



Responding to Autism Center

Autism Resource Directory

Diagnostic Services

Note: Providers earmarked as a “Center of Excellence” accept Medicaid and can provide referrals for Medicaid-covered ABA Therapy. Call the number on the back of your insurance card for more information regarding your benefits.

Responding to Autism Center

Affordable Autism Screenings for ages 18 months-adult.

101 N. Union Street, #203, Kennewick, WA 99336. Call (509) 396-9230 Fax: (509) 931-0881

Does not bill insurance. www.respondingtoautism.net info@respondingtoautism.net

Sageview Youth Psychology: Dr. Scott Grewe, Ph.D., ABPP/N

1950 Keene Rd. Richland, WA 99352. (509)627-2600 Fax: (509) 627-2060

Referral from PCP required to schedule an appointment; private insurance only.

www.sageviewpsych.com clinic@sageviewpsych.com

Columbia Basin Psychological Services

Dr. Nora “Kris” Marks 311 W. Clearwater Ave, D218 Kennewick, WA 99336. (509)-572-2126

Provides assessments for SSI, LNI, DSHS; Accepts private pay, Group Health, LNI, and private insurance. www.columbiabasinpsychology.webs.com

Elizabeth Vossenkemper, CPNP (Center of Excellence),

Ages 2-10 years, Tri-Cities Community Health, 515 W. Court St., Pasco WA 99301; (509) 547-2201

Carrie Lamb MPAS, PA-C, Pediatrics For You, (Center of Excellence)

6802 W. Rio Grande Ave., Kennewick, WA 99336, (509) 572-2201.

Angela Combs, ARNP, PMHNP, Three Rivers Psychiatry (Center of Excellence)

750 Swift Blvd., Suite 15, Richland WA 99352 (509) 940-5577

Center for Psychological Services, Kenneth Cole, PsyD., and Jessica Long, PsyD.,

6917 W. Grandridge Blvd., Suite D, Kennewick WA 99336 (509) 737-9009

Mount Spokane Pediatrics (Center of Excellence)

9425 N. Nevada Street, Ste. 300, Spokane, (509) 270-0065; Accepts most insurances and Medicaid
mtspokanepediatrics.com

Blue Mountain Neuropsychology (Center of Excellence)

Dr. Jameson Lontz. 1624 W. Dean Ave., Spokane, WA 99201. Ph. (509) 939-6863
Fax: (509) 443-6463. Accepts Medicaid, Medicare, most insurances.
www.bluemountainpsychology.com drlontz@bluemountainpsychology.com

Children's Village Yakima (Center of Excellence)

ASD Diagnostic Clinic occurs 2-3 times a month. Referral required; accepts Medicaid, self-pay, some insurances. 3801 Kern Road Yakima, WA 98902 (509) 574-3200 or 800-745-1077.
www.yakimachildreenvillage.org

Greenleaf Psychology and Counseling (Center of Excellence)

Dr. Gregory Charbonneau 3157 E 17th Ave. Spokane, WA 99223 Phone: (509) 838-8066.
800-594-8305. Services in Spanish available. Accepts various insurances.
www.greenleafpsychology.com

ICARD, PLLC (Center of Excellence)

Liz Pechous, Ph.D., Marie Pechous, M.A., CCC-SLP; Autism Evaluations for 11 and under; Provides consultations for IEP's and 504 Plans; Accepts most private insurances, Apple Health and Medicaid, Sliding Fee Scale available; 701 7th Ave. Ste. 130, Spokane WA 99204. (509) 838-3932. Fax (509) 838-1163. www.icardpllc.com icardpllc@protonmail.com lizpec@comcast.net

Mary Bridge Children's Health Center, Pediatric Neurology Clinic

ASD Evaluations for children ages 3-13 years. Referral required.
1112 6th Ave. Ste. 100, Tacoma, WA 98405; (253) 792-6630
<https://www.marybridge.org/services/neurology/>

Providence Sacred Heart Children's Hospital (Center of Excellence)

Child Neurology & Developmental Medicine, 101 W 8th Ave. Suite 4200 E, Spokane WA 99204.
(509) 474-5440. Referral required.
<https://washington.providence.org/services-directory/services/d/developmental-pediatrics>

Seattle Children's Hospital Autism Center

4909 25th Ave. NE, Seattle, WA 98105, P.O. Box 5371, Seattle, WA 98145-5005. Referral required; accepting new patients only if "in-network" with private insurance. Accepts Medicaid only from King County. (206) 987-8080 ph. (206) 987-8081 fax.
<http://www.seattlechildrens.org/clinics-programs/autism-center/>

UW Autism Center Seattle

1701 Columbia Rd. Seattle WA 98195. (206) 221-6806, (877)-408-8922, Fax: (206) 598-7815.
Evaluations ages 6 months-adult. Accepts some insurance plans. Also has an office in Tacoma.
uwautism.org

Adult Autism Center at Harborview in Seattle

The UW Medicine Adult Autism Clinic is designed to meet the complex needs of individuals over 18 years of age with autism spectrum and related disorders. The providers at the Adult Autism Clinic assess the various needs of patients and families and customize care management approaches to assure the best possible patient experience. The clinic provides autism spectrum screening evaluations and behavioral medicine services, including medication management and mental health assessments. 4909 25th Ave NE #214, Seattle, WA 98105 206-598-3100

Understanding your insurance coverage

Insurance benefits for diagnostic evaluations and various therapies vary by insurance plan. We encourage you to contact your insurance plan to determine your benefits and find out if you need a pre-authorization from your insurance to receive services. Some services, including diagnostic evaluations for ASD, may be billed as a mental health benefit rather than a medical benefit. Some insurance companies cover mental health services the same as medical services. Others cover these services using a special mental health insurance company. The number of mental health visits covered by your insurance may be different than the number of medical visits covered. It can be helpful to have the procedure codes when you call your insurance company to get accurate information on your coverage. The following questions may be helpful to ask:

- Do I have mental health insurance benefits?
- Is Psychological/Neuropsychological testing covered by my plan?
- What is my deductible and has it been met?
- Is there a limit to how many therapy sessions and/or testing hours per year that insurance will cover?
- Are there any diagnosis and/or age exclusions?
- Does my insurance require pre-authorization for therapy/testing? If yes, what happens if visits are not authorized?
- Can my child see any provider, or do I have to choose from a list? Does our plan limit services to in-network providers?

