



Autism Assessment & Related Therapeutic Services (AARTS)
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Mt. Washington Pediatric Hospital's Autism services include testing and therapeutic services for children suspected of, or already diagnosed with autism spectrum disorders (ASD). Appropriate referrals are children two years of age through adolescence suspected of having or previously diagnosed with autism spectrum disorders (autism, Asperger's syndrome, PDD-NOS, etc.).

Services include:

Initial Consultations: Diagnostic interviews with children and their families to determine the appropriate clinical services required.

Diagnostic Evaluations: Comprehensive evaluations including the Autism Diagnostic Observation Schedule -2 (ADOS-2) to determine whether children meet criteria for an ASD diagnosis.

Social Skills Groups: Group sessions for children and adolescents (placement into groups determined by age and level of functioning). Appropriate referrals include those with difficulties demonstrating age appropriate social skills that may impact their ability to successfully interact with peers. Sessions include parent training to support the generalization of skills to other settings.

Individual and Family Treatment: Behavior management, cognitive behavior therapy and parent training for children, adolescents, and their families affected by ASDs.

Additionally, referrals to speech therapy, occupational therapy, physical therapy, feeding therapy, developmental pediatrics, and psychiatry at MWPH may be made based on clinical need.

Licensed Psychologists:

Kathleen Kane, Psy.D. and Tiffany Garner, Psy.D

To schedule an initial appointment, please call our intake line at 410-367-2222

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