

33rd annual Autism Connections Conference

Sheraton Springfield Monarch Place, Springfield, MA Wednesday, April 10, 2024 | 8 A.M. – 4:30 P.M.

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Sponsorship Opportunities

This one day educational event brings together people with autism, families, professionals, caregivers and advocates for guidance, training, educational information and opportunities to connect through stories and experience.

Supporting the autism community where you live & work

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Around the world and here at home, individuals with autism rely on the communities around them for support and understanding. The business community is a crucial part of this network of support.

At Autism Connections we are especially grateful to area businesses that choose to support people with autism by sponsoring the annual Autism Connections Conference. Autism Connections, a Pathlight program, is the only autism center in Western Massachusetts, connecting individuals to autism resources in all four counties.

Here's what one parent had to say about a previous conference:

"It really doesn't matter where your loved one with autism is on the spectrum because the journey is different for everyone. What I know for sure is I need support and community around every corner. This conference gives me both."

Will you join us today as a sponsor of the 2024 Autism Connections Conference?

With centers in Northampton, Springfield, Greenfield and Pittsfield, the Autism Connections team provides educational trainings and workshops, support groups, social skills training, family activities and ongoing collaboration with programs that provide services to families and people with autism in Hampden, Hampshire, Franklin, and Berkshire Counties.

We would be honored and grateful if you would join our team.

Take the first step today by making your commitment to sponsor the 2024 Autism Connections Conference.

Social media stats so far this year...



3,039 Facebook likes



254 Instagram followers



We reach mostly women between 35-54 yrs old



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880 content interactions



2,386 visits



Top Cities

- 1. Springfield, MA
- 2. Chicopee, MA
- 3. Holyoke, MA
- 4. Westfield, MA
- 5. Easthampton, MA

Sponsorship Opportunities

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Name and logo listed on signage at venue and website	•	•	•	•
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1/4 page ad in conference program			•	
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Thank you for your investment in the autism community!

To complete your sponsorship online, <u>click here</u> or print this form and send it (along with a check made out to Autism Connections) to Caroline Carpenter, Pathlight, 11 Village Hill Rd, Northampton, MA 01060.

We kindly ask that you make your commitment before March 1, 2024. Send a high resolution logo of at least 150 pixels to carpenter@pathlightgroup.org.

Program Ad Dimensions

Autism Connections is a program of

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Sponsorship Level

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75 South Church Street, Suite 402, Pittsfield, MA 01201

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