What if my child is covered under more than one insurance plan?

Insurance regulations determine which coverage you need to use first. This is called primary insurance. If your primary insurance does not cover care because your provider is not in-network, then the second insurance will not cover care either. This is because you are expected to get care from a provider who is in-network with your primary coverage.

What if my child has Medicaid? (Washington Apple Health)

Washington Apple Health (formerly called Medicaid or Healthy Options) will not cover care denied by the primary insurance. If your child is covered by Washington Apple Health, they must see a provider contracted with the Regional Support Network in their

county. (For Benton-Franklin County, contact the Greater Columbia Behavioral Health Network at 800-795-9296 for help locating a provider in our area.) Facilities outside the area will not accept you as patients if they are not contracted with Medicaid to provide services for your county.

What if I want to pay out of pocket and not use my Medicaid (Washington Apple Health) so my child can go to the provider of my choice?

Providers contracted with Medicaid cannot accept payment from a family whose child is covered by Medicaid.

Genetic Counseling

Kadlec Medical Center Genetic Counseling

945 Goethals Dr. Ste. 220, Richland, WA 99352. (509) 942-2529
www.kadlec.org/clinic/our-locations/genetic-counseling#laid=5037

ABA (Applied Behavior Analysis)

Child Enrichment Center LLC.

For Children ages 2-13; Provides ABA Therapy, an Autism Preschool Program, Social Skills groups and life skills groups for ages 13 and older. Accepts most insurance plans and Medicaid; must provide a letter of medical necessity for therapy services from your child's PCP; insurances may require a pre-authorization for services.

1950 Keene Rd, Building L Richland, WA 99352 (509) 420-3442 (858) 521-8173 fax
www.childrenrichmentcenter.org childrenrichmentcenter@gmail.com

Imagine Behavioral & Developmental Services

7401 W. Grandridge Blvd., Ste. 102, Kennewick, WA 99336
Children's Behavioral Therapy/ Consultation; Adult Behavioral Therapy / Consultation;
Accepts various insurances and Medicaid; 1-888-355-7155
services@imaginebehavior.com www.imaginebehavior.com

Children's Developmental Center

Ages 2-10; Contact Haylee Carnes, BCBA at hayleec@childrensdc.org; or 735-1062 ex. 262

Disability Solutions

Lexie Buschbach, BCBA, LBA, (509) 727-2650.

CARD

Remote services only, office in Wenatchee and Spokane; (509) 293-8116,
www.centerforautism.com; new inquiries call 877-448-4747; for Spanish-language services call 1-855-345-2273. Accepts most insurances.

Speech/Language & Occupational/Physical Therapy

Lourdes Medical Center

Outpatient Speech, OT, PT available to the general public at three Pasco locations; May require a referral; 520 N. 4th Ave. Pasco, WA 99301, 9915 Sandifur Parkway, Pasco, WA 99301, and 4215 Convention Pl. Ste. B, Pasco, WA 99301. (509)546-2306

Children's Developmental Center

Offers early intervention birth to 3 services. Age 3 to 18 years of age based on need and demand. Accepts various insurances. 1549 George Ave. Richland, WA 99352. (509)735-1062

www.childrensdevelopmentalcenter.org

CAN Do Kids, LLC.

Occupational Therapy with Sensory Integration and Sensory Processing. Works with all ages on the spectrum. OT/PT/ST 1950 Keene Rd., Building B, Richland, Washington 99352 (509) 392-3773 Fax (509) 769-5182 Campcankids.Com

Kadlec Medical Center

Speech, Occupational and Physical Therapy. Kadlec Healthplex
1268 Lee Blvd Richland, WA 99352. (509) 942-2660 www.Kadlec.org

Speech Pathology Learning Center, LLC.

Private practice for Denise Ciarlo, CCC/SLP, MA. Serves children with a variety of needs including auditory processing, executive function, cognition, reading and speech and language issues. Accepts most major insurance plans; offers payment plans for private pay clients. 8514 Gage Blvd. Kennewick, WA 99336 (509) 735-6442 www.TheSpeechPathologyLearningCenter.com

Achieve Center Pediatric Therapy

Provides pediatric speech and language therapy, physical therapy and occupational therapy to children with developmental disabilities and delays from birth to age 21. Offers ASD therapy, IEP assistance. Offers AAC evaluations and letters of recommendation for DDA. Accepts all major insurances, Washington State Medicare and Medicaid.

7203 W. Deschutes Ave., Ste. A, Kennewick, WA 99336 (509) 619-7397, Fax: (866) 798-0203 <http://www.achievecenter.net/>

Agape Therapy Services

Speech therapy and physical therapy; Serving Infants and Children in Tri-Cities and Surrounding Communities; Referral from PCP not always required; Does not accept Medicaid. Web site lists current insurance accepted.

