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., 2nd Wednesday of each month
- Dates for 2021-2022:
  - October 13th, 2021
  - November 10th, 2021
  - December 8th, 2021
  - January 12th, 2022
  - February 9th, 2022
  - March 9th, 2022

Potential topics include: What is ASD? / Components of Diagnostic Assessment, Differential Diagnosis in Toddlers, Management of Irritability and Challenging Behaviors, Sleep and ASD, Feeding Problems in ASD, Medical Desensitization and Tolerating Medical Procedures, Applied Behavioral Analysis
- 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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