

## Additional Resources

### Information on Autism Spectrum Disorder + Resources for Caregivers:

- [Autism Speaks](#)
- [Child Mind Institute](#)
- [National Institute of Mental Health \(NIH\)](#)
- [Centers for Disease Control and Prevention \(CDC\)](#)
- **USF CARDS:** The University of South Florida—Center of Autism and Related Disabilities is located in the Tampa Bay Area and supports families with the following: training, resources, family guidance, consultation, resources, and evaluations/referrals.
- **National Autistic Society:** The National Autistic Society, UK, contains valuable resources on Behavior, Physical Health, Education, Socialising and relationships, Employment, and More. Although this organization is based in the UK, it contains valuable content that can benefit family, friends, and those diagnosed with ASD.

### Resources for OT, PT, and SLP (Evidenced-Based Research/Articles, Legislation, policies, Medicare, and Therapist Collaboration):

- [AOTA- American of Occupational Therapy Association](#)
- [FOTA- Florida Occupational Therapy Association](#)
- [The American Occupational Therapy Foundation \(AOTF\)](#)
- [Occupational Therapy Journal of Research \(OTJR\)](#)
- [American Journal of Occupational Therapy \(AJOT\)](#)
- [American Speech-Language-Hearing Association \(ASHA\)](#)
- [American Physical Therapy Association \(APTAP\)](#)
- [National Library of Medicine](#)
- [Cochrane Library](#)

### Occupational Therapy (OT)/Physical Therapy (PT), and Speech- speech-language pathologist (SLP) Resources for Intervention Ideas:

- [Choiceworks](#)
- [Kahn Academy Kids App](#)
- [Lumosity](#)
- [Tools To Grow, Inc](#)
- [The OT Toolbox](#)
- [All Things OT](#)
- [The Well Balanced OT](#)
- **Bilingüe AAC-** Provides resources and content in both English/Spanish through an evidenced-based & culturally affirming approach. This can benefit SLP as there are existing content/handouts of AAC device use

- [Goally-](#)
- [TypingClub-](#)

**Support Groups for Parents/Caregivers of ASD Children/Teens/Adults:**

- [Autism Society of Florida](#)
- [Family Care Councils of Florida- Suncoast East](#)
- [Mainstreamed Adults Sharing Hope \(MASH\)](#)
- [Best Buddies in Florida](#)