YOU ARE INVITED TO PARTICIPATE IN OUR TASK FORCE GROUPS:

Logistics: help with planning community events, connecting with other organizations

Media Outreach: help with TV, radio, video, print media projects

Family Support: help organize neighborhood-based focus groups, identify family needs and culturally appropriate services/interventions

Training and Capacity Building: help raise financial support to run autism trainings for the community, especially for families, child care providers, professionals and business owners

Physician Training: help evaluate the cultural appropriateness of screening tools and delivery of services

Legislative initiatives: help identify and pursue legislative opportunities to promote well-being of children with special health care needs

A FEW AUTISM WARNING SIGNS

Social differences:
Doesn’t keep eye contact or makes very little eye contact; Unable to make friends or uninterested in making friends

Communication differences:
Doesn’t say single words by 16 months; Doesn’t respond to name being called but does respond to other sounds

Behavioral differences:
Rocks, spins, sways, twirls fingers or flaps hands; Likes routines, order, and rituals, has difficulty with change

To find out more about VFAAB or need help with autism services, please contact:

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VFAAB aims to be a resource that Vietnamese families can turn to in moments of need and be connected to supportive services. Our goal is that every diagnosis of developmental delay is followed by wrap around support. In this way, we can restore hope to families that their child can live “an enviable life.” We need volunteers, parents, and adults with autism to help us with our mission.

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