In 2005, The Burkhart Center for Autism Education & Research located on the campus of Texas Tech University was established in the College of Education through a generous donation given by Jere Lynn and Jim Burkhart in honor of their grandson, Collin Burkhart. In 2013, the Center celebrated its Grand Opening of its new $10.8 million facility. The building’s 28,000 square feet of innovative training space features state-of-the-art technology and equipment designed to stimulate student learning. The Burkhart Center is the leader in autism education and research in West Texas.

For more information on our programs or application process please contact us at burkhartclinic.educ@ttu.edu or call 806-742-4561

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Outpatient Services

- Outpatient services provide targeted supports to individuals with autism and their families through focused ABA services, social skills classes and contracted consultations.
- Focused ABA services will address specific behavior concerns and goals through individual treatment, parent training, social opportunities and treatment transition planning. Clients accepted into the program will be eligible for up to 30 hours of one-on-one and small group therapy each month, for up to 6 months each year. For more information or an application please email us at burkhartclinic.educ@ttu.edu or call 806-742-4561.
- The Children’s Autism Program through Texas Health and Human Services provides financial support to focused ABA children aged 3-15 years with a formal diagnosis of ASD. The Burkhart Center also accepts insurance payment and private pay options.
- Social skills classes will be offered for individuals of all ages with ASD. Classes will run 2 times each semester and have a variety of themes. Dates and times will be posted on our website.
- Contracted consultations with outside agencies can also be provided to organizations seeking assistance with training or behavioral support.

Family and Community

PNO

Parents’ Night Out is open to children with ASD and their siblings ages 3-13, once a month throughout the year. Supervised respite care in a fun environment is offered so that parents can enjoy a night out. To sign up for PNO please contact Susan at susan.voland@ttu.edu.

Camp Burkhart

Camp Burkhart is offered to elementary students with ASD for one week during the summer. Focused ABA staff plan an exciting week of therapeutic projects and games for the students. With the help of volunteers our camps have been a huge success. Week-long high school and middle school camps are offered by the Transition Academy. All of our camps are generously funded by Scott Malouf. Dates and times will be posted on our website.

Family Fun Events

Family Fun Events are designed for children with ASD and their families. This is an opportunity to connect with families who have members with ASD, while enjoying fun activities in the community. These events are always offered to families at no cost. To be added to the mailing list please contact susan@susan.voland@ttu.edu.

Burkhart Walk for Autism Awareness

The Burkhart walk for Autism Awareness is held annually to promote ASD awareness in the community. Date, time and registration link will be posted on our website.

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