

Participate in Research ECHO AuDIO (Autism Diagnosis and Integrated care Opportunities)



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Are you a community health care provider looking to contribute to research that aims to improve the healthy futures of Canadian autistic children and their families?

What is this study about?

Many Canadian children wait too long for autism diagnosis, creating a need to expand capacity among community health care providers (HCPs) to provide this care. Because of their early and ongoing connection to autistic children, community HCPs are pivotal in providing ongoing integrated autism care. The information that we hope to gather from HCPs about their experiences will be used to create toolkits and ECHO Autism content to support HCPs to perform more diagnostic assessments for autism and provide ongoing integrated care for their autistic patients.

Who can participate?

We are looking for community health care providers who:

- Currently practices as a community health care provider in Ontario, British Columbia, Alberta, Quebec, Nova Scotia, or Saskatchewan
- Currently provides care for children
- Has an active medical license in province of practice

What's involved?

We will ask for your participation in one or two focus groups over Zoom. Each focus group will be approximately 1 – 1.5 hours long.