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ARICA

Autism and insurance - what families need to know

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This presentation will discuss autism insurance for families in Massachusetts, including:

- ARICA
- MassHealth, including recent changes
- How to figure out what coverage you need, and eligibility
- Premium Assistance
- The Health Connector
- Covered treatments and how to access them
- Frequently asked questions, and where to get assistance
- The relationship between ARICA and your MassHealth plan



Amy Weinstock speaking at the signing of ARICA

Amy Weinstock is the Director of the Autism Insurance Resource Center at the University of Massachusetts Medical School's Eunice Kennedy Shriver Center, and an instructor in the medical school's Department of Psychiatry. She has an extensive background on insurance issues related to autism and has played a key role in passing several significant pieces of autism insurance legislation in Massachusetts, including the groundbreaking 2010 law requiring health insurance to cover medically necessary treatment for autism. Amy also serves as a trustee of the Riverview School, and as a Commissioner on the State's Autism Commission.

Date/Time: Tuesday, December 11, 6:00– 8:00 p.m.

Location: Palmer Library, Community Room, 1455 North Main Street, Palmer

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