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The Autism Speaks Family Services Department offers resources, tool kits, and support to help manage the day-to-day challenges of living with autism ([www.autismspeaks.org/family-services](http://www.autismspeaks.org/family-services)). If you are interested in speaking with a member of the Autism Speaks Family Services Team contact the Autism Response Team (ART) at 888-AUTISM2 (288-4762), or by email at [familyservices@autismspeaks.org](mailto:familyservices@autismspeaks.org).

ART En Español al 888-772-9050.

## Websites

Read about evidence-based treatments for autism at:

- The National Autism Center Website at [www.nationalautismcenter.org](http://www.nationalautismcenter.org)
- The Organization for Autism Research (OAR) website at [www.researchautism.org](http://www.researchautism.org)

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