



Autism Speaks™ **FAMILY SERVICES**

Autism Speaks Family Services offers resources, tool kits, and support to help families and others manage the day-to-day challenges of living with autism.

RESOURCES

The Resource Guide is a nationwide database that contains over 45,000 resources and provides individuals and families with local resources that service a variety of needs from early intervention through adult care. It is one of the largest databases of autism resources and service providers in the U.S., searchable by state or by zip code, resources are organized in over 70 categories. **All resources are available online, at no charge at www.AutismSpeaks.org/family-services.**

OUTREACH

Family Services Outreach projects spotlight important topics to promote awareness and information to the autism community. Community Connections, a monthly e-mail newsletter, offers practical tips on dealing with everyday situations, and up-to date information from experts and families who share their success stories.

TOOL KITS

100 Day Kit, available in English and Spanish, provides information for families whose child has recently been diagnosed with autism. Asperger Syndrome/High-Functioning Autism Tool Kit is also available.

School Community Tool Kit provides information and resources for general education and administrative school staff to support a positive school experience for children with autism.

Family Support Tool Kits help teach family members and friends more about autism and its effects on families, and provide resources and support to enable them to lead happy and successful lives with their loved ones with autism.

Transition Tool Kit serves as a guide to assist families on the journey from adolescence to adulthood.

GIVING BACK TO THE COMMUNITY

Family Services Community Grants serve to build the field of services for individuals with autism and expand the capacity to effectively serve the autism community. Other grant programs provide camper scholarships and support for financially disadvantaged families during natural disasters and other catastrophic events.

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