Austin Area
Autism Resource Guide

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The Austin Area Task Force of the Texas Council on Autism and Pervasive Developmental Disorders (PDD) includes representatives from Williamson, Travis, and Hays Counties in central Texas. Representatives include parents of children, adolescents, and adults with autism and PDD, representatives from the Autism Society of Greater Austin, area school district personnel, area MHMR personnel, private agency personnel, the autism specialist from Education Service Center 13, and private care providers. The charge of the Task Force is to regularly provide feedback to the Texas Council regarding needs of individuals with autism and PDD in the Austin area and recommendations for their state plan. While proceeding with this task, it became apparent that parents and professionals in this geographic region needed a comprehensive resource guide. This document was compiled and will be disseminated with the assistance of ASGA.

The Autism Society of Greater Austin (ASGA) is a chapter of the Autism Society of America (ASA). ASGA and ASA share a straightforward mission: improving the lives of all affected by autism. ASGA strives to do this by advocating for the education and training of parents and professionals involved in educating and caring for persons with autism; helping develop a better understanding of the challenges of persons with autism and their families throughout the central Texas area by serving as a clearinghouse for information about autism; and, most importantly, providing parents with pertinent and current information so they may be better advocates for their children with autism.

Please note that reference in this manual to any treatment or therapy option or to any program, service or treatment provider is not an endorsement of those treatments, therapy options, programs, services or providers by ASGA, ASA, or the Task Force. In addition, such references to treatment or therapy options, programs, services or providers are not intended to be comprehensive statements of all those that are available. We recommend that readers investigate other resources to obtain additional information for individual applications. ASGA and the Task Force assume no responsibility for the use made of any information published in this manual.

Volunteer members of ASGA and the Austin Task Force of the Texas Council for Autism and PDD compiled this resource guide. We have made every effort to ensure that this list is accurate, but we recognize that some of this information may change. Please help us by e-mailing any additions, changes, corrections, or suggestions to Ann Hart, ASGA Board Member (ann-hart@austin.rr.com), or Jo Webber, Chair, Austin Task Force on Autism, (jw10@txstate.edu). Thank you in advance for helping future users of this list.
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Local Resources

Adult Day Programs

Alternative Business Services-Day Habilitation, Sheltered Workshop
1108 Kramer Lane Ste. A, Austin, Texas 78758
(512) 454-9682

Austin Travis County MHMR-NOW Employment Services
5225 N Lamar Blvd., Austin, TX 78751
(512) 483-5830

Austin Resource Center for Independent Living (ARCIL)
825 E. Rundberg Lane, Suite E-6, Austin, TX 78753
(512) 832-6349
arcil@arcil.com

525 Round Rock West, Suite A120, Round Rock, TX 78681
(512) 828-4624
roundrock@arcil.com
www.arcil.com

Empowerment Options
1106 Clayton Lane. Ste 250W, Austin, Texas 78723
(512) 338-4493

Exceptional Employment Services, Inc.
1825 38 ½ Street, Austin, Texas 78722
(512) 482-8778

Goodwill Industries-Central Austin
1015 Norwood Park Boulevard, Austin, TX 78753
(512) 637-7100
www.austingoodwill.org

Mc Beth Recreation Center (see “Recreation”)

The Retreat-Day habilitation program
4622 S. Lamar, Austin, TX 78745
(512) 423-9176
www.hclcaustin.org

The Vaughn House, Inc.
1701 Evergreen Avenue Austin, TX 78704
(512) 444-6081
www.vaughnhouse.org
Vaughn House serves multi-handicapped deaf adults. Day program and vocational program.
Adult Residential Services

College Living Experience Austin
Janet E. Saul, Psychologist
email: jsaul@esa-education.com
(512) 339-7878 x 3404
www.cleinc.net

Community Access
HCS, ICF-MR, Day Habilitation
Corporate Headquarters
1611 E. Fifth Street, Tyler, Texas 75701
Voice: (903) 595-5644  Toll Free: (800) 921-9225
Community Access operates 11 ICF/MR six-bed group homes located in Texas in the cities of Tyler, Greenville and the Dallas/Fort Worth area.

Community Care, Inc.
Administrative Offices
108 E. Industrial Street, De Witt, IA 52742
(563) 659-4100  Local: (512) 355-3184
www.communitycareonline.com/index.html
Groups homes in Marble Falls, Burnet & Bertram

Community Options
6705 Hwy 290 West, Suite 502, #249, Austin, Texas 78735
(512) 844-2956
Group homes, respite, habilitation/socialization, supported employment, individual supports

D & S Residential Services
225 S. Commons Ford Rd., Austin, TX 78733
(512) 402-0506
http://www.dsresidential.com/

Disability Services of the Southwest (DSSW)
(512) 419-1962
Disability Services provides home care to individuals who have qualified for services under the Community Living Assistance Support Services (CLASS). The Consumer Directed Service Program supports programs in CLASS, CBA, PHC and MDCP.

Doubletree Residential Service
Cleo White
2111 West Slaughter Lane, Austin, TX 78748
(512) 280-3665

EduCare Community Living
8007 Burnet Road, Austin, TX 78757-8122
(512) 454-6333
http://www.educaretexas.com/

Exceptional Employment Services, Inc.
1825 38½ Street, Austin, Texas 78722
(512) 482-8778

**Fe Care Inc.**
19365 FM 2252 #9, Gardenridge, TX 78266
(210) 651-3077
Group homes in Lockhart, Menchaca, & Sequin

**James-Leach, Inc.**
339 W. Colorado, La Grange, TX 78945
(979) 968-6502
Group homes in La Grange, Giddings, & West Point

**KenMar Residential Services**
13809 Research Blvd, Austin, TX 78750
(512) 336 0800
[www.kenmartx.com/icf_homes.html](http://www.kenmartx.com/icf_homes.html)

**Marbridge**
P.O. Box 2250, Manchaca, TX 78652
(512) 282-1144
Marbridge provides a community where adult residents with cognitive challenges can achieve their full potential through *Abilities Centered Training* with the opportunity for lifetime care.

