

If you are seeking for your child to receive a diagnostic assessment for Autism Spectrum Disorder and/or if they have received a screening from FAU CARD, here are some options for your consideration:

Home Safe/ Healthy Beginnings Entry Agency (For children ages 0 to 5 in Palm Beach County)

- Call: 561-383-9800, press 3 for the Healthy Beginnings Entry Agency

Press 1 for services closest to West Palm Beach, Riviera Bch, Royal Palm Bch Jupiter or Loxahatchee.

Press 2 for services closest to Lake Worth, Green Acres, Wellington, or Lantana

Press 3 for services closest to Boynton Beach, Delray Beach or Boca Raton

Press 4 for services closet to Belle Glade, Pahokee or South Bay

Early Steps Program / Easter Seals Florida (For children ages 0 to 3)

- Palm Beach County Office: 561-881-2822
- Treasure Coast Office (Martin, Okeechobee, St Lucie & Indian River): 772-380-9972

Child Find / School District- Department of Exceptional Student Education (ESE) (For children ages 3 & older)

- Palm Beach County (Boca, Delray Beach, Glades) 800-734-9707
- Palm Beach County (Boynton Beach to Jupiter) 561-434-8537 or 561-434-7339
- Martin County 772-429-4601
- St Lucie County 772-564-4166
- Indian River County 772-564-4166
- Okeechobee County 800-358-8525

Additional Community Referral Options for Diagnostic Assessments (See attached list)

FAU CARD does not endorse or recommend any of the individuals in the attached list. The list is meant to serve as a means of identifying professionals who provide diagnostic assessments in our 5-county catchment area. Parents should research each practitioner and contact them directly to identify which professional(s) could best meet the needs of their child and family. The list was compiled for informational purposes only and is accurate to the best of our knowledge. Documentation was gathered from a variety of sources including providers, websites, and agencies.

Community Referral Options for ASD Diagnostic Assessments

Acadia Psychological Services, P.A. / Dr. Sharon Miller, Neuropsychologist

7301 W. Palmetto Park Road, Suite 204A, Boca Raton, FL 33433

561-368-9940 www.acadiapsych.com

Funding Sources: Insurance plans accepted

Assessment Tools: A variety of assessments and rating scales are used

Boys Town of South Florida/ Behavioral Health Clinic

3111 S. Dixie Highway, Suite 200, West Palm Beach 33405

561-366-9400 www.boystown.org/south-florida

Funding Sources: Insurance plans and Medicaid accepted

Assessment Tools: A variety of assessments and rating scales are used

Center for Pediatric Neuropsychology/ Dr. Jill Kelderman, Neuropsychologist

500 Village Square Crossing, Suite 103, Palm Beach Gardens, FL 33410

561-688-9795 <http://neuropsych4kids.com>

Funding Sources: Insurance plans accepted

Assessment Tools: ADOS and a variety of assessments and rating scales are used

Myles Cooley, PhD, ABPP / Clinical Psychology

9121 N. Military Trail, Suite 218, Palm Beach Gardens, FL 33410

561-694-0001 www.drmylescooley.com

Funding Sources: Medicare and private pay/ No insurance plans accepted

Assessment Tools: A variety of assessments and rating scales are used

Developmental & Behavioral Pediatrics of South Florida / Judith Aronson-Ramos, MD

5350 West Hillsboro Blvd Suite #207, Coconut Creek, FL 33073

954-531-0847 <http://draronsonramos.com>

Funding Sources: Private pay/ No insurance plans accepted

Assessment Tools: A variety of assessments and rating scales are used

Easter Seals Florida / Treasure Coast Early Steps (TCES) Program (Ages Birth to 3)

Palm Bch County: 1655 Palm Bch Lakes Blvd, # 600, W Palm Bch, FL 33401 561-881-2822

Northern Counties: 10570 South Federal Hwy, # 200, Port St Lucie, FL 34952 772-380-9972

www.easterseals.com/florida/our-programs/childrens-services/treasure-coast-early-steps/treasure-coast-early-steps.html

Funding Sources: Insurance, Medicaid & Part C funds are available only for TCES eligible children

Assessment Tools: ADOS, M-CHAT-R/F and Battelle Developmental Inventory, 2

Gary Eisenberg, PhD / Clinical Child and Adolescent Psychology

950 Glades Road, Suite 1A, Boca Raton, FL 33431

561-392-1414 www.healthgrades.com/provider/gary-eisenberg-2xlbp

Funding Sources: Insurance plans accepted

Assessment Tools: A variety of assessments and rating scales are used

Adel Helmy, MD / Pediatric Neurology

4510 North Federal Hwy, Lighthouse Point, FL 22064

954-781-2211 www.healthgrades.com/physician/dr-adel-helmy-yknwk

Funding Sources: Insurance, Sunshine Health & Humana Managed Medical Assistance plans

Assessment Tools: Clinical ASD diagnostic appointments are conducted; No ASD assessments

Jewish Family & Children's Services/ Jeryl Kershner, MD/ Child Psychiatry

5841 Corporate Way, Suite 200, West Palm Beach, FL 33407

561-684-1991 www.jfcsonline.com/jeryl-dansky-kershner-md-child-psychiatrist

Funding Sources: Insurance plans accepted

Assessment Tools: Clinical ASD diagnostic appointments are conducted; No ASD assessments

