

Introducing AS360: A Revolutionary New Platform for Families on the Autism Journey

University of Washington Autism Center (UWAC) is officially launching the [AS360](#) platform to support providers and families across Washington state. It is a powerful autism resource database designed to **increase access to autism services** and connect individuals and organizations alike. [AS360](#) aims to enhance connect autism community members with the support they need and foster positive change. By leveraging innovative technology, it provides a user-friendly interface and a wide range of features that address the spectrum of needs and interests of autism caregivers and providers.

When my autistic son was diagnosed 23 years ago, I needed a platform like [AS360.org](#) where I could get multiple questions answered all at the same time, based on my son's specific needs. It would have been transformative. After being a professional in the field for the past 15 years, I know that families on the autism journey still need this kind of help finding services. I am excited for Washington families to experience this innovative technology that is user-friendly and gives access to those who are searching, especially those in rural areas and those who do not speak English as a first language.

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AS360 connects community programs into one cohesive ecosystem allowing families to identify and access clinically and culturally relevant resources. Annette Estes, AS360 faculty

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[AS360](#) puts caregivers at the center of their family's wellness journey, reducing stigma and enabling access to relevant resources.

Jill Ide, autism mom, AS360 director

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Connecting with other families who are on a similar journey can create a sense of community and reduce isolation. This technology platform has so many supports in one place—from individualized assessments, searchable community resources, a member only portal, book learning library, life stages checklists, provider announcements, parent support groups and much more. Check out [AS360.org](#) to explore this new resource.