**Mary Lee Foundation**
John McFate, Administrator
Developmental Disabilities/Adult Services 512-442-6077
1339 Lamar Square Drive, Austin, Texas 78704
(512) 443-5777

**Mosaic in South Central Texas**
12107 Toepperwein Rd. Live Oak, TX
(210) 967.0566
[www.mosaicinfo.org/south_central_texas](http://www.mosaicinfo.org/south_central_texas)
11 group homes in San Antonio, Seguin, and New Braunfels. We also provide Foster Care/Host Home setting to support individuals throughout San Antonio, Seguin and Round Rock.

**Progressive Life of Austin**
2579 Western Trail Ste. 140, Austin, TX 78745
(512) 892-2191

**ResCare Services**
3711 San Antonio St., Austin, TX 78734
(512) 328-1832

**Texas MENTOR**
**Program Manager: Lori Frasco**
lori.frasco@thementornetwork.com
1106 Clayton Lane , Suite 230 W , Austin , TX 78723
(512) 420-8811
Home and community based services; therapeutic foster care; case management; wraparound planning

Tri-County MHMR
http://www.tcmhmrs.org/

Advocacy & Advocacy Education

David Beinke, Advocate
(512) 784-3666

Council of Parent Attorneys and Advocates (COPAA)
www.copaa.net/
(443) 451-5270

Disability Policy Consortium Project
1016 Posada, Suite 145, Austin, TX 78752
(512) 371-1783
www.dpctexas.org
The Disability Policy Consortium of Texas (DPC) is an independent group of health and disability advocacy organizations committed to promoting the rights, inclusion and independence of Texans with disabilities. The DPC is a vehicle for advocacy organizations to unite their voices on important issues.

The Families/Advocates Partnership for Education
(952) 838-9000
www.fape.org
Helping parents and advocates improve educational results for children with disabilities.

Pat Howey, Advocate
(She is in Indiana & provides training nationwide.)
www.pathowey.com/

PATH Project
Serving: Region 5 (Beaumont), Region 6 (Huntsville), Region 7 (Kilgore), Region 8 (Mt. Pleasant), Region 9 (Wichita Falls), Region 10 (Richardson), Region 11 (Fort Worth), Region 12 (Waco), and Region 13 (Austin)
Alice Robertson, Project Director
1090 Longfellow Drive, Beaumont, Texas 77760
(409) 898-4684 Office    Toll-free: 800-866-4726
E-mail: partnersresource@sbcglobal.net
http://www.partnerstx.org/

The projects share the common purpose of empowering parents of children and youth with disabilities in their roles as parents, decision makers, and advocates for their children.
Autism Consultants

**Autism & Behavior Consulting**  
Kathy A. Palomo, M.Ed.  
(512) 577-2266  
[www.autismbehaviorconsultant.com](http://www.autismbehaviorconsultant.com)

Providing comprehensive Behavioral and Educational Interventions and Support for individuals with developmental delays, autism spectrum disorders, behavior disorders, and mental health concerns. Behavior consultation through a wrap-around approach involves working with the individual, family, educational team and private providers. Servicing school, home & community.

**Autism Spectrum Instructional Resources (ASpIRE)**  
Allison Gouris, M.Ed., BCBA  
[allison.gouris@autismconsulting.org](mailto:allison.gouris@autismconsulting.org)  
(512) 656-1835  
Kristi Swice, M. Ed., BCBA  
[kristi.swice@autismconsulting.org](mailto:kristi.swice@autismconsulting.org)  
(512) 423-3225  
[www.autismconsulting.org](http://www.autismconsulting.org)

Consultants design intensive home-based therapy programs based on the principles of Applied Behavior Analysis which are tailored to each client’s individual needs. Services include quarterly workshops; intensive weekly program supervision; Functional Behavior Assessments; Behavior Intervention Plans; and parent training. Clientele include individual families and school districts in the local and surrounding areas. For more information, contact [info@autismconsulting.org](mailto:info@autismconsulting.org)

**Bluebonnet Trails Autism Program**  
1009 N. Georgetown Street, Round Rock, TX 78664  
Phyllis Sample M.Ed, BCBA  
[phyllis.sample@bluebonnetmhmr.org](mailto:phyllis.sample@bluebonnetmhmr.org) (512) 244-8334  
Rany Thommen, M.Ed, BCBA  
[rany.thommen@bluebonnetmhmr.org](mailto:rany.thommen@bluebonnetmhmr.org) (512) 244-8209

A short-term home based applied behavior analysis program based on ability to pay scale. Training includes functional behavior assessments to determine functions of challenging behaviors, one on one training with clients including table top and natural environment training, parent training, and free quarterly workshops for parents and community. Services provided by 3 Board Certified Behavior Analysts. Services are provided to individuals with a diagnosis of autism residing in one of the 8 counties served by Bluebonnet Trails MHMR.

**Center for Autism and Related Disorders, Inc. (CARD)**  
3001 Bee Caves Rd. Suite 150, Austin, TX 78746  
(512) 732-8400  
[www.centerforautism.com](http://www.centerforautism.com)  
cardaustin@centerforautism.com

**Central Texas Autism Center (CTAC)**  
3006 Bee Caves Rd., Suite C-250, Austin, TX 78746  
(512) 328-5599  
[www.CTAC1.com](http://www.CTAC1.com)

**Melissa Olive, Ph.D., BCBA**  
Treatment Evaluation Manager
The Thoughtful House, CARD
www.thoughtfulhouse.org
molve@centerforautism.com

**Phyllis Sample, M.Ed., BCBA**
Board Certified Behavior Analyst
4015 Sable Oaks, Round Rock, TX 78664
(512) 248-0644
Specializing in the application of ABA/VB with children 18 months to 3 years.

