

Annual Report

July 2021 - June 2022

KENTUCKY AUTISM TRAINING CENTER

The Kentucky Autism Training Center is committed to improving the quality of life for Kentuckians affected by Autism Spectrum Disorder. We do this by bridging research to practice through training and collaboration.



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Message from the Director



1405 E. Burnett Ave.
Louisville, KY 40217

August 15, 2022

Dear Friends:

On behalf of the Kentucky Autism Training Center (KATC) Advisory Board, University of Louisville's College of Education and Human Development, Department of Special Education, Early Childhood & Prevention Science, and KATC staff, I am proud to present the KATC's 2021-2022 Annual Report for our 26th year of service to the autism community of Kentucky. Since the establishment of the KATC in 1996 by the Kentucky General Assembly, the need for integrated and systemic supports and services across all regions of the Commonwealth continues to increase.

This report represents a summary of our work in the areas of information dissemination, training, coaching and various other supports. Each section provides an overview of the services, supports provided, and information regarding endeavors with our collaborative partners. In addition to the areas detailed above, it is important to note the many hours KATC staff spend providing resources and supports via telephone, calls, virtual consultations, committee meetings, community awareness events, and resource fairs.

Establishing and maintaining collaborative partnerships with professionals and related agencies has proven to be productive in moving KATC toward the vision of improving the lives of those affected by autism. With that said, we would like to specifically acknowledge our partnerships with the Regional Educational Cooperatives and Regional Early Childhood Training Centers, Human Development Institute at UK, Office of Vocational Rehabilitation, and the Office of Autism. Through these collaborations, the KATC has been successful at leveraging resources and bolstering unified efforts across the Commonwealth that continue to enhance the services we provide.

On behalf of the KATC Advisory Board and the KATC staff of eight, I would like to thank the many individuals and agencies who support the work of KATC. A special thank you to the KY General Assembly for their continued support.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'R. Larry Taylor', is positioned above the printed name.

R. Larry Taylor, Ed.D.
Executive Director
1405 E. Burnett Avenue
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KATC Advisory Board

The KATC has an Advisory Board that advises the director in matters of policy, staffing, and operation. Board members are committed to the growth of the Kentucky Autism Training Center as it strives towards its mission to enhance supports for persons with autism by providing information, training and technical assistance to families and service providers across Kentucky. Board members are actively involved in the development of collaborative relationships. Members also provide input and expertise in the development, implementation and evaluation of services provided by the KATC. Unless restricted by their employment, members will assist the KATC to procure funding, in addition to state general funds, to accomplish its mission.

Our Advisory Board Members

- Meagan Brannon, Parent
- Gwenna Pennell, Grandparent
- Mindy Pfau, Parent
- Terri Srinivasan, Parent
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State-wide Reach and Information Sharing



OUR ONLINE AND SOCIAL MEDIA PRESENCE

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@KYTrainingCenter
5,945 Likes
6,143 Followers

TWITTER



@Kyautism
436 Followers
1,088 Tweets

YOUTUBE



Kyautismtraining
97 Videos
1,220 Subscribers
181,868 Views

OTHER



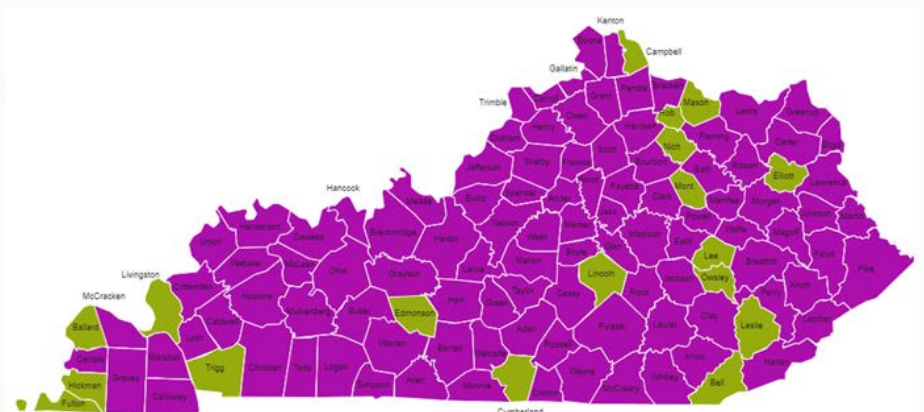
Ky Autism Listserv
431 Subscribers

Our Online and Social Media Presence

The KATC has a growing online and social media presence. We use these avenues to share information, services, resources and training opportunities to the autism and special needs communities.

