

# Autism Awareness Interagency Roundtable

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FIRESIDE CHAT- FEDERAL PANEL

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What is your agency doing to increase and support the early recognition of Autism through screening, evaluation, and treatment?

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# Federal Responses

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- Public Health Approach
- Improve Access to Services
- Early Screening, Diagnostic Testing, Diagnosis, and Treatment
- Promote Evidence-Based Practices
- Grants & Initiatives
- Education, Training, Consultation, & Technical Assistance
- Presentations & Webinars
- Build Partnerships and Collaborations
- Support Research



What agency activities and/or resources do you have available for those on the autism spectrum and their families?

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# Federal Responses

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- Grants & Initiatives
- Research-Based, Patient-Friendly Materials
- Free Apps
- Training Curriculum & Toolkits
- Education, Training, Consultation, & Technical Assistance
- Telebehavioral Health
- Resources Websites & Service Locator
- Employment & Workforce Development
- Protection and Advocacy Systems
- Epidemiologic Studies & Other Research



What agency resources may support adaptive learning in educational and workforce environments?

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# Federal Responses

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- Research-Based, Patient-Friendly Materials
- Training Courses & Curriculum
- Education, Training, Consultation, & Technical Assistance
- Family Interventions & Support to Overcome Barriers
- Workforce Grants & Initiatives
- Research Programs



What existing agency collaborations are focused on autism?

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# Federal Responses

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- Federal Partnerships & Interagency Committees/Workgroups
- National Organizations
- State & Local Health & Education Departments
- Academic Institutions
- ECHO (Extension for Community Healthcare Outcomes) Autism
- Home Visiting Programs
- Grantee Collaborations



# Question & Answer Session

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