**Kaci Smith**
Explore Autism Consulting and Behavior Therapy
www.explorealtism.com

**Kelle Schiesler**
11929A Sunhollow Bend, Austin, TX 78758
(512) 417-5104
www.austinautismconsulting.com

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**Behavior Crisis Management**

**Austin Child Guidance Center**
810 W. 45th, Austin 78751
(512) 451-2242
www.austinchildguidance.org/

**Austin-Travis County MHMR**
(512) 483-5800
**Psychiatric Emergency Services (PES):**
56 East Avenue, Austin, 78701 (at Holly/River Streets)
(512) 454-3521
PES offers in-person services from licensed professionals 24 hours a day, seven days a week (never closes).
www.atcmhmr.com

**Texas Family Support Services**
Josh Boydstun
P.O. Box 684632, Austin, TX 78768
(512) 809-1349

**Travis County Sheriff’s Mental Health Unit**
911: Emergencies or 311: Non-emergencies
(512) 703-1345
www.co.travis.tx.us/probate/emergency_commit.asp
Biomedical Treatment

**Austin Wellness Institute**  
1501 West 5th Street, Suite 109, Austin, TX 78703  
(512) 473-8900  
www.bewellrx.com

**Care Clinics**  
4201 Bee Caves Rd. A200, Austin, TX 78746  
(512) 306-1920  
www.mycareclinic.com

**Great Plains Lab** (Testing)  
www.greatplainslaboratory.com

**Kirkman Laboratories, Inc.**  
1-888-547-5626; 1-800-245-8282  
www.kirkmansales.com

**Vladimir Rizov, M.D.**  
**Austin Rejuvenation Center**  
911 W. Anderson #205, Austin, TX 78757  
(512) 451-8149  
www.newvitality.com  
Our medical practice emphasizes a natural, alternative, holistic approach to health problems.

**Kendal Stewart, M.D.**  
NeuroSensory Centers of America  
6836 Bee Caves Rd., Suite 180, Austin, TX 78746  
(512) 338.9840  
www.neurosensorycenters.com

**Thoughtful House**  
3001 Bee Caves Road, Austin, TX 78746  
(512) 732-8400  
www.thoughtfulhouse.org

Camps/Sports/Recreation

**Acrotex Gymnastics**  
708 W. Round Rock Dr., Round Rock, TX 78681  
(512) 244-5437  
Coaches Rene and Jennifer

**AquaKnow Aquatics**  
(512) 377-2782  
www.aquaknowaquatics.org
Camp C.A.M.P.
Overnight camp near Kerrville for children with all disabilities
(210) 671-2598
www.campcamp.org

Camp ESKIMO
Easter Seals Camps for Children and Adults
(512) 615-6818
www.centraltx.easterseals.com

Camp Summit
2915 LBJ Freeway, Suite 185, Dallas, TX 75234
Camp physical address: 921 Copper Canyon Rd, Argyle, TX 76226
(972) 484-8900
www.campsummittx.org
A residential camp for children ages 6 and up and adults, who are physically challenged,
developmentally delayed, dual sensory impaired, or who have multiple disabilities. Weekend
sessions are available in the Spring and Fall. Week long sessions are available during the
summer. No stipulation on degree of disability.

Clay Madsen Recreation Center
Adaptive Summer Daycamps
1600 Gattis School Rd., Round Rock, TX
218-3220
www.roundrocktexas.gov

Dittmar Recreation Center
Contact: Danny Castro
1009 West Dittmar Road, Austin, TX 78745
(512) 441 - 4777

Dream of Hopes Ranch
www.dreamofhopesranch.org

Extreme Sports Camp
An overnight summer camp in Aspen, Colorado, where children with autism spectrum disorders
ages 8-18 can safely engage in sustained physical activities and find personal growth through a
supportive, individualized, and adaptive program of recreational sports.
www.extremesportscamp.org

Hancock Recreation Center
811 East 41st Street, Austin, TX 78751
(512) 453-7762

Holistic Health Services
Jerrell Nelson, Recreational Therapist
jerrellnelson@hotmail.com

Jewish Community Center
Camp Shalom (summer day camp)
(512) 735-8084
www.shalomaustin.org
North West Recreation Center
Contact: James Aldrige
2913 Northland Drive, Austin, TX 78757
(512) 458-4107

Magic Camp
Camp is held at various locations around Austin.
(512) 288-1596
www.magiccamp.com/
A life skills camp for ages 6-12 that uses the fascination and fun of magic to raise self-esteem, improve self-confidence, instill positive values, increase eye-hand coordination and recognize the benefits of reading. Approximately one fourth of the campers have special needs.

McBeth Recreation Center
Address: 2401-A Columbus Dr., Austin, TX 78746
(512) 974-9011
www.ci.austin.tx.us/parks/mcbeth.htm

Miracle League
www.townandcountrypessimist.org
Baseball for children with disabilities.

Peaceable Kingdom
Peaceable Kingdom Retreat for Children, Inc.
19051 F.M. 2484, Killeen, Texas 76542-5068
254-554-555
888-218-8923
www.peaceablekingdomretreat.com/index.html
Serves 6,000+ children with chronic illnesses and special needs between the ages of 3 and 22, along with their families annually. These children come free of charge and without regard to race, religion or ability to pay.

People and Places
Vacations for adults with disabilities.
(716) 937-1813
www.people-and-places.org

Ride On Center for Kids (R.O.C.K)
P.O. Box 2422, Georgetown, TX 78627
(512) 930-ROCK
www.rockride.org

Special Olympics Texas
Address: 7715 Chevy Chase Drive, Ste. 120, Austin, TX 78752
(512) 491-2937
www.sotx.org/ info@sotx.org
Provides year round sports training and competition for people with developmental disabilities.

Travel with Autism
Catherine Pauly, M.S., CCC-SLP
(608) 216-6650
www.travelwithautism.com
Uniquely designed family vacations.

