

ARE YOU AN AUTISTIC YOUNG ADULT WHO WANTS SUPPORT REACHING YOUR GOALS?

If you are 18 - 30 years old living in Philadelphia, this new research project may be for you!



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Community Autism Peer Specialist (CAPS) Study



WHY PARTICIPATE?

- You have the potential to connect with a CAPS to share your experiences and work on goals that are meaningful to you.
- You will help with building the evidence for this program, which can lead to more and better programs in the future.
- You will inform services that benefit the autistic community and their families.



OUR GOALS

We want to learn how an autistic peer support program (CAPS) works to support autistic individuals. More information about CAPS:

- Prioritizes the goals of autistic individuals.
- A service from a trained CAPS professional who is also on the Spectrum to talk about goals.
- Goals can be in areas like living, learning, working, and socializing in your community.



LOCATION

This study will occur throughout Philadelphia, depending on your needs and preferences.

What happens in this study?

1. You will complete a survey when you enroll in the study, at 3 months and at 12 months.
2. You will be randomly selected to either receive the CAPS Service or not receive it.
3. If you receive the CAPS Service, you will also take part in one interview.

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