925 Stevens Drive, Ste. 1E, Richland, WA 99352 (509)942-8474, fax (509)356-9154
<http://www.agapetherapywa.com/> office@agapetherapywa.com

Lots to Say! Speech and Language Therapy Clinic

Speech Sound Disorders, Language Disorders, Speech Disorders, children birth to 18.
Does not accept insurance, private pay only. Free initial consultations and self-referrals available.
Stephanie Holt, MS, CCC-SLP, Director & Speech-Language Pathologist
1955 Jadwin Ave., Suite 355, Richland, WA 99354, (509) 713-7800 fax: (509)904-125
stephanie@LotsToSaySpeechTherapy.com <http://www.lotstosayspeechtherapy.com/>

Audrey Carlson, M.S., CCC-SLP (Private pay only)

Speech Therapy. Pasco and Richland (509) 366-2583 audrey@audreycarlsonspeechtherapy.com

Counseling

Sageview Youth Psychology

Individual and Family Therapy, Behavior Management Training; Consultations, Medication Monitoring; 1950-o Keene Rd. Richland, WA 99352 (509) 627-2600 Fax (509)627-2060 Referral from PCP required to make an appointment. Accepts First Choice Health, Premera Blue Cross, Group Health and Asuris; Will help you bill other insurers; Does not accept Medicaid. Will work with payment plans. www.sageviewpsych.com

The Growing Place Youth Counseling

Robin Buck, M.Ed, LMHCA, Certified Autism Specialist
Ages 3-12; Child-centered play therapy, cognitive behavioral therapy, emotional regulation instruction, behavior assessments and planning, parental consultations; Does not bill insurance; private pay only; reasonable rates. 1201 Jadwin Ave., Suite 204, Richland WA, (509) 366-8041
www.growingplacecounseling.com

Tri-Cities Community Health

Nueva Esperanza Counseling Center; Mental Health Services for children, teens and adults. Accepts Medicaid, various insurances, sliding scale fees available based on income. Hablas Espanol. (509) 545-6506, 715 W. Court Street, Suite 8, Pasco, WA 99301-4178

Greater Columbia Behavioral Health

A Behavioral Health Organization that works with DSHS to connect Medicaid recipients with contracted mental health care providers; covers Asotin, Benton, Columbia, Franklin, Garfield, Kittitas, Klickitat, Walla Walla, Whitman and Yakima counties.

101 N. Edison Street, Kennewick, WA 99336-1958

Toll Free: 1-800-795-9296; Ombuds Services: 1-800-257-0660;

24-Hour Crisis Line for Benton-Franklin: 800-783-0544.

Veronica Rios, M. ED., LMHC, LLC

Children, teens and adults; individual and family counseling; Cognitive Behavioral Therapy; Play therapy, art therapy and more; most insurance accepted.

925 Stevens Drive Ste. 3B, Richland, WA 99352

(509) 851-5057, <https://www.jituzu.com/site/vrios/>

The Center for Child and Family Counseling

Comprehensive behavioral health services for children, teens and adults;

Brandie Frisby, PLLC, LICSW, CMHS,

6855 W. Clearwater Ave., Suite K, Kennewick, WA 99336 (509) 946-4616

<https://www.centerforchildandfamily.com/services>

Catholic Family and Child Services Northwest

Provides a full range of counseling services regardless of income; developmental screenings for children 0-6; behavior management techniques; referral to other community resources as needed; family education classes.

2139 Van Giesen, Richland, WA (509) 946-4645

Lourdes Counseling Center

Full range of mental health services for all ages; multi-language interpreters available;

1175 Carondelet Dr. Richland, WA 99354 (509) 943-9104 Fax (509) 943-7206

Crisis services available 24/7 (800)-783-0544

<https://www.yourlourdes.com/counseling-center>

Lutheran Community Services Northwest (3 Rivers WISE Program)

Clinical mental health counseling; crisis intervention.

3321 W. Kennewick Ave, Ste. 150, Kennewick, WA 99336 (509) 735-6446 (800)-678-4876

Fax (509)735-6449 <http://lcsnw.org/office/tri-cities-kennewick/>

Melinda Johnson, LICSW, ACSW

Clinical social worker; child mental health specialist. Columbia Youth and Family Counseling Services; Depression, anxiety, ADHD, ASD, executive functioning issues;

750 George Washington Way Suite #7 Richland, WA 99352. (509)946-3113

mjsocialworker@aol.com

Ronning Dickson Counseling

Lisa Ronning-Dickson, EdM, LMHC, Mental Health Therapist; sees children and adults; takes private and most state insurance plans; 750 Swift Blvd., Ste. #20, Richland, WA 99352. 509-792-0277

www.ronningdickson.com lisa@ronningdickson.com

Kenneth Cole, PsyD

Center for Psychological Services, 6917 W. Grandridge Blvd. Suite D, Kennewick, WA 99336;

509-737-9009; Co-Parent counseling; Parenting Evals, Forensic Assessments, Psychological Evaluations, Psychotherapy. www.center4psych.com

Joshua Cole Counseling, LLC

Joshua Cole, LMHC, Counseling services for children, teens and adults. 8350 W. Grandridge Blvd, #200, Kennewick, WA 99336, 509-205-4040. joshuacolecounseling@gmail.com; Does not take Medicaid yet.

Spectrum Counseling

Kade Sharp, LICSW, CMHS, Previously worked with WISE wrap around services; Provides Play Therapy techniques for children and their caregivers, and young adults, with a clinical focus on anxiety, Autism Spectrum Disorder and LGBTQ youth. Can provide caregiver skills sessions and school observations for active clients. Request no-cost 15-minute consult appointment on the website: www.kadesharp.com 1201 Jadwin Ave. Suite #104; Richland WA. Private pay only.

AGS Counseling Services, Adriana Saenz, LHMC (Spanish Speaking)

1409 N Pittsburgh St., Suite C, Kennewick, WA 99336 (509) 774-5385 (ages 6 and up)

24 Hour Crisis Hotline- Benton Franklin 1-800-783-0544 www.gcbh.org

Medication Management

Angela Hamel, ARNP, Kadlec Behavioral Health

112 Columbia Point Dr., Suite 101, Richland, WA 99352 (509) 942-2023 (ages 3 and up)

Deborah Dell, MSN, PMHNP-BC

1030 North Center Parkway, Suite 118, Kennewick, WA 99336, ddell@deborahdell.org, (509) 591-0060

Reliance Health

1446 Spaulding Park, Suite 303, Richland, WA 99352, (509) 420-5060

Lourdes Health, Dr. Benjamin Pe

1175 Carondelet Dr, Richland, (509) 943-9104

Nancy Hillmer, NP, Kadlec Behavioral Health

112 Columbia Point Dr., Suite 101, Richland, WA 99352 (509) 942-2023 (ages 18 and up)

Angela Combs, ARNP

715 W. Court St., Pasco, WA (509) 509-547-2204

Early Intervention Services

Birth to Three Infant/Toddler Program

Coordinated by The Arc of Tri-Cities. Contact The ARC and speak to a Family Resource Coordinator for more information. (509) 783-1131 1455 SE Fowler St., Richland, WA 99352

Children's Developmental Center

Runs a Parent-Child Playgroup, a highly-structured classroom with intense socialization activities; parenting workshops twice a year to families whose child qualifies for behavioral/social services; Summer Play Dates and Family Reading Nights in June and August; intervention services through natural environment and a structured classroom. Family Resource Coordinators (Birth-3) help families access the services they need.