**VSA Arts**
3710 Cedar Street, Suite #101, Austin
(512) 454-9912
[www.vsatx.org](http://www.vsatx.org)
VSA Arts of Texas is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization that works to create a society where people with disabilities learn through, participate in, and enjoy the arts.

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**Childcare Providers**

**Community Guide to After School Providers**
**Austin ISD Schools:**
[www.yourcommunityguide.org/print/afterschool/austin_afterschool.pdf](http://www.yourcommunityguide.org)

**Other School Districts:**
[www.yourcommunityguide.org](http://www.yourcommunityguide.org)

**Extend-a-Care**
(512) 472-9402
http://www.eackids.org/
After school programs.

**Faith Presbyterian Child Development Center**
1314 E. Oltorf, Austin, 78704
(512) 444-7870

**First United Methodist Child Development Center**
1201 Lavaca, Austin, 78701
(512) 478-5709

**Manchaca United Methodist Church Child Development Center**
(512) 280-2552
[www.manchacaumc.com](http://www.manchacaumc.com)
Child care and after school care for students attending Manchaca Elementary.

**Open Door Preschool**
(512) 445-2698
[http://opendoorpreschool.org](http://opendoorpreschool.org)
0-5 years old; daycare.

**Sammy’s House**
Isabel C. Huerta, Executive Director
2415 Twin Oaks, Austin, TX 78757
(512) 453-5258
[www.sammyshouse.org](http://www.sammyshouse.org)
Child care center for children 0-5 yrs old, respite care for children 0-8 yrs and their siblings and a therapy equipment loaning program.

**Stepping Stone**
512-459-0258
www.steppingstoneschool.com

YMCA Child Care Centers
Austin 512-891-9622
Round Rock 512-244-0288
18 months-5 years

Childcare Referral & Resources

Family Connections
Child Care Locating Services
825 E. 53rd. 1/2 St., Bldg. E-101, Austin, TX  78751
(512) 327-7660
www.familyconnections.org
Childcare provider resource & referral

Texas Dept of Family & Protective Services
Provides an online search of all Texas licensed facilities including center-based childcare and home-based childcare. Database is searchable by location and programs provided, such as special needs care, acceptance of childcare subsidies and transportation. Inspection reports of facilities available online.
www.dfps.state.tx.us/child_care/search_texas_child_care/default.asp

Work Source Childcare Solutions
(512) 302-0710
http://www.worksourceaustin.com/childcare
WorkSource helps offset the cost of child care for parents who are currently working, participating in a job-training program, or enrolled in school. WorkSource works with child care providers to help them improve their business skills and the quality of care.

Community Assistance

General Assistance
2-1-1 Texas/United Way Help Line
Dial 2-1-1 or 1-877-541-7905
www.211texas.org
A free, confidential referral line that offers assistance in locating local services for food, shelter, rent assistance, utility bill assistance, child care, after-school care, senior services, disaster relief, and other programs. Phones are manned 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. Also assists with information on applying for Medicaid, Medicare, Food Stamps, Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF), Children’s Health Insurance, nursing home care, and other services for people who are elderly or that have disabilities.

Habitat for Humanity
www.austinhabitat.org/
Partners with families in need to help them build houses for themselves at no interest and no profit.

Volunteer Income Tax Assistance Program
Dial 2-1-1 for locations
Free tax preparation for low income individuals
www.caction.org/AABC/EITC_SiteList2004.htm

Diagnosis, Assessment and Evaluation

**Moe Atwal, Ph.D., Clinical Psychologist**
Diagnostic & Neuropsychological Testing
5750 Balcones Dr. #107, Austin, TX 78731
(512) 459-1774

**Austin Neurological Clinic**
Nancy Nussbaum, Ph.D. and Karen Gonzales, Ph.D.
711 West 38th St. Suite F-1, Austin, TX 78705
(512) 458-6121
www.austinneuro.com/

**Austin Psychological and Testing Center**
Two locations:
2403 W Ben White Blvd., Austin, TX 78704-7534
and
8140 N Mopac Expwy., Austin, TX 78759-8837
(512)707-2782
www.austintestingandtherapy.com

**The Clinic for Autism Research, Evaluation, and Support (CARES)**
The Department of Communication Disorders
Texas State University
HPB 101, 601 University Dr., San Marcos, TX 78666
(512) 245-8241

**Brad Mason, LPC**
**Autism Clinic and Family Counseling Center**
312 W. University, Georgetown, TX 78626
(512) 636-6250
bradmasonlpc@aol.com

**Dale Rudin, Ph.D.**
4310 Medical Parkway, Austin, TX
(512) 328-7388

**Sarah Sirbasku, Ph.D.**
595 Round Rock West Dr. Suite 303, Round Rock 78681
(512) 279-8353
drsara@drsaras.com

**Specially for Children (Multiple pediatric specialty areas)**
1301 Barbara Jordan Blvd, Suite 200, Austin, TX 78723
(512) 628-1800
Round Rock Clinic
1 Chisholm Trail, Suite 200, Round Rock, Texas 78681
(512) 628-1800
www.speciallyforchildren.com

Gary Yorke, Ph.D.
3355 Bee Cave Rd. #610, Austin 78746
(512) 347-7666
toys@childtherapytoys.com

Disability Agencies

ARC of the Capital Area
2818 San Gabriel, Austin, TX 78705
(512) 476-7044
www.arcofthecapitalarea.org
Case management, guardianship, education meetings and support groups, basic needs and crisis assistance, parent mentoring, respite care program; provides assistance with Community Living Assistance and Support Services (CLASS).

Austin Resource Center for Independent Living
825 E. Rundberg, Suite A-1, Austin, TX 78753
(512) 832-6349
www.arcil.com
ARCIL, Inc. of Austin, Texas provides independent living services to persons with disabilities, their families and communities throughout Travis and surrounding counties. ARCIL also provides services throughout Hays, Caldwell, Comal and Blanco counties at ARCIL San Marcos (San Marcos, Texas), and Williamson, Bell, Burnett and Milam counties at ARCIL Round Rock (Round Rock, Texas).