KATC's State-wide Reach

In 2022, KATC has reached 102 of the 120 counties in Kentucky through our First Responder Trainings, collaborative work with the Office of Autism, Training Site Initiative, and other events/trainings.



Professional Trainings

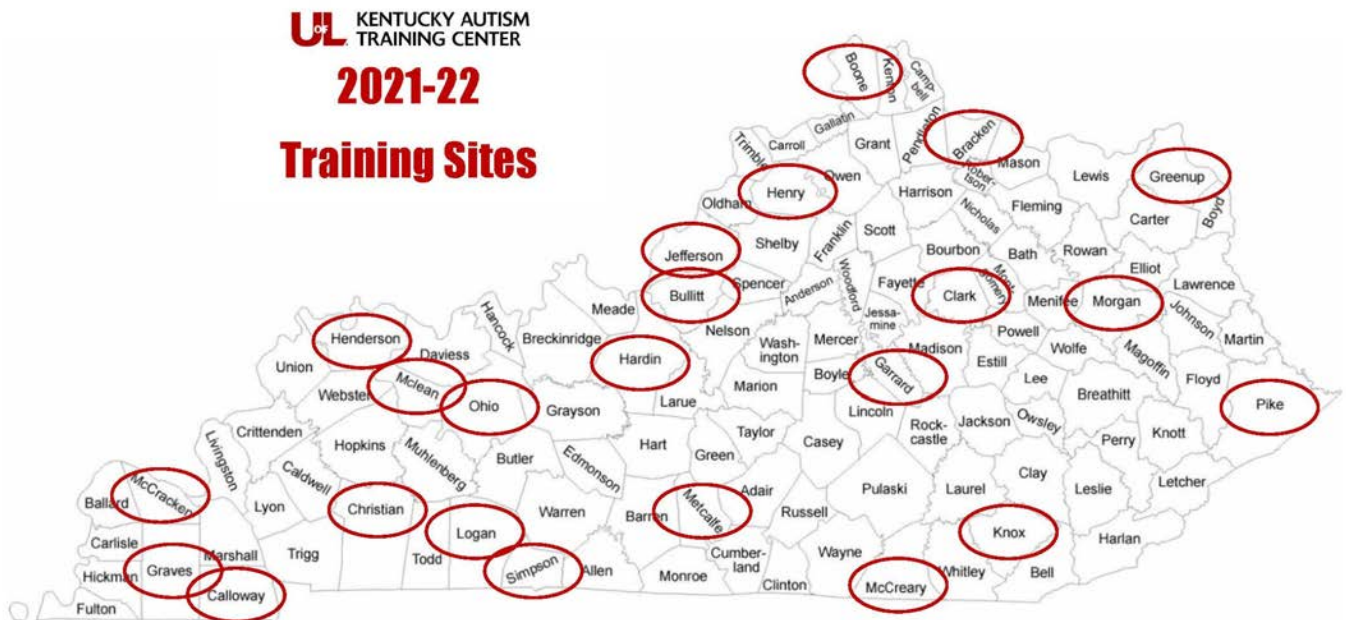
ADOS-2 Autism Diagnostic Observation Schedule (ADOS -2)

KATC hosted a virtual Autism Diagnostic Observation Schedule (ADOS-2) training on February 24-25, 2022. Given the virtual setting participants were able to participate from across the Commonwealth of Kentucky, elsewhere across the United States and even from other countries! The participants included clinical and school psychologists, psychiatrists, developmental pediatricians, therapists and others that have prior education, training, and experience in conducting assessments. The training was conducted by Rachel Hundley, Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Pediatrics, Division of Developmental Medicine; Assistant Professor of Psychiatry; Psychologist, Vanderbilt Kennedy Center Learning Assessment Clinic. Dr. Hundley is a clinical psychologist who specializes in the assessment and ongoing care for children with developmental disabilities, emotional and behavioral concerns, and autism spectrum disorder (ASD).



Training Site Initiative

The Kentucky Autism Training Center (KATC), in partnership with the Kentucky Department of Education (KDE), and the Regional Educational Cooperatives, provides learning opportunities to professionals and parents of students with autism. These opportunities are designed to increase the positive outcomes for learners with autism by the time they complete their high school experience. The "Training Site" initiative through the KATC has been a benefit to local public schools for over 10 years. Schools apply to participate, and if accepted, receive focused onsite or virtual technical assistance from KATC Field Training Coordinators and Consultants from the Regional Special Education Cooperatives. The focus of this work is to enhance the school personnel's skills to serve students with autism.