1549 Georgia Ave., Richland, WA 99352, (509) 735-1062. childrensdevelopmentalcenter.org

ESD 123

Provides services to children birth to age 3 who have disabilities or developmental delays. Eligible infants and toddlers and their families are entitled to early intervention services in accordance with the federal Individuals with Disabilities Education Act. Referrals to early intervention services are provided through local lead agencies and family resources coordinators. Lead Agency for Benton/Franklin counties is The Arc of Tri-Cities. For more information contact ESD Early Intervention Program Coordinator Kellie Horn, khorn@esd123.org (509) 544-5744.

Keewaydin Discovery Center

Early Childhood Special Education Preschool that serves students birth to age 5 who reside in Kennewick. Eight classrooms on site and 2 preschool sessions daily, Mon-Thurs. Infants and toddlers birth to age 3 are served in the home setting. Offers developmental screenings twice a month. Staffs special ed teachers, speech and language pathologists, occupational therapists, physical therapists, vision specialists, a school psychologist, a family liaison, and autism specialist and support staff. Main Office: (509) 222-5028, 125 S. Conway Place, Kennewick, WA 99336.

Benton Franklin Head Start & Early Head Start

Early Head Start serves pregnant moms and children ages birth-three in their home environment. Head Start is a preschool program serving children ages 3 (by Aug. 31st) to 5. Eligibility is determined by age of the child and income. Families must meet Federal Poverty Guidelines. 10% of enrollment reserved for families with a child with diagnosed disability that has an IFSP or IEP. Administrative offices located at 1549 Georgia Ave., SE, Ste. B, Richland, WA 99352; (509) 735-1062. Application and information available online at <https://sites.google.com/a/bfhs.net/benton-franklin-head-start/home>.

Behavioral Management Services

Responding to Autism Center

Christine Lindgren, M.Ed. Autism Specialist, RTAC Director.

Specializing in behavioral management of persons with Autism Spectrum Disorder, including Functional Behavioral Assessments and Behavior Intervention Plans for home or school, Parent Education Classes and a support group.

101 N. Union Street, #203, Kennewick, WA 99336 (509) 396-9230 Fax (509) 931-0881

www.respondingtoautism.net

Functional Behavior Solutions, LLC

Consultations and one-on-one therapy. Kathleen Gilmore, BCBA

1644 Plaza Way #217, Walla Walla, WA 99362 (509) 200-3004

funtionalbehaviorsolutions@live.com

Imagine Behavioral & Developmental Services

Rick Justus, BCBA, LBA, and Romila (Mimi) Dasgupta, BCBA, LBA

7401 W. Grandridge Blvd., Ste. 102, Kennewick, WA 99336 1-888-355-7155

www.imaginebehavior.com services@imaginebehavior.com (all ages)

Social Skills Classes

Responding to Autism Center

Classes focus on dynamic aspects of social interactions such as compromise, negotiation, empathy, reciprocity, social communication, co-regulation and more. During social skill classes we carefully introduce challenges to give children opportunities to work through uncertainty, to cope and recover from disappointment, and to build memories of themselves as competent social partners. Call for current class information.

101 N. Union Street, #203, Kennewick, WA 99336 (509) 396-9230

Biofeedback

Revitalize! Health Spa and Organic Store

Does not bill insurance. Must schedule appointments in advance.

311 W. Kennewick Ave. Kennewick, WA 99338 (509) 586-6574 support@revitalizeorganicstore.com
<http://www.biofeedbackplus1.com/>

Biomedical

Integrative Family Medicine

Judith Caporiccio, ND, 1601 Columbia Park Trail, Suite 103 Richland, WA 99352 (509)736-6311.
Accepts some insurance. Does not accept Medicaid.

Northwest Integrative Medicine

Accepts adult patients only; Patients must also have a PCP. Will help patients bill their insurance; Does not bill for Medicaid or L&I; offers payment plans.

616 The Parkway, Richland, WA 99352. (509) 943-2101 <http://www.nwimed.com/>

Hippotherapy

In Hippotherapy, a qualified instructor teaches adapted riding skills on specially trained horses to riders with special needs in a small group of similar age and cognitive abilities. It is typically conducted by a licensed physical therapist, occupational therapist or speech therapist with special training in Hippotherapy. Most insurances do not cover adaptive or therapeutic riding lessons, but some insurances MAY cover Hippotherapy conducted by a licensed therapist; it is the patient's responsibility to determine any coverage with their insurance and file any claims.

Strides Therapeutic Horsemanship Center.

Therapeutic Riding Program, Jill McCary, Lead Instructor, Autism Intervention Specialist. Limited scholarships available. Participants must be at least 4 years old and complete an application form that includes an annual physician assessment and release.

