Where can I find more information?

National Resources
- First signs [www.firstsigns.org](http://www.firstsigns.org)
- American Academy of Pediatrics [www.aap.org](http://www.aap.org) (search autism)
- Centers for Disease Control 1-800-232-4636 [www.cdc.gov](http://www.cdc.gov) (search autism)
- Autism NOW 1-855-828-8476 [www.autismnow.org](http://www.autismnow.org)
- Autism Speaks First 100 Days Kit [www.autismspeaks.org/community/family_services/100_day_kit.php](http://www.autismspeaks.org/community/family_services/100_day_kit.php)
- Autism Speaks Family Response Team 1-888-288-4762 [www.autismspeaks.org](http://www.autismspeaks.org)
- Ohio Center for Autism and Low Incidence (OCALI) [www.ocali.org/center/autism](http://www.ocali.org/center/autism)
- National Professional Development Center on Autism Spectrum Disorders [autismpdc.fpg.unc.edu/](http://autismpdc.fpg.unc.edu/)
- Association for Science in Autism Treatment (ASAT) [www.asatonline.org](http://www.asatonline.org)
- Interactive Autism Network (IAN) [www.iancommunity.org](http://www.iancommunity.org)

Find the full Navigating Services for Young Children with Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) guide at: [http://ddi.wayne.edu](http://ddi.wayne.edu)

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How do I get services for my child?

- Early On 1-800-Early On
  [www.1800earlyon.org](http://www.1800earlyon.org)
- Head Start (ages 3-5) and Early Head Start (ages 0-3) 1-517-374-6472
- Great Start Readiness Program 1-517-373-8483
- Michigan Department of Community Health 1-517-373-3740
- Michigan Department of Human Services 1-855-275-6424
  [www.michigan.gov/dhs](http://www.michigan.gov/dhs)
- Michigan Department of Special Education 1-517-373-0923
  [www.michigan.gov/mde](http://www.michigan.gov/mde)
- ISD Directory of School Districts
  [mich.info/michigan/education/schooldistricts.htm](http://mich.info/michigan/education/schooldistricts.htm)
- Autism Alliance of Michigan Resource Directory
  [autismallianceofmichigan.org/services-resources](http://autismallianceofmichigan.org/services-resources)

Who can help with screening, evaluation, and diagnosis?

### Medical Diagnosis
- Contact your child’s primary care physician for a well–child visit and screening with the Modified Checklist for Autism in Toddlers (M-CHAT) [www.m-chat.org](http://www.m-chat.org)

### Educational Assessment
- Early On 1-800-Early On
  [www.1800earlyon.org/](http://www.1800earlyon.org/)
- Contact your local school district for a multi-disciplinary evaluation [mich.info/michigan/education/schooldistricts.htm](http://mich.info/michigan/education/schooldistricts.htm)

How do I pay for services and support?

- Autism Society of MI: How to get help
  [www.autism-mi.org/resources/index.html](http://www.autism-mi.org/resources/index.html)
- Michigan Department of Community Health
  [www.michigan.gov/mdch](http://www.michigan.gov/mdch)
- Family Support Subsidy 1-517-241-5773
  [1.usa.gov/wku7DH](http://1.usa.gov/wku7DH)
- Children’s Waiver Program 1-517-241-5757
  [1.usa.gov/AagriV](http://1.usa.gov/AagriV)
- Michigan Health Care Programs
  [1.usa.gov/3qKiNKR](http://1.usa.gov/3qKiNKR)
- Medicaid and Medicare
- Affordable Healthcare Coverage in Michigan
  [bridges4kids.org/f2f/mdch.ins.booklet.pdf](http://bridges4kids.org/f2f/mdch.ins.booklet.pdf)

How do I get help at home with childcare and respite?

- Check with your local Community Mental Health Service Program.
- Family Guide for Respite Care in Michigan
- National Respite Network: Michigan
- Childcare and Preschool Resources
  [greatstartforkids.org/connect/](http://greatstartforkids.org/connect/)

Who can help with advocacy?

- Michigan Alliance for Families 1-800-552-4821
  [www.michiganallianceforfamilies.org](http://www.michiganallianceforfamilies.org)

How do I help teach and support my child at home?

- Autism Internet Modules (AIM)
  [www.autismininternetmodules.org](http://www.autismininternetmodules.org)
- Michigan Alliance for Families 1-800-552-4821
  [www.michiganallianceforfamilies.org](http://www.michiganallianceforfamilies.org)
- Find a local parent group by talking to school staff