Training Site Initiative

Criterion:

- Administrative support and engagement
- Teacher who serves students with ASD
- Teacher who demonstrates responsiveness to professional learning
- Commitment to partner with the regional cooperative consultant
- School personnel demonstrate a desire to build district capacity
- Commitment to participate in regional cadre trainings related to autism

General Guidelines:

- School may apply for multiple classrooms
- Teacher completes the application form (collaboratively if multiple teachers)
- Involved personnel are each in good standing with school/district (teacher is not on a corrective improvement plan, student with autism is not a part of the dispute resolution process, etc.)
- All classroom staff and related service staff must review the application and sign to show their commitment
- District Director of Special Education must be informed of the application submission



Training Site Initiative

2021-22 School Year Training Sites

Bracken County - Taylor Elementary
Bullitt County - Old Mill Elementary School
Calloway County – District Site
Christian County - District Site
Clark County - District Site
Corbin Independent - Corbin Primary School
Garrard County - Camp Dick Robinson Elementary School
Garrard County - Garrard Middle School
Garrard County - Paint Lick Elementary School
Graves County - District Site
Greenup County - McKell Preschool
Hardin County – James T. Alton Middle School
Henderson County - District Site
Henry County - Henry County Middle School
Henry County - New Castle Elementary School
Jefferson County - The Binet School
Mayfield Independent - District Site
McCracken County - District Site
McCreary County - McCreary Central High School
McLean County - McLean County Middle School
Metcalf County - Metcalf County Middle School
Morgan County - Morgan County Middle School
Morgan County - Wrigley Elementary School
Ohio County - Wayland Alexander Elementary School
Paducah Independent - Paducah Head Start Preschool
Pike County - Mullins Elementary School
Pike County - Belfry Elementary School
Pike County - Bevins Elementary School
Russellville Independent - Russellville Preschool Academy
Simpson County - Franklin Elementary
Simpson County - Simpson Elementary
Walton-Verona Independent - Walton-Verona Elementary

First Responder Initiative

The KATC offers a training currently approved for two CE/Contact Hours from the KY Board of Emergency Medical Services (KBEMS) and KY Fire Commission State Fire Rescue Training. The FREE training is offered throughout the state of Kentucky and can be provided multiple times to allow greatest participation among agency personnel.

Topics include:

- Explain what autism is - including characteristics and spectrum of how these characteristics are expressed among autistics.
- Review frequently used terms, strategies, and common types/titles of caregivers.
- Understand how to respond to and interact with individual(s) with autism – including communication strategies.
- Identify de-escalation strategies that could be utilized with autistics.
- Review local, state-wide, and national resources related to autism.



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**FIRST RESPONDER
TRAININGS**

1
TRUNK OR TREAT

10
**DIFFERENT
CITIES**



First Responder Initiative

Autism and the First Responder Trainings:

July 2021

- Autism and the School Resource Officer (SRO) -WKEC Summer Institute
- School Resource Officers (SROs) and Students with Disabilities (SWDs) -NKCES Virtual Training
- Autism and the First Responder -Department of Criminal Justice Training (DOCJT)
- Autism and the First Responder - DOCJT Contemporary Policing in the 21st Century In-Service
- Autism and the First Responder -Lexington Police In-Service

August 2021

- Autism and the First Responder -DOCJT Contemporary Issues in the 21st Century In-Service

September 2021

- Autism and the First Responder - Lexington Police Dept. In-Service
- Autism and the First Responder -DOCJT - Contemporary Policing in the 21st Century
- Autism and the First Responder -Georgetown / Scott County Emergency Management Training
- Autism and the First Responder - DOCJT - Contemporary Policing in the 21st Century In-Service

October 2021

- Autism and the First Responder -Lexington Streets & Roads
- Autism and the First Responder -Lexington Police In-Service
- Autism and the First Responder -DOCJT Contemporary Policing in the 21st Century

November 2021

- Autism and the First Responder - DOCJT Contemporary Policing in the 21st Century

January 2022

- Autism and the First Responder -Lexington Police Recruit Class

February 2022

- Autism and the First Responder - DOCJT Contemporary Issues in Policing

March 2022

- Autism and the First Responder -Dixie Fire School
- Autism and the First Responder -Louisville Metro Dept. of Corrections (Recruit Class)
- Autism and the First Responder - Northern Kentucky University (NKU) Police

April 2022

- Autism and the First Responder -DOCJT - Current Leadership Issues for Mid-Level Executives (CLIME)
- Autism and the First Responder -DOCJT - Contemporary Policing in the 21st Century
- Autism and the First Responder -DOCJT - CLIME

June 2022

- Working with Autistic Students -KCCS Law Enforcement in Schools Conference
- Autism and the First Responder - State Fire School
- Autism and the First Responder - DOCJT - Contemporary Policing in the 21st Century



Yellow Dot Program

Participant's Name _____

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KENTUCKY AUTISM TRAINING CENTER

The Yellow Dot Program

This folder contains personal and medical information for first responder use.

