
Verdugo Hills Psychotherapy Center, APC  
Voice: 818.241.1123, ext. 2#  
Email: vinyl@vcnet.com  
Fax: 818.241.6853

### Manager, Behavioral Services – Position Available

#### REGIONAL CENTER OF ORANGE COUNTY

PO. Box 22010, Santa Ana, CA 92702-2010

Full time position available to oversee the quality of behavioral services for individuals with developmental disabilities in Orange County. RCOE is committed to using empirically supported interventions to assist its consumers in living maximally independent lives. Ongoing measurement of effectiveness is emphasized in a collegial, transdisciplinary working environment. Duties include: providing training in behavior analysis to RCOE staff, vendors and to parents of children with developmental disabilities; participating on the management team; coordinating outcomes research on the effectiveness of agency services; and assisting in systems analysis and strategic planning. BCBA and Doctorate preferred along with 5 yrs relevant experience. Competitive salary and benefits. For information or to apply, contact: RCOE Human Resources (714) 796-5211.

### Behavior Analyst – Position Available

#### THE ALEX CENTER

165 N. Myrtle Ave., Tustin, CA 92780

Seeking Behavior Analyst to conduct functional assessments, develop positive behavior support plans, and provide staff trainings for a nonpublic school and residence for children with acquired brain injuries. Qualifications: Master's degree or progress towards, prefer BACBA or BCBA, but will consider other qualified candidates. Full time. Competitive salary and benefits. For more information or to apply contact: Sharon Grandinette (714) 734-6062.

# CalABA Wishes to Thank the Members Who Make Special Contributions to Support the Work of the Association

## Lifetime Members:

Randy Keyworth  
Roy Mayer, BCBA  
Mary Ann Powers, BCBA  
Mark Sundberg, BCBA  
Vicci Tucci, BCBA

## 2003 Supporting Members:

Sandy Brown  
Susan Clare  
Marise Compass  
Paul Coyne  
Gina Green, BCBA  
Julie Holdridge-Prado  
Jane Howard, BCBA  
Heather Joslin, BCBA  
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**Save the date and get involved! Members are always welcome!**

6:30 pm on Saturday, May 24, 2003 at the ABA Convention in San Francisco (see ABA Program for location)

July 17, 2003 in the Los Angeles Area

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*Call the CalABA office for locations and times.*



# California Association for Behavior Analysis

## 2003 Membership Application Form

**Personal Information (PLEASE PRINT):**

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_  
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\*We are going to an electronic newsletter, so please indicate if you prefer or otherwise need a hard copy \_\_\_\_\_  
 Check here if you do not want to be listed in our online directory (online listing will include name, county and email address)

**Position Title:** Please check the one box that most closely describes your job title:

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> 01 Administrator            | <input type="checkbox"/> 02 Student                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 03 Consultant/Staff Trainer | <input type="checkbox"/> 04 Professor/Academic          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 05 Psychologist/Therapist   | <input type="checkbox"/> 06 Researcher                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 07 Social Worker            | <input type="checkbox"/> 08 Speech/Language Pathologist |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 09 School Teacher           | <input type="checkbox"/> 00 Other _____                 |

**Primary Activity:** Please check the one box that most closely describes how you spend the majority of your time at work:

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> 01 Administration            | <input type="checkbox"/> 02 Clinical                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 03 Consulting/Staff Training | <input type="checkbox"/> 04 Research                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 05 Student                   | <input type="checkbox"/> 06 Teaching                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 07 Retired                   | <input type="checkbox"/> 08 Speech/Language Pathologist |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 09 Other _____               |   |

**Primary Discipline:** Please check the one box that most closely describes your field of study:

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> 01 Behavior Analysis         | <input type="checkbox"/> 02 Communication Disorders |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 03 Education                 | <input type="checkbox"/> 04 Medicine                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 05 Organizational Management | <input type="checkbox"/> 06 Pharmacology            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 07 Clinical Psychology       | <input type="checkbox"/> 08 Social Work             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 09 Animal Behavior           | <input type="checkbox"/> 00 Other _____             |

**\* Sustaining \* Supporting \* Full Members\* complete the following section:**

Professional License or Certification:  Yes  No  
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 Degree Held (list most recent degree received):  
 Degree \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_  
 Behavior Analyst  Associate Behavior Analyst  
 01 MFCC  02 School Psychologist  
 03 Educational Psychologist  04 Clinical Psychologist  
 05 Teacher  06 LCSW  
 07 Speech & Language Pathologist  
 00 Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 Certificate/License number(s), if applicable:  
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**Membership Categories and Fees**

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sustaining Member \$110.00 | <input type="checkbox"/> Full Professional \$70.00       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Supporting Member \$85.00  | <input type="checkbox"/> Affiliate/Parent Member \$35.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Certified Member \$70.00   | <input type="checkbox"/> Student Member \$35.00          |

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<input type="checkbox"/> Other	_____	_____

**Verification of Student Status:**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, certify that \_\_\_\_\_ is a full-time student, or resident, at \_\_\_\_\_  
 Faculty signature and Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Method of Payment:**

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