

## Resources for students with Autism Spectrum Disorder

### **Families for Effective Autism Treatment North Texas (FEAT-NT):**

FEAT-NT is an organization of parents and professional that provides education, advocacy, and support to individuals with autism spectrum disorder (ASD) and their families. Their resource center and library hosts training opportunities, parent support groups, adult and teen social groups, sibling outreach programs, and an ASD library. 682-626-5000 [www.featnt.org](http://www.featnt.org)

### **Children's Medical Center: Center for Autism and Developmental Disabilities (CADD):**

CADD's services include diagnostic evaluations, behavioral intervention, psychiatric care, and educational support. [www.childrens.com](http://www.childrens.com) 844-424-4537

### **Autism Speaks:**

Promotes the development of solutions for the needs of individuals with ASD and their families through advocacy and support and provides access to free TOOL KITS that cover a range of topics including treatments, health concerns, education, transition, employment, family life, and community living. [www.autismspeaks.org](http://www.autismspeaks.org)

### **Texas Workforce Solutions via Texas Workforce Commission (TWC):**

Provides workforce development services to employers, jobseekers, and community and workforce partners in Texas. Provides vocational rehabilitation services for adults and youths with disabilities to help prepare for employment or post-secondary education.

### **Community Council of Greater Dallas:**

Provides individuals and families accessibility to healthcare enrollment in Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP), Children's Medicaid, Medicare, and Affordable Care Act and offer community youth development programs for children and adolescents. 214-871-5065

### **Easter Seals:**

Easter Seals helps individuals with disabilities and special needs and their families, live better lives offering a variety of services to help address life's challenges and provides unique programs and services for a wide variety of disabilities, including Autism Spectrum Disorder, Alzheimer's disease, Down Syndrome, Cerebral Palsy, Mental and Developmental Delays. 817-759-7973 [www.easterseals.com](http://www.easterseals.com)

**Brent Woodall Foundation (Irving, Texas):**

Offers a variety of services for children ages 0-12 and parents receive therapy and parent training. The goal of the parent training is to educate the parents on their child's individual strengths and deficits and teach them behavior techniques to help their child. 972-756-9170

**The Arc of Texas:**

Promotes, protects and advocates for the rights and independence of all Texans with disabilities. It aims to secure individuals with disabilities access to meaningful employment, community services, education, and transitional services. Austin main office-512-454-6694 and DFW local chapter -[www.thearcdfw.org](http://www.thearcdfw.org)