

Great Plains AUTISM Spectrum Disorders Treatment Program



Referral Sheet for Autism Services – Minot Area

Autism Screening Services

FOR CHILDREN AGES BIRTH – THREE

- Child's Pediatrician
- Minot Infant Development Program (858-3054)

FOR CHILDREN AGES 3-21

- Child's Physician
- Souris Valley Special Services (857-4410)

Autism Diagnostic Services

EDUCATION

- NDCPD at Minot State University for children ages 2-21 (1-800-233-1737)
 - Interdisciplinary team assessment including physician, occupational therapist, speech language pathologist, behavior analyst, family support personnel, nurse, and psychologist. Assessment includes standardized testing, observations, and parent interview. Offering five Minot clinics per year where 2 children can be scheduled per clinic.

PSYCHIATRY AND PSYCHOLOGY

- Clint Van Lith, Psy.D., Clinical Psychologist, Trinity Health – Riverside, ages 3-18 (857-5998)
- Shana Guilbert, Psy.D., Clinical Psychologist, Trinity Health – Riverside, ages 3 and over (857-5998)
- Stacy Slaughter, Psy.D., Licensed Psychologist, North Central Human Service Center, ages 5-21 (857-8500 or 857-8680)
- James Link, Psy.D., Clinical Psychologist, Darveaux, Eaton and Associates, ages 3 and over (839-0474)
- Courtney Keller, CNS, Dakota Family Services, ages 16 and over (837-6508)
- Suzi Stein, LICSW, Dakota Family Services, ages 3-18 (837-6508)

PEDIATRICS

- Lois Cook, MD, FAAP, Comprehensive Pediatric Care, 1411 West Dakota Parkway Suite 2A Williston, ND 58801 (572-7732)



Autism Intervention Services

EDUCATION

- Minot Infant Development Program for children ages 0-3 (858-3054)
 - Home-based program free of charge to families, staff are highly trained in child development and have specific autism training as well
- Souris Valley Special Services for children ages 3-21 (857-4410)
 - School-based services, staff are highly trained and some have specific autism training as well

PSYCHIATRY AND PSYCHOLOGY

- Suzi Stein, LICSW, Dakota Family Services, ages 3-18 (837-6508)
 - Behavioral therapy and social skill training
- Trinity Health – Riverside Social Skills Groups (857-5998)
 - This is billed through medical insurance and child must have evaluation with either Dr. Van Lith or Dr. Guilbert prior to entering group (Ages 5-9 – Mondays Ages 10-13 – Tuesdays)

DENTAL CARE

- Dakota Kids Dentistry, Lance Behm, DMD, 2615 Elk Drive – Suite #1 Minot (839-4440)
 - Will take new patients 9 and under and will take ND Medical Assistance

SUPPORT GROUPS

- Family Voices – FVND Parent to Parent Program – If you are a family who wants to be matched with another parent for emotional and information support, or are a family who wants to become a veteran or mentor family please call FVND at 888-522-9654.
- Autism Society of America – ASA –ND has a subchapter now called MAPS just starting out in Minot. MAPS-4-ASDS, the Minot area parent support for autism spectrum disorders now meets the 3rd Thursday of each month (except November) from 7:30 to 9:00 p.m. at the American Red Cross Office located at 2021 4th Ave NW in Minot. The website is www.maps-4-asds.org. Contact Jamie Helbling 340-0541 for more information.

EDUCATION AND ADVOCACY

- PathFinder – North Dakota's state-wide Parent Training & Information Center (PTI) for families of children and youth with all manner of disabilities from birth through 26 years. Located in Minot, they serve all North Dakota families of children with disabilities through individual assistance, training and a lending library. Parents can find publications, workshops and other resources to help make decisions about education, vocational training, employment and other services for their children with disabilities. <http://pathfinder-nd.org>. Phone 837-7500