Autism Society of Pittsburgh Participates in Forensics Science Symposium

On October 20, 2016, Jesse Torisky co-presented an Autism and Juvenile Justice program with Dr. Tammy Hughes at the Forensic Science & Law Symposium at Duquesne University. Jesse and Tammy provided instruction to fellow attorneys and educators on the traits and characteristics of autism and the interaction of autistic persons who become involved in the juvenile justice system, detailing the increasing frequency of interactions with law enforcement and the challenges faced by juvenile justice professionals.