East and Northwest Missouri Autism Projects Family Flexible Assistance Program FY26 Funding Announcement

Beginning at 10:00 a.m. (CST) on Wednesday, July 23, 2025, individuals who are enrolled with the Division of Developmental Disabilities, who have a diagnosis of autism, and reside in the East or Northwest Missouri Autism Project regions will be able to submit an application for FY26 FFAP funding. The application link will be posted to the East Missouri Autism Project (EMAP) and Northwest Missouri Autism Project (NWMAP) webpages when the application period opens on July 23, 2025.

FY26 FFAP awards will be assigned to eligible applicants using a randomized selection process. Details regarding this process can be found in the Program Guidelines linked below. The application will be available for 30 days and close on August 21, 2025.

As a reminder, the submission of an application does not guarantee funding.

For more information regarding eligibility requirements, priority status and award amount for each region, visit the <u>EMAP</u> and <u>NWMAP</u> webpages.

Prior to the application date, review the <u>FFAP Application Helpful Tips</u> handout and the FFAP Application Demonstration Videos for an <u>Adult with Autism</u> or for a <u>Parent of Minor Child/Legal Guardian</u>.

Visit the Family Flexible Assistance Program <u>webpage</u> for the latest <u>Program Guidelines</u>, <u>Frequently Asked Questions</u>, webinars, and more.

If you have questions, contact the Office of Autism Services.