A REGISTRY IN NORTH CAROLINA MAKES SENSE BECAUSE OUR INVESTMENT IN AUTISM IS HIGH

Citizens
Autism affects children and adults in our communities. The latest research findings suggest that one in 58 school-aged children in NC has an autism spectrum disorder.

Public Support
For over 40 years, the North Carolina legislature has funded the TEACCH Autism Program to provide specialized services for children and adults with ASD and their families.

National Research Leadership
The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill is recognized as a national leader in autism research. Millions of dollars have been awarded for UNC scientists to work to identify the causes and most effective treatments for autism spectrum disorder.

Progress
Together, North Carolina families, advocacy programs, professionals and researchers are making a difference for people with ASD.

Efficacy
The North Carolina Research Registry for Autism is a convenient, confidential way to keep families informed about research.

THE NORTH CAROLINA REGISTRY FOR AUTISM RESEARCH
is a collaborative effort of the
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The NC Research Registry is a confidential database used to contact people about research studies on autism spectrum disorders (ASD). Research participants are helping us gain new knowledge about ASD. This will lead to better services and care. Many who have been in our studies say it was an enjoyable and rewarding experience.

Registry Members are children (and their parents) and adults who have an autism spectrum disorder.

Joining is Easy
You may join during your visit to a TEACCH Center or by contacting the Research Registry Office at 1-866-744-7879 or email: Research_Registry@unc.edu

REGIONAL TEACCH CENTERS
- Asheville: 828-251-6319
- Chapel Hill: 919-966-5156
- Charlotte: 704-563-4103
- Fayetteville: 919-966-8180
- Greensboro: 336-334-5773
- Greenville: 252-830-3300
- Wilmington: 910-251-5700

Benefits of Registry Membership
- You will be connected to the UNC Chapel Hill research community and learn about the latest studies.
- You will receive newsletters with study updates and research findings.
- You will receive a summary of results for any study you complete.
- Some studies may offer compensation for completion and reimbursement for expenses if travel is necessary.

Free, No Obligation, Private
It is free to join. Registry and study participation are voluntary, and you may withdraw at any time. Your privacy is carefully safeguarded.

Our Researchers are caring people dedicated to improving the quality of life for those affected by autism. They are among the nation’s leading experts on autism.

Areas of Research Include:
- Genetics
- Aging
- Sensory features and repetitive behavior
- Early identification
- Treatment and interventions
- Epidemiology & risk factors
- Language
- Medication studies
- Neuroimaging of brain development and social and cognitive functioning

We will provide information about each study so you can make an informed decision about participating.

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