



Esther C Bubb ABA Services Presents

## COMPASSIONATE ABA IN RBT PRACTICE

A FREE RBT PD Event

In alignment with the BACB's 2026 RBT professional development requirements and the advancement of ABA, this interactive professional development session will explore how RBTs can incorporate compassionate, assent-based practices into everyday sessions. Participants will learn to recognize client assent and dissent, implement choice-driven strategies, and maintain dignity while promoting skill acquisition. Through practical examples and brief case scenarios, attendees will strengthen their ability to deliver effective, client-centered ABA that fosters engagement and trust.

### Learning Objectives

- **Identify** common indicators of assent, dissent, and client discomfort.
- **Describe** core components of compassionate, assent-based ABA.
- **Explain** strategies that promote shared control, choice-making, and dignity.
- **Apply** assent-based responses to brief case scenarios.
- **Discuss** the impact of compassionate ABA on engagement and treatment integrity.

**Test Content Outline, 3<sup>rd</sup> Edition:** E2, F1, F9, F10

**Intended Audience:** RBTs

**Event Level:** Intermediate

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Monday, February 16th, 2026  
5:00 – 6:00 PM, EST via ZOOM

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### Instructor: Dr. Esther C. Bubb, EdD, BCBA, LBS

Dr. Bubb is an educator, leader, and advocate who has dedicated her career to making early education more inclusive, equitable, and impactful. With over 20 years of experience spanning classrooms, universities, and leadership roles, she currently serves as Supervisor of Special Education for Early Childhood Programs at Bucks County Intermediate Unit, where she leads innovative programs for Preschool Early Intervention, Head Start, and Pre-K Counts.

Her background is as diverse as her expertise—holding an Ed.D. in Special Education, an MBA, and Principal (PK-12) Certification. Dr. Bubb combines systems-level leadership with hands-on behavioral expertise to bridge the gap between policy, practice, and meaningful outcomes for children. She also shapes future educators as an adjunct professor, teaching graduate courses on leadership, urban education, assessment, and applied behavior analysis.

Dr. Bubb is a sought-after presenter who has inspired audiences at state and national conferences with practical, forward-thinking strategies. Her passion is rooted in a simple belief: every child deserves access to high-quality, inclusive education, where educators change lives.

