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ARI's impact report is also available online: Autism.org/impact

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I am very grateful to the Autism Research Institute for generously funding our grant. This grant will provide us with an opportunity to determine the role of peroxynitrite in the pathophysiology of autism and develop novel treatment modalities in pursuit of improving the quality of life of affected individuals. Thank you for your help and for supporting our research."

Adrien A. Eshraghi MD, MSc, FACS 2022 ARI Research Grant Recipient

University of Miami, Miller School of Medicine Miami, FL

You have made a difference. Thank you.

Please know that your gift impacts so many individuals and families, through the research and free educational efforts of ARI.



left to right: Rahul Mittal, PhD, Adrien A. Eshraghi, MD, MSc, FACS, and Jeenu Mittal, MSc





GIVE WITH CONFIDENCE:

ARI's strong financial health and commitment to accountability and transparency have once again earned it Charity Navigator's highest "4-star" rating and Candid GuideStar's highest "Platinum" rating.

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Together, we made a difference.



We are on a mission.

Our Mission

To support the health and well-being of people affected by autism through innovative, impactful research and education.

Our Community

1 in 44 identified with Autism Spectrum Disorder

One in 44 children of school age has been identified with autism in a large, multicenter CDC study. www.CDC.gov/ncbddd/autism/data

Our Commitment

More than **88¢** of every **\$1**

received by ARI directly funds research and education efforts.

Our past audits and annual reports are available online at: Autism.org/financial-information

Our Gratitude

Our work is only possible through the **partnership** of our donors, funders, families, and volunteers. We are so grateful for your support for research that makes a difference.



Research brings hope.

ARI supported innovative scientific research with grants provided in 2022 totaling more than \$450,000



With this grant from ARI, we have the funding we need to better understand the cross-talk in the gut-brain axis. On behalf of my colleagues and staff, we thank the donors for their support."

Natalia Battista, PhD 2022 ARI Research Grant Recipient

Università degli Studi di Teramo Bioscience and Technology for Food, Agriculture and Environment Teramo, Italy



Give with confidence. All grant applications are reviewed through a juried process facilitated by ARI's Scientific Advisory Board.

Education gives help.

Our online presence expanded during the pandemic through our website, online tools, live webinars, and continuing-education offerings.

Parents, Medical Professionals, and Researchers

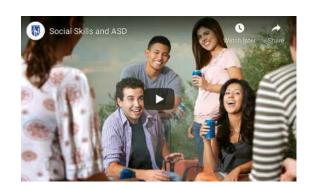
6,505 134,053 + 2,384

live webinar participants webinar playbacks

Continuing **Medical Education** playbacks

= 142,942

Total learning hours in 2022



Webinar and continuing-education topics in 2022 included: epilepsy, nutrition, behavioral support, assessment, educational therapies, adult issues, and more.

webinar topics

webinar speakers

Networks build community.

Worldwide resources and outreach: Our worldwide network expanded to 226 parent support groups in 77 countries.

140,000+ subscribers monthly e-newsletter

10,000+ subscribers monthly clinical research e-newsletter

= 145,400+ total subscribers:

individuals, caregivers, and clinicians



The Autism Treatment Evaluation Checklist (ATEC) is online in 25 languages; nearly 40,000 were submitted in 2022

Monthly International Aging and Autism Working Group

27 years of Think Tanks

We hosted our first-ever online Think Tank in 2021, and also resumed our in-person Think Tanks in 2022 after two years

ARI is a Non-Governmental Organization (NGO) registered with the United Nations.