Parent Involvement Project
Michigan State University
Autism Research Lab

What is it?
Parent involvement in intervention is key to improving outcomes for children with ASD. This project is designed to measure the effectiveness of different components of an internet-based program designed to improve parent involvement in intervention for families of young children with ASD.

What will you do?
Families will complete the following over a 9 month period:

• An initial intake assessment including standardized, observation, and parent report measures.
• Participation in one of three groups over 4 to 6 months: a self-directed training group, therapist-assisted training group, or web-based information and support group.
• A 3 month follow-up assessment

To participate, your child must:
• Have a diagnosis of autism spectrum disorder (ASD)
• Be between 18 and 96 months of age
• Meet other inclusion criteria

Families will:
• Receive $25 during each assessment period ($75 total)
• Receive an initial and follow-up assessment report
• Be provided all technology if needed at no cost

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