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INSTITUTE FOR
DISABILITIES

UW ECHO NETWORKS



Education



Health
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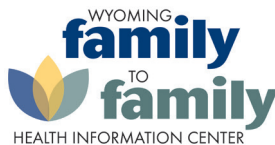
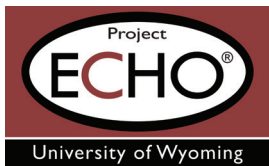
Families

Geriatrics



Additional Autism Resources:

The **Wyoming Family Mentorship Program** was created to ensure the families navigating the autism spectrum have the support, resources, and community they need to thrive. We pair families who have just received a diagnosis with families who've been navigating the spectrum for some time - trained mentors who know the joys and challenges of raising a child with autism. More information is available at:
http://www.uwyo.edu/wind/family_mentorship



UW ECHO for Families: Autism

Tuesdays, Biweekly, 12:00 p.m. - 1:15 p.m.
Fall 2017 - Spring 2018

Certificate of Attendance Available



For more information about the UW ECHO Networks please contact:

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About the Families: Autism Network

What is UW ECHO?

UW ECHO offers virtual professional development to support community conversations around best practice in education, health, disability services, and natural (family) supports.

The **Families: Autism** network provides opportunities for learning, advocacy, and mentorship with families that have a child with autism and with others interested in supporting children with autism.

Who should attend:

Network participants include parents, guardians, grandparents and other family members of individuals with autism.

The commitment of the community is to build a network of families who have the opportunity to:

- Provide or receive guidance and coaching from families in similar circumstances
- Increase awareness and understanding of possible interventions as they relate to autism or similar conditions
- Increase awareness and understanding of education and health systems
- Participate in statewide advocacy as applicable

Benefits of UW ECHO:

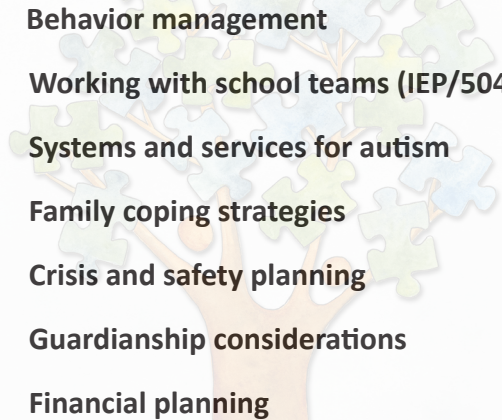
- Increase the application of evidence-based practices
- Increase the self-efficacy of participants
- Participate in training and co-management of individual and district/agency concerns to improve student outcomes
- Attend sessions from **any location** using videoconferencing technology

www.uwyo.edu/wind/echo/families-autism



2017 - 2018 ECHO for Families: Autism

Participants in this network can expect to learn strategies and share promising practices in topics that include:

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- Behavior management
 - Working with school teams (IEP/504s)
 - Systems and services for autism
 - Family coping strategies
 - Crisis and safety planning
 - Guardianship considerations
 - Financial planning

For videoconference connection and complete schedule information please visit: www.uwyo.edu/wind/echo/families-autism

Participants may earn:

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Visit uwyo.edu/wind/echo/credit-echo-participation.html for more information and to request credit.