Place decal on lower-left corner of REAR windshield.

Place this completed Yellow Dot Program folder in your glove compartment.

Consider including a separate Yellow Dot Program folder for each participant.

DO NOT include credit card or social security numbers.



Medical Conditions/Recent Surgeries

Date this information was last reviewed and/or updated: ____ / ____ / 20 ____

☐ I HAVE NO KNOWN MEDICAL CONDITIONS or

Please check all the following that apply to you:

☐ Abnormal EKG
☐ Chest pain (Angina)
☐ Heart Attack
☐ High Blood Pressure
☐ Heart Rhythm issues (cardiac dysrhythmias)
☐ Pacemaker
☐ Internal Heart Defibrillator
☐ Heart Surgery/Treatment for blockages (Coronary Bypass Grafts, Stents)
☐ Heart Surgery for valve problems
☐ Stroke
☐ Seizure Disorder
☐ Previous head injury/surgery Date: ____
☐ Adrenal Insufficiency
☐ Bleeding problems (disorder)
☐ Dialysis (Hemodialysis)
☐ Kidney Problems
☐ Kidney (Renal) Failure
☐ Anemia (Hemolytic Anemic)
☐ Sickle Cell anemia
☐ Hepatitis
☐ HIV/AIDS
☐ Leukemia (Cancer: type)
☐ Other Cancer
☐ Laryngectomy
☐ Autism

☐ Lung/Breathing problems i.e. COPD, Emphysema, Asthma
☐ Alzheimer's (Dementia/Alzheimer's)
☐ Diabetes-take insulin injections (Diabetes/Insulin Dependent)
☐ Diabetes-take pills
☐ Low sugar (Hypoglycemia)
☐ Vision Problems (Eye Surgery)
☐ Glaucoma
☐ Broken Bones (Fractures)
☐ Overheat easily (Malignant Hyperthermia)
☐ Pregnant: Date due: ____
☐ Any metal plates, joints, etc.?

Allergies
(Check ALL That Apply)

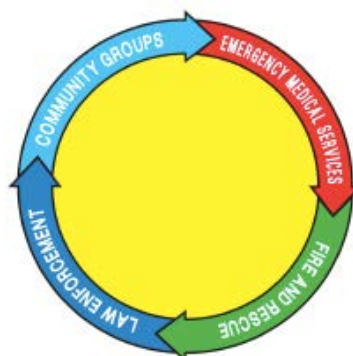
☐ NO KNOWN ALLERGIES
☐ LATEX
☐ Aspirin
☐ Barbiturates
☐ Codeine
☐ Demoral
☐ Insect Stings
☐ Lidocaine
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☐ Novocaine
☐ Penicillin
☐ Sulfa
☐ Tetracycline
☐ X-Rays Dyes
☐ Xylocaine
☐ Other: List Below

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The Yellow Dot Program alerts First Responders at crash scenes of critical medical information that could save a life.

Participants put a decal on their vehicle's rear windshield and place a completed Yellow Dot pamphlet in their glove compartment. The information included could help emergency responders make split second decisions about how to assist the individual with autism or other medical needs.

KATC continues to provide Yellow Dots to Kentuckians with autism and their families. Yellow Dot stickers and information folders are available for free and are prepared in-house at the KATC.



The Yellow Dot Program

The information contained in this folder is for first responder use for accident or other medical emergency to assist EMS, Law Enforcement, and Fire and Rescue personnel during the "golden hour."

Communication Style: _____

Calming Strategies: _____

Triggers/Fears: _____

Interests/Attractions: _____

To request a Yellow Dot brochure visit www.kyautism.org

Consultation

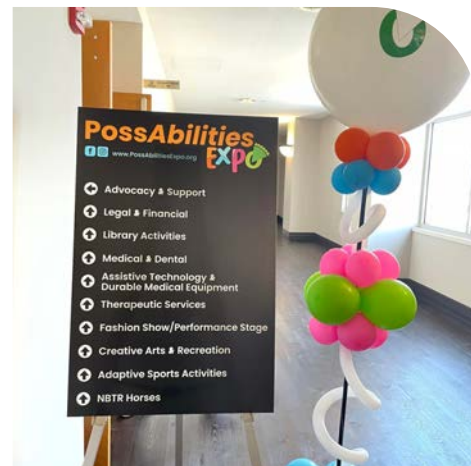
KATC Staff consult with individuals, families, and professionals on a variety of topics including sensory friendly performances, behavioral concerns, academic issues, navigating resources, employment, etc. Additionally, KATC Staff often collaborates with groups, agencies, and organizations on matters that impact the lives of autistic citizens in Kentucky.