Physical address: 180 Honeysuckle Road, Pasco, WA 99301; Mailing address: 5426 N. Rd. 68, Ste. D #204, Pasco, WA 99301. (509)492-8000, <https://www.stridestc.org>

TROT: Therapeutic Riding of Tri-Cities

Founded by Cynthia Macfarlan, SLP. Clients must be at least 4 years old and complete a rider evaluation and client packet that includes a physician's medical statement. Therapy dog also onsite. Some financial assistance available. info@trot3cities.org <http://www.trot3cities.org/>

6208 W. Argent, Pasco, WA 99301, (509)412-0112

Massage Therapy

Myo Therapeutic Massage

Aurora Morgan, LMP. Treats children and adults with autism. Can book appointments online at <http://www.myotherapeutic.com/> (509) 430-8862 (Text only)
300 W. Kennewick Ave. Kennewick, WA 99336

School Districts

Kennewick School District

(509) 222-5000 1000 W. Fourth Ave., Kennewick, WA 99336

Richland School District

(509) 967-6000 615 Snow Avenue, Richland, WA 99352

Pasco School District

(509) 543-6700 1215 West Lewis St., Pasco, WA 99301

Finley School District

(509) 586-3217 224606 E. Game Rd., Kennewick, WA 99337

Kiona-Benton School District

(509) 588-2000 1105 Dale Ave., Benton City, WA 99320-9704

Homeschool/ Tutoring

Mid-Columbia Partnership (MCP)

Supports K-12 homeschooling with the Kennewick School District.
201 S. Garfield, Kennewick, WA 99336 (509) 222-5036

Three Rivers Homelink

Publicly funded Alternative Learning Experience K-12 school within the Richland School District.
1710 Van Giesen St., Richland, WA 99354 (509) 967-6090 www.threerivershomlink.com

Washington Homeschool Organization

A source of information on Homeschooling law in Washington State. Links to curriculum, support groups, testing services and more. washhomeschool.org (425) 251-0439

Sylvan Learning

Tutoring, academic coaching and educational support.

Kennewick office: 4528 W 26th Ave Kennewick, WA 99338 (509)581-2900

Richland office: 89 Keene Rd Richland, WA 99352 (509)736-1509

Adult Support & Services

Responding to Autism Center

101 N. Union Street, #203, Kennewick, WA 99336
(509) 396-9230 ph. (509) 931-0881 fax
www.respondingtoautism.net

Adults with Autism Socials

Adult socials are organized with the goal of having high functioning adults with autism spectrum disorder meet fellow members of their community, make friends, and have fun while taking part in activities tailored to their interests. Free to all adults affected by autism spectrum disorder.

Employment and Transition Services

Call (509) 396-9230 for more information or to schedule a free consultation.

Ambitions Washington

Supported living services, employment and community access services for adults with disabilities.
Local office: 402 N. Neel St. Kennewick, WA 99336 (509) 735-1964 Fax (509)35-2905
www.ambitions.org kennewickjobs@wa.ambitions.org

Arc of Tri- Cities

Advocacy and support, adult recreation, day programs, community access programs, transportation and vocational support for people with developmental disabilities and their families.
1455 SE Fowler St. Richland, WA 99352 (509) 783-1131 Fax (509)735-770
www.arcoftricitie.com

Columbia Basin College, Disability Services

Provides support services and accommodations for CBC students with disabilities including materials in alternate formats, priority registration, adaptive software and equipment, advocacy, learning needs assessments and testing accommodations. Operates out of the CBC Resource Center located in the T building (T-403). www.columbiabasin.edu/index.aspx?page=851 For more information or to make an appointment, call (509) 542-4412.

Columbia Industries

Employment services, specialized job training, career opportunities and centers for social enrichment for eligible adults. Administrative offices located at 900 South Dayton St., Kennewick, WA 99336 (509) 582-4142 www.columbiaindustries.com

Family First Senior Care

Offers Care Management Service and in-home care services to adults 18+; Can act as professional advocates, review financial, legal and medical issues, offer referrals to other specialists, provide adult family home assessments, be a liaison for families, in-home care and respite services, and can help clients qualify for benefits. Affordable private pay rates.
1030 N. Center Parkway, Ste. 316, Kennewick, WA 99336 (509) 579-5822,
www.familyfirstseniorcare.com; cassiarre@familyfirstseniorcare.com

Dial-A-Ride, Ben Franklin Transit

A specialized door-to-door transportation for people whose disabilities limit their ability to use the fixed-route bus system. To be eligible you must complete a written application and meet the eligibility requirements of the Americans with Disabilities Act. Applications are available at Transit offices located at 1000 Columbia Park Trail Richland, WA, 99352, or can be mailed by request by calling (509) 735-0160. www.bft.org/services/dial-a-ride/

DVR – DSHS Division of Vocational Rehabilitation

A department of DSHS that provides individualized employment services and counseling to people with disabilities, as well as technical assistance and training to employers about the employment of people with disabilities. Eligibility for services is based on, 1. a physical or mental disability that is a substantial barrier to employment, and 2. requiring vocational rehabilitation services to get or keep a job. Contact your local DVR office to apply for services.

500 N. Morain, Ste. 2104, Kennewick, WA 99336-2950 (509) 374-2151 fax: (509)734-7392

Goodwill

Adult Employment services for adults eligible for services through DVR, DDA or DSB. Goodwill Central offices are located at 815 North Kellogg St. Suite A, Kennewick, WA, 99336.

Call (509) 735-7238 for more information. <https://goodwillotc.org/disability-services/>

Modern Living Services

Provides housing, life skills and educational resources and respite care to developmentally disabled individuals in Benton and Franklin Counties. P.O. Box 7046 Kennewick, WA, 99336 (509) 491-1338 www.modernlivingservices.org

Tri-Cities Residential Services

Offers supported living services through contracts with DDA; also offers mental health diversion, crisis supports, payee programs and behavior support services.

741 S. Dayton St. Kennewick, WA, 99336 (509) 783-3331 Fax (509) 783-3091 www.tcrs1978.com

Everyday Care Needs

Dentists

Advanced Pediatric Dentistry and Orthodontics

(Parent Recommended) A pediatric dentist has an extra two or three years of specialized training after dental school to meet the specialized needs of infants, children and teens.

7425 Wrigley Dr. #201 Pasco, WA 99301 (509) 543-4948. www.pascokidsdentist.com

Columbia Basin and Orchard Hills Pediatric Dentistry

Dentists with experience with patients with ASD. Also offers Orthodontics.

