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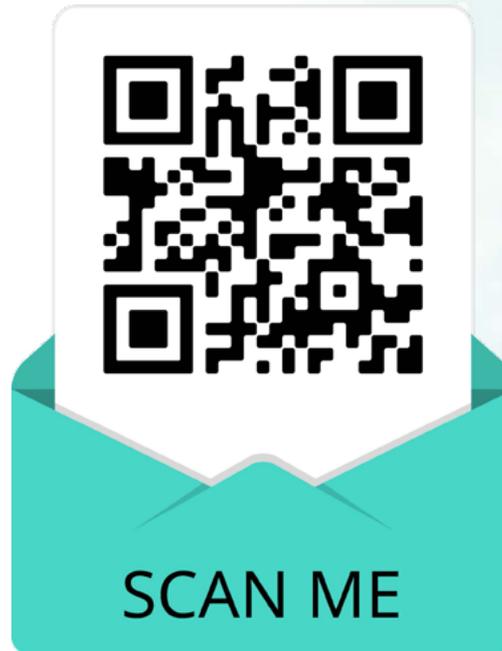


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We invite you to take a survey in regard to your family's/child's diagnostic experience.

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Autism BrainNet promotes rigorous research on postmortem brain tissue to better understand the biological causes of autism and related neurodevelopmental conditions. For the latest information about the program and research findings, visit [autismbrainnet.org](https://www.autismbrainnet.org) and subscribe to our newsletter at [autismbrainnet.org/newsletter](https://www.autismbrainnet.org/newsletter).

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Autism Navigator is a free, online resource that provides educational opportunities and an interactive video to give parents and caregivers the tools necessary to provide their child the best life possible, especially low-income families who lack access to leading professionals. Extensive resources are available, from dedicated guides on topics like communication development in infants and toddlers and classroom success for children with ASDs to videos on how to administer interventions.

To learn more visit <https://autismnavigator.com/>



The UCLA Baby BIBLE project is part of an Autism Center of Excellent (ACE) grant funded by the National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (NICHD), one of only three ACE grants in the US. The ACE supports research using brain imaging technology to chart brain development among individuals having genes suspected of contributing to ASD. The ultimate goal is to link genetic variants to distinct patterns of brain development, structure and function in ASD.

<https://www.babybibs.org>

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Baby Navigator is an online resource that supports parents to learn about early signs of developmental concerns during infancy, and also builds skills to improve communication, social interaction and other skill development. Learn how early signs of language delay and autism can impact your child's development, what you can do about it, and how you can build your care team.

For more information visit <https://babynavigator.com/>



The Baby Siblings Research Consortium (BSRC) is a multidisciplinary, collaborative community of researchers and clinicians committed to understanding the developmental origins and earliest signs of autism spectrum disorder (ASD) by studying infants at a high risk of receiving an autism diagnosis. Over the last decade, through rigorous studies conducted by investigators across multiple sites, the BSRC has identified both behavioral and biological markers of risk and disrupted development prior to the age of diagnosis, sparking studies of early intervention in infancy. The BSRC shares this knowledge with investigators, parents, and clinicians who provide care to communities, and shares research strategies with all those investigating high risk populations.

For more information visit:

<https://www.babysiblingsresearchconsortium.org/>



The BRIDGE study is examining how brain development impacts language growth in 2-5 year olds. They are recruiting the Boston area, and families receive a gift card, a toy, children for siblings, and a written report of completed language and cognitive assessments

<https://www.childrenshospital.org/research/labs/wilkinson-lab/our-research/current-studies>

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A.J. Drexel

Autism Institute

The A.J. Drexel Autism Institute is working to develop and test a screening questionnaire for ASD risk for young school age children (age 5–8 years). We are currently recruiting parents of children ages 5–8 or educators (teachers, special education teachers, intervention providers) with at least 5 years of experience working with students on the autism spectrum.

If interested, please email ChildStudies@drexel.edu or call 484-775-0453.

https://drexel.edu/~media/Files/autismInstitute/Flyers/Flyer_M-CHAT-S_update.ashx?la=en

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The Interagency Autism Coordinating Committee (IACC) is a Federal advisory committee that coordinates Federal efforts and provides advice to the Secretary of Health and Human Services on issues related to autism. The IACC provides a public forum to discuss a wide range of ideas and perspectives. They regularly to discuss business, agency updates, and issues related to autism research and services activities. The next Committee meeting will be held virtually on April 13-14, 2022, and is open to the public. Recordings of all previous meetings are also available on our website, <https://iacc.hhs.gov/>.

The Office of Autism Research Coordination (OARC) coordinates and manages the IACC and related cross-agency autism activities, programs, and policies. OARC produces a quarterly newsletter, which includes recent IACC activity, news, events, and publications.

Subscription to the mailing list is available on our website: <https://iacc.hhs.gov/news/newsletter/>

The OARC also writes a Report to Congress on the Health and Well-Being of Individuals with ASD. This report provides an overview of federal research, services, and support activities that seek to improve the health and well being of individuals with autism spectrum disorder and other developmental disorders.

<https://iacc.hhs.gov/publications/report-to-congress/2021/>



INFANT BRAIN IMAGING STUDY

The IBIS Network is a group of researchers with 5 locations across the United States investigating brain development in developmental disabilities. The IBIS Network has a history of investigating brain and behavior development of infants with an older sibling with autism through use of MRI and thorough developmental assessments.

