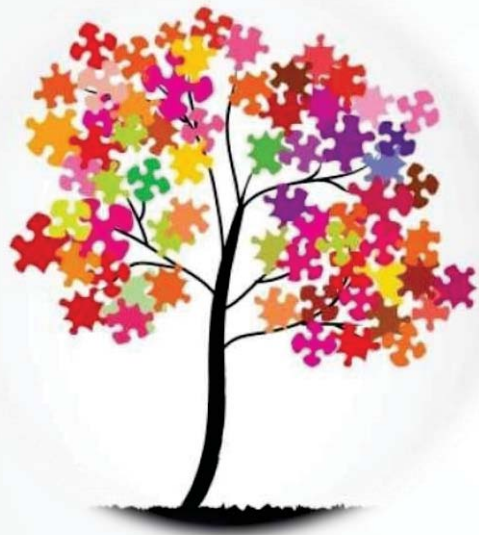


Autism 101

Community Enrichment Courses

for those who serve or are interested in serving those living with Autism Spectrum Disorder in your community.

“Planting the seeds of hope that will grow greater awareness and acceptance!”



The One World Center for Autism, Inc.

“Linking those living with autism to their world”

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Our mission is to link those living with Autism to their world in an all-embracing manner through family support, individual support and community outreach.

Our vision is to create a world of genuine acceptance where individuals and families living with Autism realize their greatest sense of wellbeing and achieve their highest potential in their community.

Turn over for more information!

Professionals and Community Members.....

➤  Do you find yourself feeling lost or uncomfortable when it comes to understanding autism and the needs of those living with this condition?

➤  Ever feel like you need more knowledge or strategies as a professional that will enhance the quality of your service?

➤ Do you want to learn how to advocate for those you serve?

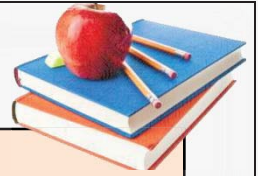


Autism 101 is here to help with engaging presentations, interactive activities and reflective learning!

Our Goals for you are to:

- Provide a basic understanding of Autism Spectrum Disorders.
- Increase awareness of the early signs of autism and highlight the importance of early intervention.
- Provide an appreciation of Autism's emotional impact on the family unit.
- Provide practical profession-specific strategies for supporting individuals and families with autism in your community setting.

Enrichment Courses Offered



Education is the foundation for building awareness and genuine acceptance of those living with Autism. With over 1,500 children and youth affected in Prince Georges County and greater than 22,000 in the state of Maryland, you will encounter those living with autism.

Our hope is that we will give you the knowledge and understanding to show respect and support in ways that are meaningful and empowering to those who are affected!

- **Autism 101- for Childcare Professionals**
- **Autism 101- for General Educators and Educational Assistants**
- **Autism 101- for Volunteers**
- **Autism 101- for Transportation Professionals**
- **Autism 101- for Safety and Law Enforcement Professionals** -*Your Next Call involves an Individual with Autism are you ready?*
- **Autism 101- Mental Health Providers-** *Your Next Client has Autism are you ready?*
- **Autism 101-Healthcare Providers** -*Your Next Patient has Autism are you ready?*
- **Autism 101- Faith-based Organizations-** *A Guide to Starting a Special Needs Ministry*
- **“Different but Not Less”-** *Peer Sensitivity Presentation (School-based or Community)*
- **Annual Collaborative Parent Empowerment Conference**
- **“Small Steps Big Differences”-** *Bi-Annual Cross-Sector Community Conference and Conversation on Children and Youth with Special Needs*



Resources for Caregivers!

If you serve families with autism and would like other resources please contact us for the following!

- ✓ Autism Caregiver Resource Kiosk
- ✓ Student Safety Kits and Resources

Cost

Our community training is provided by medical and professional consultants who are caregivers and serve individuals living with autism and related special needs in their profession. Our training is charged at an hourly rate of \$150.00 per hour. We will work with organizations of every budget to meet the educational needs of your staff. Once a cost is determined, a contract will be created and half this cost will be due prior to the educational event. The second half is due once training is complete, on the day of the event. For pro-bono training, we will provide an invoice for estimated mileage. This will be due one week prior to educational event.

Give us a call and let us see how we can partner in growing greater awareness!

*“This was the best Autism training I ever received! It was informative, personal and for the first time I got it”-
Childcare provider*

*“Thank you for your honesty and openness, I now can appreciate what families go through”-
Mental Health Provider*

*“You all do amazing work and bring community together”-
Pediatrician*