Department of Aging and Disability Services (DADS)
State Agency over Medicaid Waiver Programs like CLASS, HCS, and SSI
www.dads.state.tx.us
Contact Numbers for DADS Long-term Services and Supports Listed by County
http://www.dads.state.tx.us/contact/DADSServicesByCounty.html

Department of Assistive and Rehabilitative Services (DARS)
www.dars.state.tx.us
Vocational rehab and employment services, independent living services; Early Childhood Intervention is under this department; technology and resource center.

Easter Seals - Central Texas
Contact: Mia Martin
919 West 28 ½ Str., Austin, TX 78705
(512) 478-2581
http://centraltx.easterseals.com
Early Childhood Intervention, Audiology, Camp Connections, Outpatient Rehabilitation; Languages: Spanish, American Sign Language, English

Epilepsy of Central and South Texas
www.epilepsyfoundation.org/local/efcst/groups.cfm
Epilepsy Support Group
3rd Wednesday, 7 p.m., Austin, Texas
(512) 452-7042

Exceptional Family Member Program
Ft. Hood, Killeen
254-287-6070 or 254-287-4894 (Family Support Center)
The Exceptional Family Member Program (EFMP) is a mandatory enrollment program that works with other military and civilian agencies to provide comprehensive and coordinated medical, educational, housing, community support, and personnel services to families with special needs.

Mental Health and Mental Retardation (MHMR)
Austin-Travis County MHMR
(512) 483-5800
www.atcmhmr.com

Bluebonnet Trails MHMR (Williamson and Burnet Counties)
www.bluebonnetmhmr.org
1009 N. Georgetown St., Round Rock, TX 78664
(512) 244-8281
Or
150 Settlement Dr., Suite B, Bastrop, TX 78602
(512) 303-2689

NAMI Austin
www.nami.org/MSTemplate.cfm?Site=NAMI_Austin
The nation’s largest grassroots mental health organization dedicated to improving the lives of persons living with serious mental illness and their families. Offers support, education, advocacy, and research for people living with mental illness.

Early Childhood Intervention

Any Baby Can - ECI Program (Parent Child Program)
1121 East 7th Street, Austin, TX 78702
(512) 334-4464
alexa@abcAUS.org
www.abcAUS.org
Provides case management, crisis assistance, community classes, referrals, counseling, financial assistance, parent education, and a resource library. Ages 0-3 for ECI and up to age 12 for other programs.

Easter Seals ECI
1611 Headway Circle, Bldg. 2, Austin, TX 78754
(512) 615-6896
dhobratschk@easterseals.tx.com
www.centraltx.easter-seals.com

Infant Parent Program ECI
1717 West 10th Street, Austin, TX 78703
(512) 472-3142
laurie.ruddy@atcmhmr.com

ECI PRIDE (for Williamson County)
1009 Georgetown St, Round Rock, TX 78664
(866) 897-7433
joy.dillman@bluebonnetmhmr.org
www.bluebonnetmhmr.org

Education (Public)

Region 13 Education Service Center
5701 Springdale Rd, Austin, TX 78723
(512) 919-5313
www5.esc13.net/index.html
Special Education School Districts/Charter Schools Directory:

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Education (Private)

Capitol School
2011 W. Koenig Lane, Austin, Texas 78756
(512) 467-7006
www.capitalschool.com
Provides a variety of programs for all ages including: summer camps, occupational therapy, music therapy, and art and drama. Must apply, tuition based.

College Living Experience Austin
Janet E. Saul Ph.D., Psychologist
e-mail: jsaul@esa-education.com
(512) 339-7878 x 3404
www.cleinc.net

Moore-Weis Children’s Center
1303 Lorain St., Austin, TX 78703
(512) 472-6080
www.moore-weis.org

Redeemer Lutheran School
Principal: Glen Kieschnick
1500 W. Anderson Lane, Austin, TX 78757
(512) 451-6478
www.redeemerschool.net

Rise School of Austin
4220 Monterey Oaks Blvd., Austin, TX 78749
(512) 891-1680
www.riseschool.org/austin

St. Francis School
300 Huntland Dr., Austin, TX 78752
(512) 454-0848
www.stfrancis-school.org

St. Louis School
2114 St. Joseph Blvd., Austin, TX 78757
A ministry of St. Louis Catholic Church
7601 Burnet Rd., Austin, TX 78757
(512) 454-0384
www.st-louis.org
The Texas Hill Country School
5309 Texas Lone Star Trail, Maxwell, TX 78656
admissions@texashillcountryschool.com
The Texas Hill Country School offers a comprehensive academic program in an innovative and creative atmosphere where students are taught to strive for their personal best. **THCS** specializes in working with students with mood disorders, psychotic disorders, acquired brain injury, and a host of other developmental, neurological and psychological problems.

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(512) 282-7161
vocat@taicenter.com
www.taicenter.com
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**Whispering Hills Achievement Center**
4110 FM 609, Flatonia, Texas 78941
(361) 865-3083
www.whisperinghillsstx.com

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**Family Violence Prevention & Assistance**

**Austin Police Department**
**Family Violence Protection Team**
(512) 974-8535

**Child Help USA – Child Abuse Hotline**
1-800-4-A-Child or 1-800-422-4453
www.childhelp.org

**Corporate Alliance to End Partner Violence**
www.caepv.org
The Corporate Alliance to End Partner Violence is a national nonprofit organization dedicated to reducing the costs and consequences of partner violence at work - and eliminating it altogether. Information, materials and advice.