<https://ibis-network.com>



A clinical research study focused on social and communication difficulties and restricted and repetitive behaviors. Autism Spectrum Disorder is a developmental condition characterized by two core symptoms: 1) difficulties with social interaction and communication and 2) restricted and repetitive behaviors.

The AuRoRa Borealis Study will examine an investigational drug that may help adolescents and adults (ages 15 to 45) with these core symptoms of autism.

<https://auroraautismstudy.com/>



Access to evidence-based assessment and treatment is often limited by restrictions imposed by health insurance providers. To understand the pervasiveness and impact of these barriers, we invite licensed clinicians (all disciplines) to report on their experiences with coverage gaps, denials, and limitations while serving the autism and intellectual/developmental disability communities.

<https://cmhredcap.cmh.edu/surveys/?s=CTATL3JATD>

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*Seaver Autism
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The Seaver Autism Center is a fully integrated translational research center dedicated to being international leaders for precision medicine in autism.

The Center's Clinical Research Program provides state-of-the-art genetic evaluations, as well as "gold standard" diagnostic and cognitive assessments for all patients participating in studies. The comprehensive reports given to families based on the assessments are invaluable resources to parents and caregivers to help advocate for their loved ones to receive the services they require and deserve to achieve optimum quality of life.

Learn more: <http://www.seaverautismcenter.org/>

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Advances in Autism Conference

Tuesday, May 24 | Free to Attend Online

The Seaver Autism Center's Advances in Autism Conference is on Tuesday, May 24. Options available to attend in-person in NYC or virtually from anywhere. Nearly 200 genes have been identified that, if changed, strongly contribute to autism. Researchers must now shift their focus from tackling a single cause to combatting many.

Learn more and register:

<http://giving.mountsinai.org/SeaverAdvancesInAutism>

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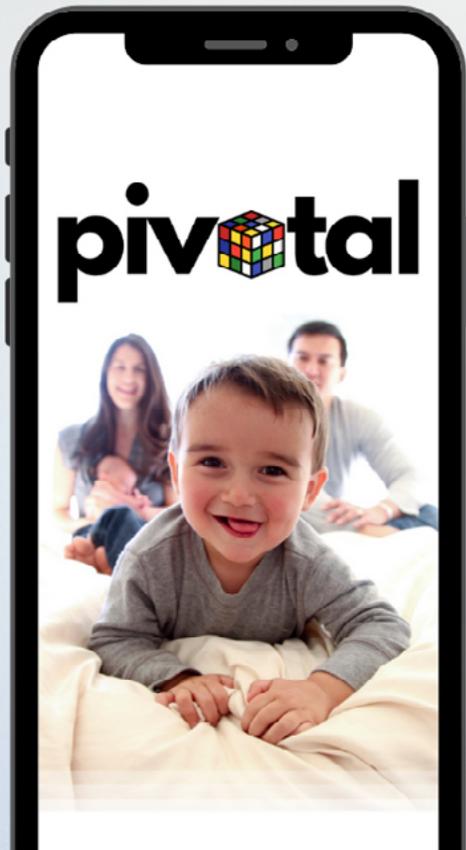


Simons Powering Autism Research

SPARK is an online research study with a simple mission: speed up research and advance the understanding of autism. Any individual with a professional diagnosis of autism and living in the United States can join by visiting SPARKforAutism.org.

<https://sparkforautism.org>

LEARN A MOTIVATION-BASED EARLY
AUTISM INTERVENTION FROM A FREE
APP ON YOUR PHONE...



This DoD-funded project focuses on evaluating a smartphone app-based program to train parents in a highly effective play-based autism intervention. The Pivotal App is intended to teach parents how to use child motivation and interests to target social communication skills through 8 weekly modules that they can complete at home.

<https://education.ucsb.edu/autism/research/prtapp>

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Join us in person or virtually for our annual Wall Street Rides FAR on October 1, 2022. This event is for everyone with fully supported routes from 4-miles to 62-miles plus a 5K trail hike!

Use Promo Code **DoL22** for 50% off registration.

<https://wallstreetridesfar.org/>



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[https://medicine.yale.edu/
lab/chawarska/participate/](https://medicine.yale.edu/lab/chawarska/participate/)

Newborn study:

We are currently recruiting newborns with or without an older sibling with autism for a study on the development of the human brain. This Autism Center of Excellence (ACE) study will help our understanding of the fundamental brain changes that occur in ASD and how these changes affect social development. It will also help develop monitoring and intervention strategies.

Infant study:

We are currently recruiting infants for a study on emotional development in early childhood. This study will help us develop better methods for early diagnosis and intervention for behavioral and emotional challenges. We are recruiting infants 4 months of age or younger who have older siblings with ASD or typically developing older siblings.

School-age study:

Our Autism Center of Excellence (ACE) school-aged studies examine brain connectivity in school-age children with ASD. Children with ASD, children who have an older sibling with ASD, and typically developing children are all eligible for our study examining brain connectivity in school-aged children. Another project examines biological differences in early neurodevelopment in pairs of brothers where either one or both brothers are diagnosed with ASD.

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