

Why support Autism London?

Autism London is a Registered Charity that exists to provide information and support to parents, carers, individuals and organisations affected by autistic spectrum disorders in Greater London.

As a voluntary organisation, we are continually under pressure to obtain sufficient funds to run our services, and the money we receive from Supporters in subscription fees and donations are an important part of this. Your subscription fees go towards keeping our services free of charge to those whose lives are directly or indirectly affected by Autism or Asperger's Syndrome.

Whether you are an individual, a relative, a professional or Organisation, as an Autism London Supporter you will :-

- Have access to subsidised trips and social events organised by Autism London specifically for our Supporters.
- Receive our regular bi-monthly newsletter the "Bulletin", which will keep you informed by providing information of interest to people affected by autistic spectrum disorders.
- Receive updates about Autism London services, facilities and meetings.
- Have access, through the Charity to a database of information, trained and experienced Support Officers and a range of other sources of support, information, help and advice.

These currently include :-

- A registered residential service for adults based near our offices in East London.
- The Helpline, 0845 6037954, which is open Monday to Friday from 11am to 2pm. Enquiries can also be made via email at info@autismlondon.org.uk as well as our website - www.autismlondon.org.uk.
- Factsheets covering a range of topics such as 'Schools for Autistic Children', 'Obtaining a Diagnosis', 'What is Asperger's Syndrome?' 'What is Autism?' 'Groups for Adults with Asperger's', 'Specialist Holiday Resources'.
- Regular support meetings for parents and carers across London enabling people to make contact with others, obtain face-to-face advice, and sometimes to listen to speakers on a range of topics.
- Advocacy/ outreach support service, available to residents within certain London boroughs.
- Monthly support / social groups for adults with Asperger's syndrome and family Support Groups.