

Dear Parent,

Re: Finding a family for Autism Film

Media Trust is a dynamic, innovative charity bringing together the media industry and charities. We work to build effective voluntary and community sector communications through a range of partnerships, projects and services including media training, a film and TV production unit, our digital TV station Community Channel , Media Matching and Youth Mentoring.

We have been commissioned by the Wellcome Trust to make a 30 minute programme about life with Autism. The aim of the programme is to explain the science of the condition as well as explore the emotional impact through art. The film is part of a series of five, which will be shown on the Community Channel in the autumn.

We are looking for a family with a child who has low functioning Autism to take part in the filming.

The film would focus on your journey to find out more about the latest in scientific thinking and advances in relation to your child's condition. This would involve meeting some of the UK's top scientists who are researching into Autism Spectrum Disorders. If you have an artistic side to you, or an interesting hobby which helps you cope, that would be ideal.

Filming is likely to happen in May.

If you are interested in finding out more about this, please contact me on the below number or email address.

I look forward to hearing from you

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