**Texas Department of Family & Protective Services**
1-800-252-5400 (24 hour hotline)
www.dfps.state.tx.us
For situations that do **not** require a response within 24 hours you may report through our secure web site: www.txabusehotline.org

**SafePlace**
PO Box 19454, Austin, TX 78760
267-SAFE (7233) or 927-9616 TTY for the Deaf community
www.austin-safeplace.org

**Texas Advocacy Project-Domestic Violence Hotline**
(512) 476-5377
Higher Education/Continuing Adult Education

**Austin Resource Center for Independent Living**
825 E. Rundberg, Suite A-1, Austin, TX 78753
(512) 832-6349
[www.arcil.com](http://www.arcil.com)
ARCIL, Inc. of Austin, Texas provides independent living services to persons with disabilities, their families and communities throughout Travis and surrounding counties. ARCIL also provides services throughout Hays, Caldwell, Comal and Blanco counties at ARCIL San Marcos (San Marcos, Texas), and Williamson, Bell, Burnett and Milam counties at ARCIL Round Rock (Round Rock, Texas).

**Austin Community College**
**Office of Students with Disabilities**
Steve Christopher
Director, Special Population
(512) 223-6273
[http://www.austincc.edu/support/osd/](http://www.austincc.edu/support/osd/)

**St. Edward’s University**
**Office of Students with Disabilities**
3001 South Congress Avenue, Austin, TX 78704
(512) 448-8400
[http://www.stedwards.edu/apss/sds.htm](http://www.stedwards.edu/apss/sds.htm)

**University of Texas at Austin**
**Services for Students with Disabilities**

Legal Assistance/Guardianship

**Advocacy, Inc.**
7800 Shoal Creek Blvd. #171-E, Austin, TX 78757-1024
(512) 454-4816 (V/TDD) (800) 252-9108 (V/TDD)
[www.advocacyinc.org](http://www.advocacyinc.org)
Advocates for people with disabilities to secure their human, legal and service rights, and assists them in advocating for themselves for these same rights. Strives to establish and expand rights and services for people with disabilities, to inform all individuals of the rights of people with disabilities, and to inform and refer individuals to programs and services.

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Master Pooled Trust, Real Life, Consultation, Inclusion Works!, Real Life Initiative
**Rona Statman, J.D.,** Director of Family Support Services
(800) 252-9729  (512) 454-6694, ext. 112
rstatman@thearcoftexas.org
Don Carnes, Attorney-at-Law
Specializes in guardianship and probate
400 W. 15th St., Suite 808, Austin, TX 78701
(512) 474-4054

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1901 E. Palm Valley Blvd., Round Rock, TX
(512) 244-6658
www.cirkielaw.com
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(512) 450-0844
In-home care, elder shelter/transitional housing, guardianship, bill payer services
http://www.familyeldercare.org/

Referral Service of Central Texas
(512) 472-8303

Eva Nelders, Special Education Attorney
(512) 288-4279

Steven C. Rhatigan, C.E.P., ChLAP
Estate & Financial Plan for Special Needs
Post Office Box 8129, The Woodlands, TX 77387
(281) 364-7211
steve@stemark.com

Wrightslaw
www.wrightslaw.com
A comprehensive online source for information about special education law and advocacy for children with disabilities. Wrightslaw has thousands of articles, cases, and free resources relating to advocacy and legal issues, including information and updates about IDEA 2004. Also conducts training programs and publishes books and a free weekly, online newsletter.

www.aboutautismlaw.com

Medical & Dental

Dentists:

Austin Children’s Dentistry
Bert Vasut (Pediatric Dentist and Orthodontist)
2051 Cypress Creek Rd., Cedar Park, TX 78613
(512) 258-8888
www.drbertvasut.com
Melanie Babbot, DDS
7225 W. Hwy 71, Suite C, Austin, TX 78735
(512) 288-0522

Castle Dental
Barton Creek Square Mall
Fakeri Zayed, DDS
2901 S. Capitol of TX Hwy Austin, TX 78746
(512) 447-9355

Gloriana Lopez, DDS
3001 S. Lamar, Ste. 100, Austin, TX 78704
(512) 442-0101

Michelle Freeze, DDS and Pamela Singletary, DDS
4308 N. Quinlan Park Rd., # 201, Austin, TX 78732
(512) 266-7200

Cedar Park office
10900 Lakeline Mall Drive, Suite 250, Austin, TX 78717
(512) 266-7200
www.Smilelikeastar.com

Dennis Goehring, DDS
3421 W. William Cannon Dr., Austin, TX 78745
(512) 892-8822

Josefina Martinez, DDS (Bilingual)
310 Stagecoach Trail, Ste. 1000, San Marcos, TX 78666
(512) 393-5437

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11743 Jollyville Rd., Austin, TX 78759
(512) 331-7900

Pediatric Dental Professionals
Danny Watts, Pamela Singletary, & Gregory C. Thiel
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(512) 346-9771

Or
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(512) 892-0013
www.pediatricdentalprofessionals.com

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5656 Bee Caves Road, Ste. B-104, Austin, TX 78746
(512) 732-0022

Stephen Sherwood, DDS
6500 Balcones Dr. #2-2206, Austin, TX 78731
(512) 454-6936

John Updyke, DDS
12501 Hymeadow Dr., Suite 1A, Austin, TX 78750  
(512) 258-7217

**Stephen White, DDS**  
3410 Far West Blvd., Austin, TX 78731  
(512) 346-1283

**Physicians:**

**Amy Alcorn, M.D. (Pediatrician)**  
**Austin Regional Clinic**  
8204 Brodie Lane #101, Austin, TX 78745  
(512) 282-8967  
[www.austinregionalclinic.com](http://www.austinregionalclinic.com)

**Brooks Booker, M.D**  
Austin Regional Clinic Anderson Mill  
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(512) 250-5571

**Capital Pediatric Group**  
**Thomas Hughes, M.D. (Pediatrician)**  
Central Office:  
1100 E. 39th ½ St., Austin, TX 78756  
(512) 454-4545

North Office:  
4100 Duval, Austin, TX 78759  
(512) 250-0220  

**Children’s Otolaryngology**  
**Patrick Connolly, M.D. (ENT)**  
3705 Medical Parkway, Ste. 200, Austin, TX 78705  
(512) 452-0231

