

Autism Spectrum Disorder: Genomes to Outcomes.

The Autism Research Centre invites families to participate in our research program that examines the genetic variation in ASD. Examination of the broad range of genetic variation in ASD may help to inform diagnosis as well as personalize medical management and treatment for affected individuals.

We are looking for families:

- Who have at least one child (between the ages of 2 years to 21 years) diagnosed with ASD,
- Who are fluent in English, and
- With no preexisting chromosomal or neurological disorders associated with ASD.

Participation in our research study involves:

- Developmental and language testing for children,
- Parents will also be asked to complete several questionnaires about their child's behavior,
- We ask family members (parents and child with ASD) to donate a small blood sample.

For more information about whether your family can be included in the study and what your participation will involve, please contact:

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Thank you for considering research participation!