What is ECHO Autism?
• A virtual learning network of medical providers
• Real-time access to autism and behavioral experts
• An innovative system that allows professionals to:
  - Increase confidence in identifying and treating autism symptoms
  - Expand knowledge about behavioral treatments

How will ECHO Autism help me?
• Regular, convenient access to Lurie Center/MGH experts:
  - Neurodevelopmental neurologist
  - Developmental behavioral pediatrician
  - Clinical child psychologist
  - Family resource coordinator
  - Parent advocate
• Increase knowledge about:
  - Evidence-based practices for screening, diagnosis and treatment of autism
  - Common medical and psychiatric concerns in children with autism through case-based training
  - Successful office visits for children with autism and other behavioral concerns
• Care for your patients in your own practice with the support of nationally recognized autism experts
• *Free CME: Activity approved for AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)™

Why should ECHO Autism matter to you?
• 1 in 59 children have autism
• 50-80% have trouble with sleep
• 40-80% have GI issues
• More than 50% have co-occurring anxiety or ADHD
• Parents need medical support in their home communities
• You can make a huge difference for families in your community

How does it work?
• Meets 12:00 p.m.-1:00 p.m., Wednesdays
• Topics and dates for 2020-2021:
  ~ October 14 - ASD Diagnoses and Complex Cases
  ~ November 18 - M-CHAT Screening and Follow-up
  ~ December 9 - Diagnosing and Treating Reflux in Autism
  ~ January 13 - Autism and Anxiety (non-pharmacological)
  ~ February 10 - Sleep and ASD
  ~ March 10 - Supporting Successful Office Visits for Patients
  ~ April 14 - Supporting Families
  ~ May 12 - Psychopharmacology for Autism: Irritability, ADHD, and Anxiety
  ~ June 9 - Nutrition and Feeding
  ~ July 14 - Transitions to Adult Healthcare
  ~ August 11 - Complementary and Alternative Therapies
  ~ September 8 - School, Home, and Community Based Therapies for ASD
• Discuss complex cases in YOUR practice for real-time advice from experts
• Uses ZOOM platform

What do I need to get started?
• Internet access
• A front-facing camera on smartphone, tablet, or computer/webcam

Join us to bring the best autism care to primary care
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