**Jerry A. Hall, M.D. (Pediatric Child Development-Genetics)**  
Scott and White-Primary Office: Temple Ambulatory Pediatric Clinic (254) 724-5437  
Visiting Office:  
Scott and White University Medical Campus, 300 University Blvd., Round Rock 78664  
(512) 509-5437  
[www.sw.org](http://www.sw.org)

**Peter Hine (Pediatrician)**  
4007 James Casey St. #D Austin, TX 78745  
(512) 443-3883

**Patti Huang, M.D. (Otolaryngology)**  
12221 MoPac Expressway North, 2nd Floor, North Entrance, Austin, TX 78758  
(512) 901-4006  
[www.adclinic.com](http://www.adclinic.com)
Arthur Krigsman, M.D. & Bryan Jepson, M.D. (DAN Doctors; see "Thoughtful House")

Walter Kuhl, M.D. (Pediatrician)
Austin Regional Clinic
2000 S. Mays Rd., Round Rock, TX 78664
(512) 244-9024

Glen R. Luepnitz, Ph.D. (DAN Practitioner)
Lone Star Oncology, 11044 Research Blvd. Suite B-400, Austin, Texas 78759
(512) 343-2103
www.lonestaroncology.com

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Specially for Children (Multiple pediatric specialty areas)
1301 Barbara Jordan Blvd, Suite 200, Austin, TX 78723
(512) 628-1800

Round Rock Clinic
1 Chisholm Trail, Suite 200, Round Rock, Texas 78681
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www.speciallyforchildren.com

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Specialty Care Center
Dell Children’s Medical Center
4900 Mueller Blvd. Austin, TX 78723
(512) 324-0137
www.dellchildrens.net

Angelyn Tarrant (Pediatrician)
Lake Austin Pediatrics
5656 Bee Cave Rd. #C104, West Lake Hills, TX 78746
(512) 328-2333

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(512) 499-8674
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3705 Medical Parkway, Austin, TX 78705
(512) 452-1998

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1101 S. Capital of Texas Hwy, Austin, TX 78746
(512) 327-3800

**Robert Dobyns, M.D.**
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(512) 346-5796

**James Hageman, M.D.**
7600 N. Capitol of Texas Highway, Austin, TX 78731
(512) 901-8484

**Michele Hauser, M.D.**
3724 Jefferson St., Austin, TX 78731
(512) 302-1954

**Psychologists/Psychotherapists:**

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Diagnostic & Neuropsychological Testing
5750 Balcones Dr., #107, Austin, TX 78731
(512) 459-1774

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(512) 458-6121
www.austinneuro.com/

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(512) 577-6020
www.deweerdpsychotherapy.com/index.html

**Family House of Round Rock**
1516 Palm Valley Blvd. Suite A-4, Round Rock, TX 78664
(512) 310-8480

**Brad Mason, LPC**
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4310 Medical Parkway, Austin, TX 78731
(512) 328-7388

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drsara@drsarasa.com

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210-381-7429 (mobile)
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www.assistivetech.com

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www.buildingblox.net
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(512) 454-6694
www.thearcoftexas.org
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Publishers/Media

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Shawnee Mission, KS 66283-0173
(913) 897-1004
www.asperger.net

Future Horizons
721 West Abram St, Arlington, TX 76013 800-489-0727
www.futurehorizons-autism.com
www.autismoespanol.com—Spanish language
Publishes books, videos, and DVDs relating to Autism and Asperger's as well as The Autism Asperger's Digest Magazine and The Autism Spectrum Newsletter.

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www.jkp.com

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2818 San Gabriel, Austin, TX 78705  
(512) 476-7044  
www.arcofthecapitalarea.org
Case management, guardianship, education meetings and support groups, basic needs and crisis assistance, parent mentoring, respite care program; collaborator with Family Support Cooperative

Attendant Network  
The Attendant Network is a registry that helps to connect personal attendants with people needing attendant services.  
www.attendantnetwork.org

ATCMHMR Respite Home  
Shelly Wells, ATCMHMR Respite Director  
(512) 483-5804  
TimberWolf Respite  
8606 Colonial Drive, Austin 78758  
(512) 339-0834
Must be approved by your service coordinator.

Children’s Association for Maximum Potential (CAMP) – Respite Weekends  
Office mailing address: PO Box 27086, San Antonio, TX 78227 (210) 292-3566  
Camp physical address: 515 Skyline Dr, Center Point, TX 78010 (830) 634-2267  
www.campcamp.org
A monthly weekend respite program running from September to May. Counselors and qualified medical personnel care for children in a multipurpose, heated/cooled facility at Camp CAMP, located 10 miles southeast of Kerrville, TX. Activities include canoeing, horseback riding, swimming, archery, nature activities, outdoor cooking, and arts and crafts. Respite Club membership required. Fee for the weekend currently is $220 to $260.

Tammyra Henderson  
235 Dana Drive, Hutto, TX 78634  
(512) 929-3309

Support Groups & Parent Education

Area School Districts  
Public school districts also sponsor parent support groups; check with the Special Education Department.
Autism Society of Greater Austin
P.O. Box 160841, Austin, 78716-0841
(512) 479-4199
www.autism-society.org/chapter244
http://health.groups.yahoo.com/group/AutismSocietyAustin/

Bio-Behavioral Family Coaching Group
Linda Classen, M.A., LPC
(512) 567-7665
Edward Gooze, Ph.D.
(512) 497-2913
edgeooze@sbcglobal.net
3724 Jefferson Street, Suite 207, Austin, TX 78731
Meets every Monday, or as often as needed: 6:30 PM to 9:00 PM. For PDD, ADHD, and mood regulation problems. ABA, cognitive-behavioral and adult learning. Resolution of school issues also addressed.

FEAT-Austin
www.feat-austin.org/
List at http://health.groups.yahoo.com/group/FEAT-Austin/join

Texas Parent to Parent
www.bxp2p.org

Therapy Providers-Rehabilitation

Capital Area Speech
12710 Research Blvd., Ste 395, Austin, TX 78759
(512) 331-4115
http://www.capitalareaspeech.com
Capital Area Speech provides speech therapy, occupational therapy and academic tutorials.