499 hours

OF CONSULTATION AND COLLABORATION

WITH:

- Arts for All KY
- Aetna Better Health
- Arena
- Caregivers and Families in Kentucky and Indiana
- Commonwealth Council on Developmental Disabilities
- ECHO
- FEAT of Louisville
- Greater Louisville Co-op
- HIVE
- KDE Infinite Campus
- KY Center for School Safety
- Kentucky Advisory Council on Autism (KYACA)
- KY-SPIN
- Kentucky School for the Blind
- Lifeworks
- Matthew Goodin and Gordon Homes Lawyer and Finance
- National Autism Network of Across the State Implementers (NANSI)
- Norton Children's Autism Clinic
- Office of Autism
- Office for Children with Special Health Care Needs
- Office of Vocational Rehabilitation
- Parent Support Groups
- Project Purple
- Possibilities Expo (Bowling Green) Committee Meeting
- Regional Training Centers (Ashland, JCPS, Anderson, Brea, Calloway, KVEC, Simpson)
- Stage One
- University of Louisville faculty, staff and students
- University of Louisville College of Education and Human Development
- University of Louisville School of Engineering
- University of Louisville Police Department
- Up in KY
- WKU CEC
- WKU-Family Resource Program



Additional Partnerships

Office for Children with Special Health Care Needs

The Kentucky Autism Initiative in Treatment, Training, and Research (KAITTR) provides diagnostic and/or treatment clinics in collaboration with the Office for Children for Special Health Care Needs (OCSHCN) and physicians from the Norton Children's Autism Center and Development Center in 5 regions in Kentucky. The team typically consists of a developmental pediatrician, child psychiatrist, and a neurologist who work in conjunction with the OCSHCN staff. KATC provided initial and on-going training for OCSHCN staff at these clinics. The KATC Field Training Coordinators continue to provide ongoing support to families, staff and others by identifying resources and services to address the child's specific needs, especially related to the child's school programming. KATC staff provided support and collaboration to patients served at the Owensboro and Bowling Green OCSHCN clinics.



Kentucky Advisory Council on Autism (KYACA)

KATC's Executive Director is a Governor-appointed member on the Kentucky Advisory Council on Autism. Additionally, KATC staff are active participants in each of the Council's three subcommittees: Early Childhood, School-Age, and Adolescent/Adult. Collaboratively with other KYACA members, the KATC supports the work of Kentucky's Office of Autism and the KYACA.

Additional Trainings and Events

July 2021

- Teaching Executive Functioning Skills, Owensboro Special Education Summit, School Personnel, Owensboro - District 2
- Evidenced Based Practices for Students with Autism, KEDC Summer Institute, School Personnel, KEDC Region - District 5
- Behavior Basics AND Teaching Executive Functioning in the Early Childhood Setting, Audubon Area Head Start Regional Conference, Caregivers, Human Service Professionals, Murray -District 1
- School Resource Officers (SROs) and Students with Disabilities (SWDs), NKCES Virtual Training, First Responders, School Personnel, Online
- Using Visual Supports to Teach Independence AND Teaching Emotional Regulation to Preschool Students, Audubon Area Head Start Regional Conference, Caregivers, Human Service Professionals, Murray - District 1

August 2021

- The ABCs of ASD, Carroll County Middle School PD Day, School Personnel, Carrollton - District 4
- We Thinkers Social Curriculum Overview, Greenup Co Schools Preschool Retreat, School Personnel, Load - District 4
- Starter Strategies for Young children with Autism in the Preschool Classroom , Ashland RTC Autism Series, School Personnel, Morehead -District 5
- Starting the Year off Right: Autism Strategies for Classroom Assistants, Pike Co Schools Kickoff- Mullins Elementary, School Personnel, Pikeville -District 5
- Starting the Year off Right: Autism Strategies for Classroom Assistants, Pike Co Schools Kickoff- Bevins Elementary, School Personnel, Sidney - District 5
- Starting the Year off Right: Autism Strategies for Classroom Assistants, Pike Co Schools Kick off - Phelps Elementary, School Personnel, Belfry - District 5

