# Making Sense of Sensory: Understanding and Supporting SPD

## ★ Workshop Overview

Children with sensory processing difficulties may be labeled as dramatic, defiant, or distracted—but often they're just trying to cope with overwhelming input. This workshop helps adults **see behavior through a sensory lens** and offers concrete, body-based strategies from the Thrive Method to reduce overload and support regulationm, so children can feel calm, focused, and safe in their environment.

#### **■ Who Should Attend?**

- Occupational Therapists
- Educators & School Staff
- ✓ Mental Health & Allied Professionals
- ✓ Parents & Caregivers of sensory-sensitive children

#### What You'll Learn

- 6 How to recognize sensory-seeking and sensory-avoiding behaviors
- Two why some children overreact to noise, touch, or movement, and others do not at all.
- \* Practical tools to support sensory regulation in daily life
- 👃 Techniques to help children stay calm and organized in a classroom, home, or therapy.
- Now to build understanding, not frustration, when a child is "acting out" due to sensory stress

### Workshop Details

- Duration: Customizable (typically 2–6 hours)
- Format: In-person or virtual
- Email: info@thethrivegroup.co
- Websites: www.thethrivegroup.co | www.otinyourpocket.com
- Decode the sensory world—gain strategies to calm chaos, boost learning, and nurture nervous system balance.