A Spectrum of Connection: Relationships—
What’s Not Working, How to Fix It and Other Topics

A Group Conversation with Madeline Barger, MS, LMFT, BCBA:
Sex positive advocate, therapist, and autism specialist

WHAT: a conversation where topics could include social skills and
dating, online dating, sexuality, friendships and more. We will include
some examples, practical suggestions, ideas and most importantly—
your experiences and questions.

WHO: young adults and older teens who consider themselves to be on
the autism spectrum, including those who identify as being Asperger’s

WHEN: Saturday, January 27, 2018
10:00am-Noon
Alicia Ashman Library
733 High Point Road, Madison

REGISTRATION: no need to register and this is a free event. If you have
questions, call the Autism Society of South Central Wisconsin at
608.630.9147.

About the conversation leader: Madeline Barger has spent the last 10 years working nearly exclusively with people
with autism in family, couple, and individual units. Her interest began during her undergraduate work at UW
Madison. Barger is a Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist and received a Master of Science in Marriage and
Family therapy from Edgewood College. She is also a Board Certified Behavior Analyst with training from Ball State
University. Barger is the Clinic Coordinator and Transition Age Lead at the Waisman Autism Treatment
Programs. Barger is currently enrolled in the Sexual Health Program at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor. Upon
completion, Barger will be one of the few sex therapists with this combination of experiences in the world.

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