September 2021

- Eligibility and Determination for Preschool Children with Autism, School Personnel, Richmond- District 6
- De-Escalating Behavior in Preschool Children, School Personnel, Ashland RTC region plus Wolf County -District 5
- No More Meltdowns Book Study, Caregivers, Human Service Professionals, School Personnel - Across the State - Virtual
- No More Meltdowns Book Study, Caregivers, Human Service Professionals, School Personnel - Across the State - Virtual
- Autism 101, Autism Lunch & Learn Hour, School Personnel, KEDC region -District 5
- Teach Executive Functioning, GRREC ASD Cadre, School Personnel, Bowling Green -District 2
- No More Meltdowns Book study/ training, Caregivers, Human Service Professionals, School Personnel - Across the State - Virtual

Additional Trainings and Events

October 2021

- No More Meltdowns Book study, Caregivers, Human Service Professionals, School Personnel, Across the State - Virtual
- ASD: Self-regulation, School Personnel, Richmond -District 6
- Starter Strategies for Young Children with Autism, Northeast Head Start, School Personnel, Russell - District 4
- Starter Strategies for Young Children with Autism, Northeast Head Start, School Personnel, Russell- District 4
- Setting Students Up for Success, Professional Development Training, School Personnel, Bardstown - District 2
- No More Meltdowns Book Study, Caregivers, Human Service Professionals, School Personnel, Across the State - Virtual
- JCPS Early Childhood, Community of Practice (CoP) - Intro, School Personnel, Louisville - District 3
- Visual supports for School Age Students with Autism , KEDC Autism Lunch hour, School Personnel, KEDC region - District 5
- No More Meltdowns Book Study, Caregivers, Human Service Professionals, School Personnel, Across the State - Virtual
- Setting Students with Autism Up for Success, School Personnel, Louisville - District 3

November 2021

- Behavior strategies and Interventions for School Administrators, KVEC, School Personnel, Hazard -District 5
- ASD: Sensory Processing, School Personnel, Richmond -District 6
- Supporting Behavior for Students with Autism, Lunch and Learn KEDC, School Personnel, Ashland -District 4
- Navigating Resources for Newly Dx Individual w/ ASD, LG&E employees, Louisville -District 3
- JCPS Early Childhood Community of Practice, Discussion of Intro to Autism Module, School Personnel, Louisville -District 3
- Institutions of Higher Education (IHE)/College Reframing Autism, KY CEC, Caregivers, Human Service Professionals, Individuals with Autism, School Personnel, Louisville - District 3
- The ABCs of ASD, 2021 KYCEC Conference, School Personnel, Louisville - District 3
- Calming the Chaos: Strengthening the Executive Functioning Skills with Students, 2021 KYCEC Conference, School Personnel, Louisville - District 3

Additional Trainings and Events

December 2021

- ABC 123 Early Learners Transitions to School, KY Spin Family Event, Caregivers, Across the State- Online
- Didactic for 3rd year Residents on Navigating Resources as a physician, Med Students, Louisville -District 3
- Behavior Planning and Intervention Strategies KVEC for Elementary School Teachers, School Personnel
- Hazard - District 5
- ASD: Reinforcement, School Personnel, Richmond - District 6
- Visual Supports for Success, School Personnel, Vine Grove -District 2
- Supporting Little Learners through Big Feelings: Understanding and Navigating the Escalation Cycle in Early Childhood Settings, JCPS Early Childhood Online Module, School Personnel - Online

January 2022

- JCPS Early Childhood Autism Learning Network (ALN) Meeting, School Personnel, Online
- Calming the Chaos: How to Strengthen Executive Function Skills with Your Students, OVEC OT/PT Cadre Meeting, School Personnel, Online
- ASD: Visual Supports, School Personnel, Richmond - District 6
- Autism 2.0: Application of the Big 5, Calloway RTC Autism 2.0 Learning Network, School Personnel
- Hopkinsville - District 1
- Self Regulation, Sensory Processing, and Communication, School Personnel, Louisville -District 3