Center for Music Therapy, Inc.
Hope Young, Director
4106 Marathon Blvd., Suite C, Austin, TX 78756-3746
(512) 472-5016
www.centerformusictherapy.com

Central Texas Speech Pathology Services
Nancy Baden, Suzanne Schlankey
2525 Wallingwood, Suite 202, Austin, TX 78746
(512) 327-6179

Children’s Evaluation and Therapy Service
12501 Hymeadow, Austin, TX 78750
(512) 331-5488
Evaluation, sensory integration, treatment

From the Heart Therapy
5524 Bee Cave Rd, West Lake Hills, TX 78746
(512) 306-1707

Linda Hagood, CCC-SLP  
Private Speech Pathologist  
(512) 258-5471  
lindawh_99@yahoo.com

Kidworks Therapy Services  
3607 Manchaca Rd., Austin, TX 78704  
(512) 444-7219  
www.kidworkstherapy.com/index.htm  
Occupational Therapy Services

Language and Movement  
Shelly Howard and Marsha Walton  
111 W. Anderson Lane, Suite C-100, Austin, TX 78752  
(512) 451-0961  
www.languagemovement.com  
Speech and Occupational Therapy, FastForward, The Listening Program

Little Tesoros Therapy Services  
9101 Burnet Road, Ste. 103, Austin, TX 78758  
(512) 248-2422  
http://www.littletesoros.com/

The Live Oak Center for Communication Disorders  
Jayne Larson, M.S. CCC-SLP  
Sheila Woodfin, M.A. CCC-SLP  
3724 Jefferson, Ste. 316, Austin, TX  78731  
(512) 453-6778  
Pediatric speech evaluation and treatment clinic, including occupational and physical therapy.  
Specializes ASD, The Listening Program, and Fast For Ward.

Milestones Children’s Therapy  
1490 E. Whitestone Blvd. Building 2 Ste. 100, Cedar Park, TX 78613  
(512) 260-3300  
http://www.milestonetherapy.com/  
South location also.

Speech Language and Hearing Services  
Stephanie Jasuta, Ph.D., CCC-SLP  
3636 Executive Center Dr., Suite G-18, Austin, TX 78731  
(512) 346-0088

University of Texas at Austin  
Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders  
Speech and Hearing Center  
Ann Hillis  
(512) 471-3841  
Evaluation and treatment; sliding scale; services available in Spanish.
Therapy Providers-Other

**ADD Health and Wellness Centers, Inc.**  
(geared to ADD and ADHD)  
13915 N. Mopac, Suite 310, Austin, TX 78728  
(512) 380-1233  
www.addhealthandwellness.com

**Auditory Integration Training**  
**Donna H. Poe, M.A., CCC/A**  
4820 Eagle Feather Dr., Austin, 78735-6471  
(512) 282-0167

**AWARE**  
Always Wanted a Riding Experience  
1708 Center Point Road, San Marcos, TX 78666  
(512) 754-6773  
Jross23@austin.rr.com  
www.awareranch.org  
Horse-back riding therapy

**Believe in ME—The Arts through Dance**  
1000 E. Cesar Chavez St., Austin, TX 78702  
(512) 385-3660

**Connections Center**  
(Relationship Development Intervention—RDI)  
4120 Bellaire Blvd., Houston, TX 77025  
(713) 838-1362  
www.rdiconnect.com

**Cranio-Sacral Massage**  
Donice Hiatt Jones  
Massage_by_donice@yahoo.com  
(512) 294-6797

**HALO (Rapid Prompting Method)**  
P.O. Box 303399, Austin, TX 78703  
(512) 465-9595  
www.halo-soma.org

**Hanen Centre**  
(focus on early language intervention)  
1075 Bay St. Suite 515, Toronto, Ontario, Canada M5s 2B1  
(416) 921-1073  
www.hanen.org

**Hearts & Hooves-Hippo Therapy**  
608 W. 12th St., Austin, TX 78701  
(512) 376-7667
www.heartsandhooves.org/
Areas Served: Bastrop, Caldwell, Hays, Travis & Williamson Counties, TX

Lindamood-Bell Learning Process
www.lindamood-bell.com

Texas Institute for Homeopathy
Joy M. Wilson, DHom, CCH, RSHom (NA)
1406 Brookstone, San Antonio, TX 78248-1425
(210) 492-3162
www.texashomeopathy.com

University of Texas Autism Project (UTAP)
Department of Kinesiology, The College of Education
Pamela Buchanan, Director of Programs
512-232-9390
UTAP Main Information Line-(512) 232-1715
www.edb.utexas.edu/UTAP
Sensory and Motor Integration focus.

Transportation

Capital Area Rural Transportation System
(800) 456-7433
http://ridecarts.com/
Serving the Texas counties of Bastrop, Blanco, Burnet, Caldwell, Fayette, Hays, Lee, and non-urbanized areas of Travis and Williamson.

Capital Metro/Special Service Transit
Specific Route Information
(512) 474-1200 (800) 474-1201
http://www.capmetro.org/
STS has eligibility criteria.

Medical Transportation Program
1-877-MED-TRIP or 1-877-633-8747
www.dot.state.tx.us/services/public_transportation/medical_transportation/
Transportation for Medicaid recipients who have no other means of transportation to access a Medicaid-covered service. For non-emergency medical and dental visits only. Call 2 days in advance to arrange.

Websites/Listserves/Yahoo Groups

www.autismcouncil.org
www.autism-society.org
www.autismspeaks.org
Schafer Autism Report
www.SARnet.org

www.TexasAutismAdvocacy.org

http://groups.yahoo.com/group/FamilieswithAutism/ (Yahoo Group based in Georgetown)

http://groups.yahoo.com/group/RR_ASD_Families/ (Yahoo Group based in Round Rock)