7501 W. Deschutes Pl. Kennewick, WA 99336 (509) 783-1960

705 Gage Blvd., Ste. 300, Richland, WA 99352 (509) 375-5000 www.grinsforkids.com

Dr. Andrew Mohlman

General Dentistry, (parent recommended)

8511 W. Clearwater Ave, Suite A Kennewick, WA 99336. New Patients call (509) 590-0072. Current patients call (509) 736-2318. Offers sedation dentistry. www.mytricitydentist.com

Dentistry for Kids

Pediatric Dentistry. 2611 S. Quillan St., Kennewick, WA 99338 (509) 585-5437

www.dentistry4littlesurfers.com

Hearing/Vision

Hearing Healthcare Associates

Diagnostic audio logic evaluations and other services. Diagnostic hearing evaluations are covered by most insurance policies; referral from a PCP may be required.

8102 W. Grandridge Blvd. Suite A. Kennewick, WA 99336 (509)735-7461

<https://hearingtricity.com>

Heaston Thompson Vision Clinic

1321 Aaron Dr. Richland, WA 99352 (509) 943-3177 <https://www.heastonandthompson.com>

Pasco Vision Clinic

1906 N. 20th Pasco, WA 99301 (509)547-8409 www.pascovisionclinic.com

Washington Vision Therapy Center,

Dr. Joshua Randall, OD, Developmental Optometrist; 7203 West Dechutes, Ave., Suite B, Kennewick WA 99336, (509) 416-0403 drrandall@wavtc.com

Hair Cuts

Monkey Dooz

(Parent Recommended) Experience with children with ASD. 1325 Aaron Dr. #103, Richland, WA 99352 (509) 943-3669 to book your appointment. www.monkeydoozkids.com

Kidz Biz Salon

(Parent Recommended) 2569 N Columbia Center Blvd., Richland, WA 99352 (509) 735-7358

Photography

Breshear's Photography

Experienced with persons with disabilities. Family portraits, senior portraits.

7201 Clearwater Ave., Kennewick, WA 99336 (509)586-6695 www.breshearsphoto.com

Essence Photography

Portraits for Families, Weddings, Seniors and Children. Customizes every session for each client.

Office and studio located at 7 N. Cascade Kennewick, WA 99336 (509) 582-0700

www.essenceapc.com

Special Diet/ Nutrition

Highland and Richland Health Foods

A wide selection of vitamins, supplements, gluten-free products, speciality items, nut butters.
10 Vista Way Kennewick, WA 99336 (509) 783-7147
1769 George Washington Way, Richland, WA 99354 (509) 943-0001 (Next to Safeway)

Fred Meyers

101 Wellsian Way, Richland, WA 99352 (509) 943-8340
2811 W. 10th Ave, Kennewick, WA 99336 (509) 735-8700

Malley's Compounding Pharmacy

Compounding pharmacies can formulate preparations free of sugar, gluten, casein, soy or dyes; customize flavors for liquid medications; formulate liquid medications for children who cannot tolerate swallowing pills. A prescription is required for all compounded medications.
1906 George Washington Way Richland, WA 99354 (509) 943-9173 Fax (509) 946-1122
www.malleyspharmacy.com

Revitalize! Health Spa and Organic Store

311 W. Kennewick Ave. Kennewick, WA 99338 (509) 586-6574 support@revitalizeorganicstore.com
<http://www.biofeedbackplus1.com/>

Super Supplements

5200 W. Clearwater Kennewick, WA 99336 (509) 736-6390

Yokes Foods

1410 W. 27th Ave., Kennewick, WA 99337	(509) 585-0888
4905 N. Rd. 68, Pasco, WA 99301	(509) 545-5600
454 Keene Rd, Richland, WA 99352	(509) 491-3336
1401 Bombing Range Rd., West Richland, WA 99353	(509) 967-8000

Community Activities for Children and Families

Responding to Autism Center EVENTS

Game Nights, Family Movie Nights, Social Skills Classes, Lego Groups, Adult Socials, Holiday parties... and much more! 4206 W 24th Ave Suite B 101 Kennewick, WA 99338 (509) 396-9230
www.respondingtoautism.net

ACT: Academy of Children's Theater

Spectrum on the Stage is a theater program created by ACT Educational Director Julie Schroeder for children on the Spectrum. Actors learn tools to help strengthen their social, behavioral and emotional skills. 213 Wellsian Way, Richland, WA 99352 (509)943-6027 www.academyofchildrenstheatre.org

ARC

Buddy Club Provides opportunities for teens (Middle School age and High School age) with disabilities to form friendships with teens without disabilities in their school. Club members are “matched” for the entire year and have committed to contacting each other during the school year on a regular basis. Monthly activities are planned for participants. Fill out an application at www.arcofricities.com/kids-services/buddy-club.html Arc offices are located at 1455 SE Fowler St Richland, WA 99352 (509) 783-1131

Fishing Day

For all people with intellectual and developmental disabilities, all ages. Fish for trout in the stocked Columbia Park Pond in Kennewick; cost is \$10 and covers fishing rod and bait. Volunteers will help bait your hook and clean your catch. This event usually takes place in April or May. Pre-register on line at www.arcofricities.com or contact The ARC with questions at (509)783-1131

Partners N Pals (Through the ARC)

Partners N Pals is an inclusive 8-week summer day camp for kids ages 7-21. Campers include kids with disabilities and without. Campers can attend one week, or all 8 weeks. Various Fees apply. Activities include swimming, skating, arts, games, horseback riding, movies, and bowling. Camp runs Mon-Friday, 10:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. ages 2-7 years old. Contact The Arc at www.arcofricities.com or (509) 783-1131 for more information.

Partners N Pals Jr. (Through the ARC)

Partners N Pals Jr. is an inclusive 3-week summer day camp for kids with and without developmental delays ages 2-7. Camp runs for 3 weeks in July, Mon-Thursdays, 9 a.m.-11:30 a.m. Campers can attend one week, or all three. Various fees apply. Campers must register online at www.arcofricities.com Call (509) 783-1131 Ext. 105, Donna Tracy, Program Manager, for more information.