February 2022

- Autism: From Diagnosis (Dx) to Intervention, Lifeskills Monthly Therapist Workshop, Human Service Professionals,
- Bowling Green - District 2
- Navigating Resources as a Physician, Medical Student for 3rd year Residents at School of Medicine at University of Louisville
- Didactic for 3rd year Residents on Navigating Resources as a physician, Med Students, Louisville -District 3
- Behavioral Intervention Planning: A Guide to FBAs and BIPs, GRREC ASD Cadre, School Personnel, Bowling Green - District 2
- Communication Intervention in the Preschool Classroom, Calloway RTC Autism Series, School Personnel, Murray - District 1
- Presentation to High School Students about the field of Autism, High School Student Forum, Students, Franklin - District 1
- Visual Supports, Autism Tip of the Month for Berea RTC, School Personnel, Richmond -District 6
- Autism for Educators
- Henry Co Public Schools PD Day, School Personnel, New Castle, GRREC/KATC Autism Series (Day 3), GRREC---Autism Series, School Personnel, Bowling Green - District 2
- Advanced Behavioral Strategies for the Preschool Setting, Calloway Regional Training Center--Autism 2.0 Series, School Personnel, Hopkinsville -District 1

Additional Trainings and Events

March 2022

- GRREC/KATC Autism Series (Day 3), GRREC Autism Series, School Personnel, Bowling Green -District 2
- Didactic for 3rd year Residents on Navigating Resources as a physician, Med Students, Louisville -District 3
- Ausome Apps for Students on the Spectrum, Kentucky Society for Technology in Education (KySTE), Annual Conference, Caregivers, Individuals with Autism, School Personnel, Louisville
- Virtual Support Autism Tip of the Month for Berea RTC, School Personnel, Richmond -District 6
- Autism and the First Responder, Dixie Fire School, Caregivers, First Responders, Elizabethtown - District 2
- Hart of Autism Parent Support Gp Training, Hart of Autism, Caregivers, Individuals with Autism, Munfordville -District 2
- Helping Students with Autism in the Early Childhood Setting, Head Start Annual Conference, Head Start Staff, Louisville - District 3
- Didactic For 3rd Year Residents from School of Medicine navigating autism, School of Medicine Training , Residents 3 yr., Louisville - District 3
- Advanced Behavioral and Academic Strategies, GRREC Autism Cadre, School Personnel, Bowling Green - District 2
- Advanced Behavioral Strategies, Calloway RTC Autism 2.0 ALN, School Personnel, Hopkinsville -District 1
- Transition Tool: How to prepare for all transitions, WKEC Autism Cadre, School Personnel, Eddyville - District 1
- Navigating Resources for School Age Students, JCPS Zone 1 Training, School Personnel, Louisville - District 3

April 2022

- Didactic for Residents Uof L School of Medicine, Didactic Residents, Louisville -District 3
- Resources for Pediatrician's, School of Medicine 3rd Year Residents Training, Medical Personnel, Louisville - District 3
- Autism 101, Caregivers, Human Service Professionals, Individuals with Autism, Medical Personnel
- Supporting Learners on the Autism Spectrum (Part 2), Fort Knox Child & Youth Services, Caregivers, Human Service Professionals, School Personnel, Fort Knox - District 4
- Residents Training School of Medicine University of Louisville, Didactic Medical Personnel, Louisville - District 3
- Understanding Challenging Behavior, Caregivers, Human Service Professionals, Individuals with Autism, Medical Personnel, Virtual
- Developmental Milestones Explained: How do I know if my child has delays?, Logan County Mothers of Preschool Children quarterly meeting, Autism Caregivers - District 2
- Franklin County Early Learning Center -Diagnosis Autism and Caregiver Navigation, Franklin County Schools Early Learning Campus, Caregivers, School Personnel, Frankfort -District 1
- Executive Functioning: Strategies for Parents, WKU Clinical Education Complex Parent Coffee Hour, Caregivers, Bowling Green -District 2

Additional Trainings and Events

May 2022

- ECHO , ECHO Office of Special Health Care Needs, Human Service Professionals, Medical Personnel, School Personnel, Louisville - District 3
- Neuro-Diversity, JB Speed School of Engineering, Engineers, Louisville - District 3
- Reframing Autism for PCP School of Medicine, Didactic Residents 3rd year, Louisville - District 3
- How to Make DramaWorks Camp Work for Everyone!, Summer Camp Staff, Louisville - District 3
- Autism in the General Education Classroom: Success for All, LaRue County Professional Learning Summit, School Personnel, Hodgenville -District 2
- The Building Blocks for Student Success, Russell County Public Schools PD Day, School Personnel, Russell Springs - District 4

