AUTISM SPECTRUM RESOURCES

- Autism Solutions: Diagnostic Evaluations, individual therapy. IU13.org/AutismSolutions. 717-606-1683
- Parent-Child Interaction Therapy (PCIT): IU13.org/PCIT; Call 717-606-1683
- Parent to Parent (P2P of PA): Links families with a Peer Supporter (Call 888-727-2706)
- Andrew's Gift (Nonprofit agency that provides funding for children on the autism spectrum) AndrewsGift26.com
- Competence and Confidence Partners in Policymaking Early Intervention (C2P2EI): Provides up to date info on best practices, resources, and policy issues: Contact online at: disabilities.temple.edu/programs/leadership/c2p2ei.shtml or call 215-204-1772
- Parents as Partners in Professional Development (P3D): Brings together families who have received E.I. services with opportunities to contribute to professional development. Contact Mary Mikus: 800-3215, ext. 7277.
- <u>PAAutism.org/ASERT</u> (PAautism.org/resources/All-Resources): Many resources across a wide variety of topics (e.g., parent support groups, respite opportunities, local activities, online trainings, etc.) ASERT (Autism Services, Education, Resources and Training)
- ASD funding via local counties such as Lancaster County Behavioral Health/Disabilities Services (lancastercountybhds.org MH/ID/EI); or Lebanon County MH/ID/EI (lebanon.pa.networkofcare.org/mh/index.aspx)
- Bureau of Autism Services (BAS): http://www.dhs.pa.gov/citizens/autismservices/index.htm
- Autism Speaks (<u>AutismSpeaks.org</u>): Robust lists and resources across many areas.
- State Interagency Coordinating Council: (dhs.pa.gov/citizens/autismservices/index.htm)
- Autism Connection of PA (<u>autismofpa.org</u>): Parent portal with lots of resources
- Early Intervention Resource List from ASERT: (<u>paautism.org/resources/All-Resources/</u>
- Summer Camps (paautism.org/resources/All-Resources/All-Resources-Details/itemid/8313/Early-Intervention-Resource-Collection)
- Project Lifesaver: Tracking devices for kids on the spectrum (may be able to bill insurance) (ProjectLifeSaver.org)
- National Autism Center: https://www.nationalautismcenter.org/resources
- Parent support groups and activities: e.g., Tommy Foundation at <u>Tommyland.org</u> or Harrisburg Area Chapter of the Autism Society of America (<u>autismharrisburg.org</u>)
- Parent friendly, easy to read books in "Topics in Autism" series: (WoodbineHouse.com)
- Lancaster County Library Autism Resource Center (125 N. Duke Street, Lancaster).

TRAININGS FOR PARENTS AND PROFESSIONALS

- Bureau of Early Intervention Services and Family Support workshops, conferences, etc., via PaTTAN: http://www.eita-pa.org or pattan.net.
- National Autism Conference at Penn State https://autism.outreach.psu.edu (IU13 scholarships available)
- LANTERN (Lifespan Autism iNstruction Training Education Network): <u>paautism.org/resources/All-Resources/All-Resources-Details/itemid/8995/LANTERN-Lifespan-Autism-iNstruction-Training-Ed</u>