Better Together

An Autism Social Learning Club and online support group created by parents in the Tri-Cities to give their children more social learning opportunities. The group has a private Facebook page you can join with administrator permission. Diagnosis is not needed to join the support group. The group plans regular events. Better together is part of The Arc’s Parent to Parent program. Contact Melissa Brooks at p2p@arcofricities.com for more information.

Boy Scouts

Local office located at 8478 w. Gage Blvd. Kennewick, WA 99336 (509) 735-7306
<https://www.bmcbsa.org>

Tri-City Court Club

Starfish Swim School; Swim lessons for children, including children with intellectual or developmental disabilities. 1350 N. Grant Street, Kennewick, WA 99336 (509) 783-5465
www.tricitycourtclub.com/starfish-swim-lessons/

Zumba Fitness Class for Special Needs

For individuals with developmental disabilities of all ages. Tuesday nights at 4:30 p.m. - 5:15 p.m. At the Tri-City Court Club, 1350 N Grant St. Kennewick, WA 99338 Class is funded by The Arc of Tri Cities and The Tri-City Court Club. Instructor Delayna Skadorwa donates her time. All ages welcome.

Care providers and family member are welcome to attend with the student. You do not need to be a member of the Court Club to attend. To attend you must register online at www.arcofricities.com/events/zumba.html. Or contact The Arc at (509) 783-1131 for more information.

Garland Gymnastics

8710 W. Victoria Ave. Kennewick, WA 99336 (509) 582-7450 www.garlandgymnastics.com

Mid-Columbia Gymnastics

1523 Fowler St. Richland, WA 99353 (509)735-3861 www.mcga.org

Mid-Columbia Ballet

A dance workshop for children ages 8-11 with special needs; 21 Aaron Drive, Richland, WA 99352; Contact reneeadams@midcolumbiaballet.org for more information.

Outdoors for ALL Foundation

Founded in 1979, the foundation delivers adaptive and therapeutic recreation for children and adults with disabilities. Programs include snowboarding, snowshoeing, cross country and downhill skiing, cycling, hiking, yoga, kayaking, day camps, rock-climbing, camping and custom events. Participants may register online at <https://outdoorsforall.org>. Some financial scholarships are available. (206) 838.6030 info@outdoorsforall.org

Rascal Rodeo

Hands-on, fun, free Rodeo for children and teens and adults with mental and physical disabilities. Events take place at various locations in Washington, Oregon and Idaho. Participants get to experience being a cowboy or cowgirl in a safe and modified atmosphere. Participants can register online. A schedule and location of events is posted online. (509)528-5947 P.O Box 5791, Pasco, WA 99302 www.rascalrodeo.org

ASAP Pet Rescue

ASAP will waive adoption fees for cats or dogs adopted to be an emotional support/therapy animal. Will work with families to find the right pet. Contact asapwestrichland@gmail.com, call 509-416-6637, or message on Facebook.

Special Olympics of Washington

Persons with intellectual disabilities, regardless of ability level, may participate in sports and other programs offered by Special Olympics Washington. Individuals are eligible for training and competition at age eight; there is no upper age limit. Training and competition is offered year-round. Find more information online at www.specialolympicswashington.org, or by calling (206) 362-4949.

Top Soccer

An outreach program for players 4 years of age and older who have developmental and/or physical disabilities. The program is based on skill level, not age, and participants include players, coaches and buddies who are paired with each player to assist with the game. Programs are community-based programs. To register for the Tri-Cities area program, visit <https://wys-topstri.affinitysoccer.com/reg/index.asp>. Or contact Darla Brennon at TriCitiesTOPSoccer@yahoo.com.

Adaptive Swim Lessons

A pilot project with The Arc and the City of Richland; sessions have 4 classes with one-on-one instruction at the City of Richland George Prout Pool. Day sessions are \$48; evening sessions are \$36. Open to individuals with developmental disabilities and special needs ages 4 and older. Sessions start in June and end in August. Families can use their respite or community engagement dollars with DDA for this service. Register online at <https://arcoftricity.com/kids-services/summer-camps/swim-lessons.html>. Or contact Donna Tracy at (509) 783-1131 ext. 105 for more information.

Sensory Friendly Sundays at Chuck E. Cheese

Chuck E. Cheese offers a sensory-friendly experience on the first Sunday of every month from 8 a.m - 10 a.m. The experience includes less crowding and noise, dimmed lighting, show and music turned off or down, limited appearances by Chuck E., food and games are offered, but parents are permitted to bring snacks for their children if needed to dietary restrictions or allergies. 6340 Rio Grand Ave., Kennewick, (509) 735-8346.

Sensory Storytime

Mid-Columbia Libraries' Kennewick Branch; program offering educational, literary and social opportunities for children of all ages with differing abilities; incorporates a schedule board, sensory opportunities and socialization time; Thursday mornings at 9 a.m., registration required; Call (509) 737-6322 to register.

Government Assistance

DDA Developmental Disabilities Administration (department of DSHS)

DDA provides programs including personal care, respite, employment services, residential supports and more. Eligibility is dependent on disability and income, and determined through an application process with a case manager; must be reviewed annually. Local office located at 500 North Morain, Suite 2210, Kennewick, WA 99336 (509)374-2111 www.dshs.wa.gov/DDA

Benton Franklin Community Action Committee

A private non-profit that assists low-income families and individuals identify options and alternatives to fill their employment, housing and childcare needs. Income eligibility guidelines, age, residence and geographical area requirements vary from program to program. Administrative offices located at 720 West Court St., Pasco, WA 99301 (509)545-4042 www.bfcac.org

Community Services Office (DSHS)

Our local Community Service Office assists families and individuals applying for medical assistance programs, Childcare subsidy programs, DSHS emergency programs, TANF assistance, housing assistance, and food assistance programs.

Kennewick office: 1120 N Edison St., Kennewick, WA 99336 (877) 501-2233
www.dshs.wa.gov/esa/online-community-services-office-cso

Housing Authority

Housing Authorities assist low-income families with public housing and rental assistance. Eligibility requirements and application procedures vary, but typically households must meet income limits based on household size, pass a criminal background check, meet rental history requirements and other established requirements.

