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THAT FOSTER self-determination.

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April is Autism Awareness/Acceptance Month

**Missouri Autism Projects
Parent Advisory Council Members Needed**

In 1991, dedicated individuals made grassroots efforts to establish family support services for individuals with autism and their families. As a result, [9 CSR 45 - 3.060](#) and [RSMo 633.220](#) was enacted that directed the Department of Mental Health, Division of Developmental Disabilities to establish statewide programs and services for persons with autism. Individuals with Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) and family members are needed for [regional parent advisory councils](#).

[Click](#) for more information about the five regional Missouri Autism Projects and other information about ASD.

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