

# AUTISM TREATMENT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM NEWSLETTER

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## HELPING PEOPLE. IT'S WHO WE ARE AND WHAT WE DO.

“The Aging and Disability Services Division provides leadership and advocacy in the planning, development, and delivery of a high quality, comprehensive support service system across the lifespan. This allows all of Nevada’s elders, adults and children with disabilities or special health care needs to live independent, meaningful, and dignified lives, in the most integrated setting appropriate to their needs.”

Should you have any questions about the information provided, please reach out to your ATAP Developmental Specialist.

## ATAP REMINDERS & UPDATES

- Increase in funding amount from \$500/month to \$700/month for Insurance Assistance Plans (in-network & out-of-network)
- Increase in funded hours from 8 hours/week to 10 hours/week on the ATAP Extensive Plan
- Increase in IEP supervision funding from 1 hour to 2 hours once per plan year
- REMINDER: If your child is on an insurance plan that is fiscal year coverage, please submit a copy of last year’s EOB’s and this year’s updated insurance card to your ATAP DS.
- REMINDER: Monthly contact with your ATAP DS is **mandatory** to keep ATAP funding. Please make sure you are staying in touch monthly with your DS.

## COMMUNITY RESOURCES

Northern Nevada Autism Network – Korri Ward - [www.nnan.org](http://www.nnan.org)

Nevada Disability and Advocacy Law Center  
905 Railroad Street Elko, NV 775-753-1690 – [www.elkondalc.org](http://www.elkondalc.org)

Hippotherapy: Ruby Mountain Riding – Carolyn Steninger  
775-753-6164

Positive Behavior Support – Nevada: Ongoing Classes  
[https://www.unr.edu/nced/projects/nced\\_pbsnevada](https://www.unr.edu/nced/projects/nced_pbsnevada)

Wrightslaw: Special Education Law and Advocacy -  
[www.wrightslaw.com](http://www.wrightslaw.com)

PACE Coalition for Healthy Communities – [www.pacecoalition.org](http://www.pacecoalition.org)



## UPCOMING COMMUNITY EVENTS

Event Source: Touch a Truck

Saturday, September 14 9:00 am- 10:00 am is Quiet/Horn-Free Hour

Elko County Fairgrounds

Fire Engine, Hot Air Balloon, Helicopter, Airplane, Snow Plow, Water Truck, Ambulance and other cool trucks! \$5 per person

Northern Nevada Autism Network: Support Group

Second Tuesdays from 9:30 am – 11:00 am

Alternating locations:

Family Resource Center

331 7<sup>th</sup> Street Elko, NV

Calvary Chapel

559 Spring Valley Court #1

Spring Creek, NV

Elko County Art Club: Children's and Family Art Class

Every Saturday from 1:00 pm – 2:30 pm \$10 per person, includes materials

407 Railroad Street, Elko, NV

775-753-8170

Northeastern Nevada Museum 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturdays

Second Saturdays from 10:00 am – 12:00 pm

1515 Idaho Street Elko, NV 775-738-3418

Family Skate Night

3<sup>rd</sup> Fridays during the school year, 9/20 & 10/18 5:00 pm – 9:00 pm

Igloo Rec Center 1515 Silver Street Elko, NV 775-777-7260

\$5 admission, limited skates and helmets available for rent

Various events – Toddler Time, Story Time, Maker Monday, Tween Book and a Movie, After School Crafts

Throughout every month

Elko County Library

720 Court Street Elko, NV

[www.elkocountylibrary.org](http://www.elkocountylibrary.org)