

GIVING HISTORY

Since 2001, BAILEY'S TEAM has contributed to the autism community donating over **\$1,200,000** to organizations who fund research, develop & facilitate educational programs, and/or provide social, recreational and learning opportunities for individuals living with autism spectrum disorders and their families. Programs and organizations funded include:

The Arc of Bristol County
The Arc of Eastern Connecticut
The Arc of Massachusetts – Operation House Call
Artist Exchange – Inclusion Art Program
Autism Alliance of Metro West
Autism Families of CONNECTicut
Autism Law Enforcement Education Coalition [ALEC]
The Autism Project
Autism Science Foundation
Autism Society of America – Rhode Island Chapter
Blackstone Valley Boys & Girls Club
Boston Medical Center
Brown Center for Children, Women & Infants Hospital
Community Autism Resources
Easter Seals Youth Leadership Network
The Groden Network
Hockomock Area YMCA – Integration Initiative
J. Arthur Trudeau Memorial Center / Pathways
Kennedy Donovan Center
The League School
Lifeworks Arc / Family Autism Center
The May Institute
MGH for Children – The Lurie Center for Autism
Melmark New England
The Miracle Project New England
The National Alliance for Autism Research/
Autism Speaks
Organization for Autism Research
Reflecting on the Journey – A Parent Retreat
Rhode Island College – Special Ed. Dept. Research
RI Consortium for Autism Research & Treatment
South Coast Educational Collaborative
Spaulding Outpatient Center for Children
Surfer's Healing
Unique Steps Dance Studio

AUTISM

Autism is a complex lifelong disability that can impact a person's ability to communicate affecting social skills, relationships, and learning. Some common characteristics include differences in thinking, sensory processing, and movement. Environmental stimulation can be overwhelming, and as a result, can often affect an individual's ability to self-regulate. In these situations, individuals with autism often manage their anxiety by developing rigid routines and repetitive behaviors.

Autism affects individuals differently and to varying degrees (very mild to severe). Some are highly intelligent and function more independently; others have low cognitive ability and **require lifelong daily care and supervision.**










1 in 54 children will be diagnosed with an autism spectrum disorder this year.

Autistic signs aren't typically apparent until 15 to 24 months of age; while some people aren't diagnosed until later childhood, adolescence or even adulthood.

Sobering studies show that people with autism work less, live less independently, have less socialization, and more unmet healthcare needs.

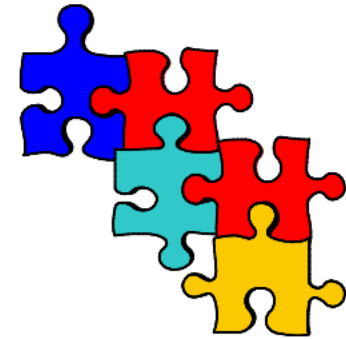
We must value and respect individuals with autism. We must recognize their strengths and interests; and we must support and empower them to have a high quality of life.

BAILEY'S TEAM PROGRAMMING

-  Bailey's Par for Autism Charity Golf Tournament
-  Wine Tasting
-  Art Show featuring Artists with Autism
-  FREE Education Series
-  Bailey's Animal Adventure Family Events
-  Bailey's 5k Run & Family Walk for Autism
-  Autism Community Event Participation
-  Bi-Annual Newsletter & Direct Mail Campaign
-  Parent & Family Support

BAILEY'S TEAM for AUTISM

Raising funds and awareness in support of individuals living with autism spectrum disorders and their families, with a focus on programming, education, and research.



BAILEY'S TEAM
is helping to put the
pieces together!

How wonderful it is that nobody
need wait a single moment before
starting to improve the world.

- Anne Frank

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