



Autism is a lifelong journey. Pathfinders for Autism is with you every step of the way.

PATHFINDERS FOR AUTISM

FY2016 YEAR-END ACCOMPLISHMENTS
October 2015 – September 2016



Over **19,700** Maryland residents served



1,326 Parents & professionals trained

1,948 First responders trained

4,606 Participated in recreational activities

4,630 Attended awareness events

7,216 Received information & resources through the PFA help line and resource fairs



PFA staff from left to right: Kimberly Dennis, Shelly Allred, Jennifer Hobbs, Neal Lichter, Trish Kane, Rebecca Rienzi, Emily Metelski (not pictured: Quinn Lulie)

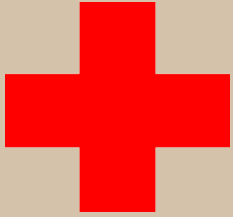
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Working to improve the lives of individuals with autism and the people who care for them.

HIGHLIGHTS

Pathfinders is now training **Emergency Room and Hospital Staff** with help from a curriculum development team consisting of an ER doctor, a nurse, and child life specialists. We have trained at **LifeBridge Health at the Sinai Campus** and the **University of Maryland Medical System**, with plans to expand to other regions in the state.

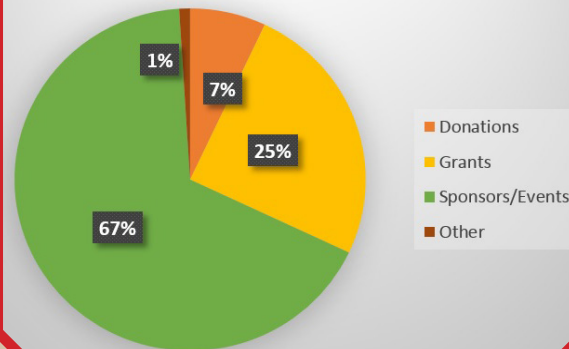


PFA and the **Maryland Center for Developmental Disabilities (MCDD)** held transition-related regional forums throughout Maryland to ask participants **what works, what doesn't, and for any recommendations they may have.**



PFA will use this data to guide long term program planning and to better serve families through workshops and Parent Tips. The **MCDD** plans to use the data to assist state & local planners in directing resources to areas in need.

PFA Revenue Sources
(FY16 operating budget \$675,000)



FINANCIALS

Copies of our financial statements are available on our website. Our most recent audited documents are available by contacting PFA's office at 443-330-5370. Tax ID: 52-2226573

2016 LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE



Top: Mark Viviano, Sports Director for WJZ, interviewing Mia Hamm.

Bottom (L to R): Buck Showalter, B.J. Surhoff, and John Harbaugh.



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