

Established on September 8, 2019, the Eagles Autism Foundation was formed to centralize the team's autism activities into one organization, while strengthening its charitable mission to assist individuals and families affected by autism. Led by Chairman and CEO Jeffrey Lurie, the team's commitment to raising funds for cutting-edge autism research and care programs has grown exponentially, raising more than \$22 million since launching the Eagles Autism Challenge in May 2018.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention estimates that one in 36 people living in the United States are on the autism spectrum. Autism is a complex neurological and developmental condition that expresses itself differently in each individual. While it has become one of the fastest-growing developmental disorders in the country, autism has historically been underfunded, misunderstood, and underresearched.

By delivering the necessary resources to leading institutions, and through year-round fundraising efforts that inspire and engage the community, the Eagles Autism Foundation is turning awareness into action.



Eagles Autism Challenge presented by Lincoln Financial Group





\$22 Million+ Raised Since 2018



The Eagles Autism Challenge presented by Lincoln Financial Group is a one-day bike ride and family-friendly 5K run/walk that donates 100% of participant-raised funds to institutions conducting innovative autism research and care.

The event features three levels of cycling registration – Wawa Classic 30-Mile Ride, Wawa Shorti 10-Mile Ride, and Wawa Junior 10-Mile Youth Ride. In addition to the FreedomPay 5K Run/Walk, the FreedomPay Sensory Walk offers families and participants a shorter course around the outside perimeter of Lincoln Financial Field.

Thanks to the more than \$22 million raised, a total of 84 research projects and community grants have been funded for exploratory work in the field of autism.



EAGLES SENSORY ROOM pres. by CHOP

On August 4, 2019, the Eagles became one of the first sports franchises to build a state-of-the-art sensory room in its home venue. Now certified by KultureCity as a sensory-inclusive stadium, Lincoln Financial Field's Eagles Sensory Room presented by Children's Hospital of Philadelphia (CHOP) promotes an accommodating and positive experience for all guests and fans with sensory challenges.

The 500-square-foot, state-of-the-art sensory room has been carefully designed by top medical professionals to ensure a quieter and more secure environment. The certification process included the training of every Eagles employee and stadium staff member.





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TEAM 62 CELEBRITY BARTENDING EVENT

To help raise funds for Team 62 and the Eagles Autism Foundation, Eagles center Jason Kelce hosts an annual celebrity bartending event at the Ocean Drive in Sea Isle City, New Jersey.

Proceeds – which include cover charges, bartending tips, raffles, and autographed items – benefit the Eagles Autism Foundation.

The inaugural event in June 2021 raised \$100,000 for the cause, which included \$50,000 in proceeds and a matching donation of \$50,000 from Jason and his wife, Kylie. Since then, the event has contributed more than \$580,000 to the Foundation.















The Eagles Radiothon presented by Firstrust Bank and the Green Family Foundation is a multi-day auction held on SportsRadio 94WIP that offers fans the opportunity to bid on exclusive sports and entertainment experiences involving their favorite Eagles players and 94WIP radio personalities.

Designed specifically for guests with autism and developmental disabilities, Eagles Huddle Up for Autism has raised more than \$835,000 for CHOP's Center for Autism Research since 2009. The family-friendly event is held annually at Lincoln Financial Field.

Through the Eagles Autism Foundation 50/50 Raffle presented by DraftKings, one lucky fan at every Eagles home game walks away a winner. Fans can purchase tickets for a 50/50 drawing at Lincoln Financial Field for a chance to win half the jackpot. The other half supports the Eagles Autism Foundation.









EAGLES AUTISM FOUNDATION PRACTICE JERSEYS

The Eagles dedicate a training camp practice each season to the Eagles Autism Foundation by wearing specially designed jerseys to elevate the Foundation's platform and showcase the team's commitment of turning autism awareness into action.

The exclusive, one-of-a-kind jerseys feature Energy Green numbers and nameplates, along with the Eagles Autism Foundation logo prominently displayed on the front side and shoulder.

Each jersey is signed by the player who wore it and is auctioned off through the annual Eagles Radiothon.









that empowers players to showcase their

commitment to the causes they support

through creative artwork and custom

TRAINING CAMP PRACTICES

Training camp practices at Lincoln Financial Field serve as a vehicle to drive critical funds for autism research and care. All ticket proceeds from the public practices benefit the Eagles Autism Foundation.



POPCORN FOR THE PEOPLE

To help combat the unemployment rate in the autism community, the Eagles Autism Foundation and Aramark have teamed up with Popcorn for the People, a nonprofit organization dedicated to creating meaningful employment for those with



My Cause My Cleats is an NFL initiative

autism and developmental disabilities.



NEURODIVERSE GAMEDAY STAFF

To further the team's ongoing commitment to creating employment opportunities for the autism community, the Eagles Autism Foundation matches skills and abilities with the most appropriate gameday roles. Resources, such as a Board Certified Behavior Analyst, are provided to individuals who elect to be part of this employment program.



ALL ABILITIES CLINICS

The All Abilities Clinics are traditional youth football experiences that offer inclusive elements to support members of the autism community. Children ages 6-14 enjoy a day of football at the NovaCare Complex with Eagles players and local high school coaches. The event welcomes trained volunteers from the Eagles Autism Foundation College Program to provide one-to-one assistance.





