



# ECHO Autism Communities Symposium 2025 Agenda

<b>TIME (CT)</b>	<b>TOPIC</b>	<b>PRESENTERS</b>
8:00 - 8:15am	Welcome & Opening Remarks	Kristin Sohl, MD
8:15 - 9:15am	Unifying Care: Embracing Diverse Expertise to Address Intense Behavior	Matt Siegel, MD
9:15 - 10:15am	Everyday Supports for a Vibrant Autistic Life (A Japanese Garden Framework)	Lindsey Nebeker
10:15 - 10:30am	Break	
10:30 - 11:45am	Listen to the Spectrum: See Possibilities in All Abilities   Clinicians Share Their Insights	Stephen Shore, Ed.D. Joy Johnson, M.ED., M.S., BCBA, LBA, IBA, Janet Schwartz-Micheaux, PhD, LP, Amber Kovach, LMHC
11:45am - 12:45pm	Navigating Behavior: Effective Approaches for Home and School Settings	Jennifer DeLaPorte, BCBA, LBA
12:45 - 1:00pm	Break	
1:00 - 2:00pm	Understanding and Addressing Feeding Issues in Autism Spectrum Disorder	William Sharp, PhD
2:00 - 3:15pm	Voices of Siblings: Insights on Profound Autism	Amy Ursitti, Cassie Stevens, Fernanda Castellon, PhD
3:15 - 3:30pm	Closing Remarks	Kristin Sohl, MD