Kennewick Housing Authority (serving Kennewick, Richland and Benton County)

1915 West 4th Place Kennewick, WA 99336 (509) 586-8576 Closed Fridays.

Pasco Housing Authority

2505 W Lewis St., Pasco, WA 99301 (509) 547-3581 Closed Fridays.

Social Security Administration

Assists individuals applying for retirement benefits, disability benefits and/or Medicare benefits.

Located in the Grandridge Business Park, 8131 W Klamath Ct., Suite A Kennewick, WA 99336.

1-800-772-1213 www.ssa.gov

People for People

Eastern Washington non-profit providing employment and training services, special needs transportation, Medicaid transportation, gas vouchers for medical appointments and travel, 2-1-1 information and referrals and senior nutrition. Administrative offices located at 304 W. Lincoln Ave., Yakima, WA 98902 or call (509) 248-6726 for more information. www.pfp.org

Benton-Franklin Health District

Operates a range of public health programs, including WIC, immunization programs, SafeKids Coalition, tobacco prevention, communicable disease control, food worker handler cards and food service inspections.

Administrative offices: 7102 Okanogan Pl, Kennewick, WA 99336, (509) 460-4200 and 412 W. Clark, Pasco, WA 99301, (509) 547-9737

WIC Clinics: 7102 Okanogan Pl., Kennewick, (509) 460-4202; PMH Benton City Clinic, 701 Dale Ave., Benton City, (509) 460-4202; 412 W. Clark St, Pasco, (509) 460-4203; 211 E. Elm St., Connell, (509) 460-4203 www.bfhd.wa.gov

Education ~ Advocacy ~ Support

Responding to Autism Center

No-cost resource appointments, occasional workshops, educational classes, IEP support, parent support group and more. Call or checkout our website for current information.

101 N. Union St, #203, Kennewick, WA 99336 (509) 396-9230 info@respondingtoautism.net

The ARC of Tri-Cities

Promotes the rights of people with intellectual and developmental disabilities. Provides day programs, parent support groups, summer camps, art classes, buddy clubs, and recreational and educational opportunities. 1455 SE Fowler St. Richland, WA 99352 (509)783-1131

www.arcoftricity.com

The ARC of Tri-Cities, Hispanic Outreach

Maria Ramos, 1455 Fowler St. Richland, WA 99352 (509)783-1131 ext. 108
mariar@arcoftricity.com

Autism Outreach Project

A state-wide lending library and resource-linked website with resources for educators and parents with special education needs. Operated by The Arc of Washington State.
www.arcwa.org/library/autism_outreach_project

Autism Society of Washington

Provides advocacy, public awareness, education & research related to autism. Does not provide direct assistance; does provide information and referrals to services and support groups across the country.
120 State Ave., #303, Olympia, WA 98501 (888) 279-4968
info@autismsocietyofwa.org www.autismsocietyofwa.org

Kadlec Neurological Resource Center

Maintains a large lending library for the community. Provides support to people and families with neurological disorders; also runs various support groups. 1268 Lee Blvd, Richland, WA 99352
(509) 943-8455 www.kadlec.org/neurological-resource-center/support-groups

Three 3 Rivers WISE Program

DSHS Partners with families and communities to coordinate care and supportive services for at-risk youth in Benton and Franklin Counties. Serves youth under the age of 21 who are Medicaid eligible and have a qualifying health diagnosis. 3321 W. Kennewick Ave, Ste. 150, Kennewick, WA 99336
(509) 735-6446; www.lcsnw.org/office/tri-cities-kennewick/

Washington Autism Alliance and Advocacy

A personal advocate and legislative champion for children and adults with ASD and other developmental disabilities. Assists families in accessing ASD and developmental disabilities health insurance benefits, effective services in schools, and supportive community-based services, regardless of their financial situation. 16225 NE 87th Suite A-2, Redmond, WA 98052 (425) 894-7231.
www.washingtonautismadvocacy.org info@washingtonAutismAdvocacy.org

Washington P.A.V.E.

Partnership for Action, Voices of Empowerment. **PAVE** is a parent directed organization that works with families, individuals with disabilities, professionals and community members. Provides support, training and informational resources. Help and with IEP and 504 plans. <https://wapave.org>
Online help request form at <https://wapave.org/get-help/> 800-5-PARENT. pave@wapave.org

Walla Walla/ Surrounding Area Resources

Lillie Rice Center/ Blue Mountain Industries

2616 E. Isaacs Ave., Walla Walla Washington 99362

509-525-5433 office; 509-525-5484 fax

www.lilliericecenter.org

Walla Walla Valley Disability Network

www.wwvdn.org Connecting parents with information and resources.

1520 Pleasant Street, Walla Walla WA 99362 509-386-2356

Mailing address: P.O. Box 1918, Walla Walla WA 99362

Developmental Disabilities Administration (DDA) Walla Walla Office

1371 W. Pine Street, Walla Walla WA 99362, 509-394-1069 office 509-527-4416 fax

DDA is part of the Washington Department of Social and Health Services.

DSHS Division of Vocational Rehabilitation (DVR) Walla Walla Office

1530 Stevens Street, Walla Walla WA 99362, 509-527-1815/ 800-548-8755 office

Michelle Coleman (LICSW)

30 West Main, #205, Walla Walla WA 99362, 509-301-1143

Autism Society of Oregon

The Autism Society of Oregon is Oregon's leading organization providing resources, education, advocacy on policy matters and support for individuals and families living with autism.

1-888-Autism-1 (1-888-288-4761) info@AutismSocietyOregon.org AutismSocietyOregon.org

This resource directory is provided to furnish information only; it is not intended to endorse or otherwise represent the organizations identified within. The reader is encouraged to privately research the information provided to determine its usefulness on an individual basis. THE PUBLISHER IS NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR MISUNDERSTANDING OR MISUSE OF INFORMATION PROVIDED WITHIN. Only those submittals that contain relevant information and services for our families will be published. The publisher reserves the right to decide which submittals for publication will be published.

Please contact us if information is missing or incorrect.