June 2022

- Reframing Autism in Medical Programs, Resident Didactic, Medical Personnel, Louisville -District 3
- Behavior ECHO, Medical Personnel, Louisville -District 3
- Regional Training Center (RTC) Autism Series, RTC Summer Autism Mini Institute, School Personnel, Cave City -District 2
- Reframing Autism - Medical School, Didactic 3rd year residents, Louisville -District 3
- Behavior Institute--2 training sessions, Behavior Institute, School Personnel, Louisville -District 3
- Reframing Autism Medical School, Didactic 3rd year residents, Louisville - District 3
- Working with Autistic Students, KCCS Law Enforcement in Schools Conference, First Responders, School Personnel, Richmond -District 6

Other 2022

- Autism, Perryville teachers, Perryville - District 2
- Autism Training, Perryville Elementary, School Personnel, Perryville -District 6
- Perryville Elementary Professional Development, School Personnel, Perryville -District 2
- Kentucky Autism Training, Professional Development, School Personnel, Perryville Elementary School - District 3
- Autism Training, PES, Perryville -District 2
- UL Autism Training, Perryville, School Personnel, Perryville -District 1
- Autism Training, School Personnel, London -District 5
- Setting Students Up for Success, School Personnel, London -District 5
- Autism Training, Laurel County Board of Ed, School Personnel, Laurel County -District 5
- Autism, Laurel County School, School Personnel, London -District 5
- Autism, School Personnel, London -District 5
- Autism, School Personnel, London - District 5

Additional Trainings and Events

Other 2022

- ASD Training, ASD training, School Personnel, London -District 5
- Autism, School Personnel, Junction City - District 2
- Autism, Boyle County, School Personnel, Danville -District 1
- Autism, Junction city elementary, School Personnel, Boyle co -District 2
- Autism Training, School Personnel, Junction City -District 1
- Autism Training, Junction City Elementary, School Personnel, Junction City -District 1



Additional Trainings and Events

To request or to receive additional details about a training, visit our website www.kyautism.org.

- **Training for First Responders**

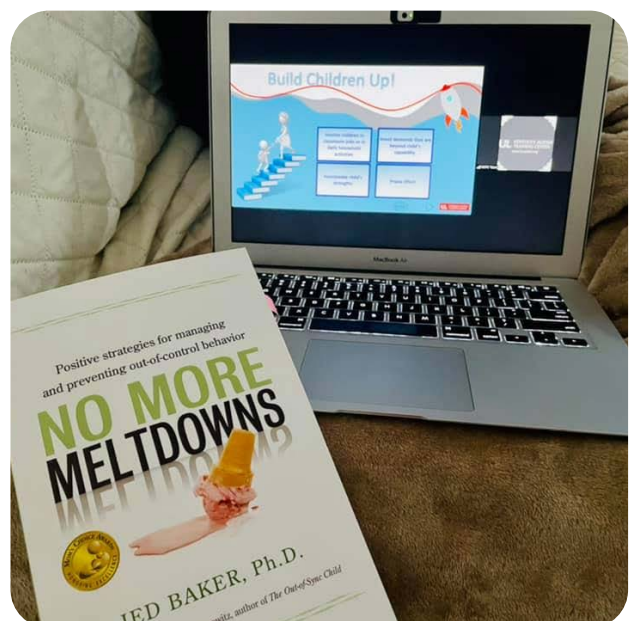
The KATC staff can provide the free Autism and First Responder training at a variety of times and days of the week to best meet the needs of the requesting agency. For example, one agency needed a single session with 10 participants, while another agency requested 1,200 individuals be trained by offering the training over 20 times. The First Responders training provides the opportunity for discussion, brainstorming and problem solving, as well as enhanced connections amongst participants.

- **Training for Professionals**

The KATC staff can provide training on autism and related topics to professional and community groups across Kentucky. The KATC encourages professional groups to work in collaboration with KATC to design a presentation to meet the group's needs.

- **Training for Groups**

Autism related support groups and other family groups across Kentucky can access workshops on a variety of topics free of charge. Although we have a list of suggested topics on our website, we encourage family groups to work in collaboration with our trainers to design a presentation to meet the support group's needs.



How to Support KATC

General Donations

The KATC's asks that you please make a donation to aid in continuing our mission to improve the lives of individuals affected by autism.

Donations will be used for, but not limited to, the following:

- Continue and increase the number of regional trainings and workshops we offer throughout the state
- Continue and increase the number of service provider trainings
- Increase First Responder trainings (Fire Fighters, EMS, Police Officers, etc.) throughout the state and provide them with communication boards as requested
- Continue distributing Yellow Dot Brochures to individuals and agencies across the state
- Develop and distribute other resources for individuals with autism and those that love and support them
- Provide KATC staff with professional development opportunities to keep them abreast of the most current resources, supports, etc. pertaining to autism to assist individuals and their families

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