



Autism Spectrum Disorder Resources for Walla Walla Region:

General Information for parents and families:

Autism Speaks www.autismspeaks.org

- The 100-Day Kit (families who have received an Autism diagnosis within the last 6 months can request a free hard copy. English and Spanish)
- Tool-kits and information about topics (ex. Sleep, constipation, safety)

Partnership Access Line

<https://www.seattlechildrens.org/globalassets/documents/healthcare-professionals/pal/family/wa-family-autism-resources.pdf> (English)

<https://www.seattlechildrens.org/globalassets/documents/healthcare-professionals/pal/family-spanish/sp-wa-family-autism-resources.pdf> (Spanish)

- Resources for families: Autism Handout

Seattle Children's Autism Center

<https://www.seattlechildrens.org/clinics/autism-center/patient-family-resources/>

- Many resources, including The Autism Blog and Autism 101/200 classes

Yakima Children's Village

- helps children with special health and developmental needs and their families.
- <https://www.yakimachildreenvillage.org/>

RUBI Autism Network

<https://www.rubinetwork.org>

- Parent Workbook in English and Spanish (cost associated)

Online Trainings/Information

Informing Families Website

- Valuable Resource that has information by age and stages of life, Ready Set Know Handouts, videos and bulletins
- <https://www.informingfamilies.org/>

Autism Internet Modules <https://autisminternetmodules.org/>

- 50 free online, self-paced modules designed for caretakers and professionals

AFIRM Modules <https://afirm.fpg.unc.edu/afirm-modules>

- Free online caregiver/instructor modules using evidence-based practices

Local/Regional Resources for Families

Walla Walla Valley Disability Network www.wwvvn.org (509)255-3779

Information, trainings, and Support, including local resources for families of children with special needs. Sponsors Parent to Parent.

Parent to Parent (P2P) Walla Walla

- Geneva Arevalo, P2P Coordinator/Informing Families Coordinator: p2p@wwvvn.org (509) 255-3727
- Ysabel Fuentes, Hispanic P2P Coordinator/Informing Families Coordinator: p2pespanol@wwvvn.org
- Serves Walla Walla, Columbia, and Garfield Counties.

Parent to Parent TriCities

Provides Information, training, and support for families of children with special needs.

- Melissa Brooks, P2P Coordinator: p2p@arcoftricity.com
- Martha Jones, Multicultural P2P Coordinator: marthaj@arcoftricity.com
- Provides online parent classes, including new ASD diagnosis Navigation
- <https://arcoftricity.com/resources/local-resources-directory>

ABA Therapy

Focused Behavior Solutions <https://www.focusedbehaviorsolutions.com/wallawalla>

- 1 800-781-5536 or admin@focusedbehaviorsolutions.com
- Accepts Medicaid

Tele-ABA providers for WA and OR

- Positive Behavioral Supports Corporation: www.teampbs.com

ABA providers for Milton Freewater:

- Greater Oregon Behavioral Health Inc. (GOHBI), referred through Lifeways: www.lifeways.org/milton-freewater-oregon

ABA providers For Tri-Cities

- Forta: <https://www.fortahealth.com/aba-therapy>

Functional Behavioral Solutions

- (509) 200-3004
- Private Pay Only
- Serves Children 2-12 years

Speech/Language and Occupational Therapy

Providence Outpatient Therapy www.providence.org (509) 897-3320

- Accepts Medicaid

Columbia County Health System (509) 382-2531

- Dayton General Hospital www.cchd-wa.org
- Accepts Medicaid

Sensory Products: www.therapysshoppe.com

Picture Communication: www.do2learn.com

Additional Resources

Developmental Disabilities Administration (DDA/DDCS)

Provides different services and supports for those who are eligible not based on family income

- WA: <https://www.dshs.wa.gov/dda> (509) 394-1069
- OR: <https://www.co.umatilla.orr.us/dd/index.html>
- 1371 W. Pine St in Walla Walla by appointment only call 1800 462-0624

CYSHCN https://www.co.walla-walla.wa.us/government/health_department/cyshcn.php

- Department of Community Health-Children and youth with special healthcare needs resource page

Supplemental Security Income

- Benefits based on family income if individual with disability is under 18
- Benefits based on individual's income if 18 and older
- [https://www.ssi.gov/apply/ssi or 1-800-772-1213](https://www.ssi.gov/apply/ssi%20or%201-800-772-1213)

Ben's Fund

- <https://www.bensfund.org/apply-to-our-grant/>
- Grants of up to \$1000 for Washington families with children with ASD

Big Red Safety Box

- Those diagnosed with an Autism Spectrum Disorder, and who are at risk of wandering/bolting from a safe environment, qualify to receive a Big Red Safety Box while supplies allow.
- <https://nationalautismassociation.org/big-red-safety-box/>

Medication Consideration

- Information about using medication to help with behavioral symptoms of ASD can be found through Autism Speaks
- <https://www.autismspeaks.org/tool-kit/atnair-p-medication-decision-aid>