

# Easterseals Black Child Fund

Racial disparities in healthcare, childcare, and education remains a critical issue faced by black children in America.

**We offer solution-driven services to improve the early intervention, diagnosis, and treatment of autism and other neurological conditions among Black children in our communities.**

## According to Research:

On average, it takes three years before a black child with autism receives a formal diagnosis, resulting in the need for longer and more intensive interventions. (U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention)



**We can help.**

**The Easterseals Black Child Fund has:**



- Free access to our online screening tool, the Ages & Stages Questionnaire
- Intensive early intervention and caregiver outreach
- Streamlined diagnostic approach for a quicker introduction to therapy

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or call 630.620.4433





## **EASTERSEALS BLACK CHILD FUND WITH GENEROUS SUPPORT FROM ABBOTT**

Helping overcome the social determinants of health to improve early intervention, diagnosis and treatment of autism and other neurological disorders among Black children.

### **Services include:**

- **Occupational Therapy**
- **Physical Therapy**
- **Speech-Language/ Assistive Technology Services**
- **Audiology- Hearing Screenings**
- **Nutritional Therapy**
- **Specialty & Diagnostic Clinics**



**Free Developmental Screenings or  
Evaluations for Children Under 5**

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