Legacy Behavioral Health Center, Inc. / Savianne Maharaj, PsyD/ Psychology

5 Offices: 1551 Forum Place, Bldg 400 D & E, W. Palm Bch, FL 33401 561-616-8411

15818 Warfield Blvd, PO Box 458, Indiantown, FL 34956 772-597-0411

1986 31st Avenue, Suite 120, Vero Beach, FL 32960 772-257-5264

304 NW 5th St., Plaza 300, Okeechobee, FL 34972 863-357-8268

2632 SW Port St Lucie Blvd, Port St Lucie, FL 34953 772-873-8811

Toll free: 1-888-97-legacy or 1-888-975-3422 www.legacybhc.com

Funding Sources: Medicaid, MMA plans, Magellan Complete Care, Wellcare/ Staywell-

Healthy Kids only, United Beh Health/ Cenpatico- Healthy Kids only, Concordia/ CMS Title 19 & 21, United for Family DCF Funded Services, SEFBHN/CCA, self pay & sliding scale

Assessment Tools: A variety of assessments and rating scales are used

Lazlo Mate, MD / Pediatric Neurology

824 US 1, Suite 230, North Palm Beach, FL 33408

561-626-5551 www.facebook/LJMateresearch.com

Funding Sources: Insurance plans and Medicaid accepted

Assessment Tools: Clinical ASD diagnostic appointments are conducted; No ASD assessments

Joan Naini, PhD / Neuropsychology and Clinical Psychology

Wellington 561-654-4311 www.drjoannaini.com

Funding Sources: Out of network provider for insurance/ Private pay

Assessment Tools: ADOS 2 and ADI-R

Nemours Children's Hospital- Autism Specialist Evaluation Team

13535 Nemours Parkway, Orlando, FL 32827

(407) 567-4000 Main number (407) 650-7715 appointment scheduling

www.nemours.org/service/medical/autism.html?location=nchorlando

Funding Sources: Insurance plans, Medicaid, Medicaid HMOs, CMS Medicaid

Assessment Tools: ADOS 2 and a variety of assessments and rating scales are used

Neuro Network Partners / Pediatric Neurology

Miami Children's Hospital Dan Marino Outpatient Center

2900 S. Commerce Parkway, Weston, FL 3333

954-385-6276 www.nnpmd.com

Funding Sources: Insurance plans accepted by neurologists

Assessment Tools: Clinical ASD diagnostic appointments are conducted

Palm Beach Behavioral Health and Wellness/ Psychology

345 Jupiter Lakes Blvd. Suite 302A Jupiter, FL 33458

561-429-2397 <http://pbbhw.com>

Funding Sources: Private Pay/ Practice is an out of network insurance provider

Assessment Tools: ADOS and other assessments/ rating scales are used

Palm Beach Neuroscience Institute / Christina Zafiris, MD / Neuropsychology

St. Mary's Medical Center Campus: 927 45th Street, Suite 301, West Palm Beach, FL 33407

561-623-4980 www.pbni.com

Funding Sources: Insurance plans accepted and Title 21

Assessment Tools: A variety of assessments and rating scales are used

Pediatric Neurologists of Palm Bch / Edwin Liu, MD & Bernardo Flasterstein, MD

3 offices: 12959 Palms West Drive, Suite 120, Loxahatchee, FL 33470

500 University Blvd, Suite 116, Jupiter, FL 33458

549 NW Lake Whitney Place, Suite 105, Port St Lucie, FL 34986

561-753-8888 <http://pedineurologists.squarespace.com>

Funding Sources: Insurance, straight Medicaid, Molina & Sunshine Health MMA plans

Assessment Tools: Clinical ASD diagnostic appointments are conducted; No ASD assessments

The Scott Center for Autism Treatment/ Florida Institute of Technology- 2 Offices:

150 W. University Blvd. Melbourne, FL 32901 321- 674-8106

1705 17th Ave, Vero Beach, FL 32960 772-444-2674 (Located at Sunshine Physical Therapy)

website: www.thescottcenter.org email: thescottcenter@fit.edu

Funding Sources: Insurances plans accepted

Assessment Tools: ADOS and other assessments/ rating scales are used

Martin D. Segel, PhD & Associates

3 Offices: 4851 W. Hillsboro Blvd., Suite A1 Coconut Creek, FL 33073-4355

11195 Jog Rd., Suite 5, Boynton Beach, FL 33437

2880 W. Oakland Park Blvd., Suite 107, Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33311

954-428-6029 Broward, or 561-558-8333 Palm Beach <http://martinsegelassociates.com>

Funding Sources: Aetna insurance or private pay

Assessment Tools: A variety of assessments and rating scales are used

Wasserman & Drucker, PA / Neuropsychology

21301 Powerline Road, Suite 209, Boca Raton, FL 33433

561-451-8408 www.wassermanandrucker.com

Funding Sources: Private pay/ No insurance plans accepted

Assessment Tools: A variety of assessments and rating scales are used

Jamal Abdel-Halim, MD / West Palm Beach Neurology

1035 South State Rd 7, Suite 214 Wellington, 33414

561-422-1006 www.healthgrades.com/physician/dr-jamal-abdel-halim-y2pt9

Funding Sources: Insurance & Medicaid MMA plans, Prestige, Humana and Molina

Assessment Tools: Clinical ASD diagnostic appointments are conducted; No ASD assessments

Whole Health Psychological Center

5 Harvard Circle, Suite 109, West Palm Beach, FL 33409

561-721-6400 www.wholehealthpsych.com

Funding Sources: Unknown

Assessment Tools: ADOS