



ECHO Autism Washington utilizes the innovative Project ECHO (Extension for Community Health Care Outcomes) hub and spokes learning model to telementor clinicians in all parts of Washington State. Through case-based learning and didactics, ECHO Autism WA course faculty experts guide practitioners in the diagnosis and management of autism spectrum disorder (ASD). ECHO Autism WA is funded by the Washington State Legislature and UW Leadership Education in Neurodevelopmental and Related Disabilities (LEND) program.



Learning Objectives

- Identify patients at risk for ASD
- Diagnose and manage care planning for patients with ASD
- Refer patients for appropriate treatment
- Meet unique needs of learners through purple and orange cohort options.


Who Is Eligible?

Medical and psychiatric providers who have a Center of Excellence (COE) provider designation and serve children with Medicaid/Apple Health Insurance.

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Orange Cohort



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FACILITATOR
NUTRITIONIST

Focus:

- Younger children with autism

Purple Cohort



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SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGIST

Focus:

- Lifespan Cases with autism

RESOURCE: ECHO AUTISM WASHINGTON

<https://wainclude.org/echo/echo-autism/>

- Non-WA PCPs are welcome to join
- Orange Cohort
 - Focus on younger children with ASD
 - 1st and 3rd Wednesdays
 - For providers who are new to diagnosing ASD
- Purple Cohort
 - Focus: Lifespan cases with autism and co-occurring conditions
 - 4th Wednesdays
 - For providers who are 'seasoned' in diagnosing ASD