

ECHO Autism

Intense Behavior

What is ECHO Autism?
Moving **knowledge**, not **people**



ECHO Autism bridges the **care gap** between **autism specialists**, **community health care clinicians**, and **autistic people** and their **families**

How it works:

Professionals receive specific deidentified **case guidance** in a convenient, **interactive web-based** small-group format

Learn and share best practices for increasing positive outcomes and yielding a higher quality of life for people on the autism spectrum who experience intense behaviors and their families

ECHO Autism: Intense Behavior

2nd & 4th Fridays of the month
July 26, 2024 - May 23, 2025
11:00am - 12:00pm CT

Who Should Participate?

Child and adolescent psychiatrists, general psychiatrists, other prescribing clinicians including developmental - behavioral pediatricians and neurologists

Questions?

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ECHO Autism: Intense Behaviors

Up to 50% Engage in self-injurious behaviors



Up to 58% Exhibit aggression toward others



There is a shortage of professionals to evaluate, diagnose, and treat intense behaviors



Intense behaviors impact Quality of Life of patients & families



ECHO Autism: Intense Behavior aims to increase access to best-practice assessment, diagnosis, and treatment for individuals on the autism spectrum with intense behavior such as severe emotional dysregulation, self-injurious behaviors, and physical aggression towards others.

Topic Categories

- Assessing for Medical & Psychiatric Co-morbidities
- Psychopharmacology & ASD
- Approaches to Intense Behavior
- Benefits of Applied Behavior Analysis & Communication
- Maximizing Efficiency & Effectiveness in Care Delivery



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