



What is ATAP?

The Autism Treatment Assistance Program (ATAP) was created to assist parents and caregivers with the expensive cost of providing treatments to their child with Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD).

ATAP is a statewide temporary assistance program for children diagnosed with ASD to receive funding for evidence-based services such as Applied Behavior Analysis (ABA), Physical Therapy (PT), Occupational Therapy (OT), and Speech Language Therapy (SLT).

To Apply for ATAP

Northern Nevada Intake:
(775) 687-0113

Southern Nevada/ Spanish Intake:
(702) 688-3271

To inquire about waitlists and providers in-network with ATAP, please contact the appropriate intake coordinator for your location.



● Autism
● Treatment
● Assistance
● Program

What services does ATAP provide?

ATAP provides clients and their families with service coordination. Service coordination involves supporting children and young adults in accessing the services that allow them to fulfill their goals in life. Service coordination includes the following:

- Community resource coordination
- Linkage to providers within the ATAP network
- Mediation between the family and their chosen provider
- Monitor provision and quality of services
- Make referrals to other agencies



Who is eligible for ATAP?

Individuals under the age of 20 who have received an ASD diagnosis by a physician, psychologist, child/adolescent psychiatrist, pediatric neurologist, or other qualified professional. A diagnosis from a multidisciplinary team is also acceptable when accompanied by an appropriate assessment report.

What is covered?

Funding is based on your insurance coverage and annual income. ATAP can provide a monthly allotment to providers in-network with ATAP for on-going treatment based upon a child's individual treatment plan, age, and income. ATAP is a payer of last resort, meaning families must utilize insurance and other funding resources before accessing ATAP funding.

** ATAP may also fund Speech, Occupational, and Physical Therapy when other resources or insurance do not provide coverage.

What is not covered?

Respite, medicines, supplements, diagnosis, private school placements, classroom paraprofessionals, and treatments which are not evidence-based are not covered by ATAP.