



Dear Friends,

Autism the fastest growing serious developmental disability in the country with more than 300 children diagnosed every day. That's one child every 4.5 minutes – one family every 4.5 minutes – whose lives will be forever changed. While there is no medical detection or known cure for autism, many children show significant improvement with early diagnosis and use of effective interventions.

Although autism costs the nation over \$238 billion dollars a year, funding for treatments, interventions, and family support is minimal. Private not-for-profit organizations provide most of the funding for these greatly needed treatments, interventions, and family support. In our community, the Indiana Chapter of Talk About Curing Autism (TACA) is dedicated to helping individuals and families with autism with those needs.

Today, TACA is asking you to support their missions by taking part in our fifth annual **An Evening for Autism** on Saturday, October 27, 2018, at 502 East in Carmel from 6:30 to 11:30 p.m. Our goals are great – but our community's needs are greater. With this year's larger, beautiful venue, we hope to reach 300 supporters attending the event and to raise \$75,000. **We are writing to ask that you consider supporting An Evening for Autism by donating an item to our auction.**

Talk About Curing Autism (TACA) Indiana is an organization dedicated to educating, empowering and supporting families affected by autism. For families who have just received the autism diagnosis, TACA aims to speed up the cycle time from the autism diagnosis to effective treatments. TACA helps to strengthen the autism community by connecting families and the professionals who can help them, allowing them to share stories and information to help improve the quality of life for people with autism. For more information, please visit www.tacanow.org.

If you are kind enough to grant our request, please contact us at info@aneveningforautism.org to have it collected or send the item for donation to:

An Evening for Autism
c/o Karla Elliott
13695 McDowell Drive
Fishers, IN 46038

If you have questions or need more information, please contact us at info@aneveningforautism.org. Thank you for your support!

Sincerely,

Your 2018 An Evening for Autism Steering Committee



LIVE/SILENT AUCTION DONATION FORM

October 27, 2018
502 East - Carmel

Please type or print exactly as it should appear on written materials

Donor: _____

Contact Name (if Company): _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Telephone: _____

E-mail: _____ Fax: _____

I would like to donate the following item(s): _____

With the Fair Market Value of: _____

Does this donation have any conditions, restrictions or expirations? YES NO

If yes, please explain: _____

Please check one:

- Donation is enclosed
- Donation needs picked up
- Donation will be mailed/delivered
- Please contact me
- I would like to support the event by providing a donation of \$ _____

Please return completed form and items to:

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Or via Email to: info@aneveningforautism.org

Thank you for your support of the autism community in Indiana!

Committee Member contact: _____



Families with autism
helping families with autism.

**Talk About Curing Autism
509 (a) (1) Determination Letter**

INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE
P. O. BOX 2508
CINCINNATI, OH 45201

DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY

Date: **APR 22 2008**

Employer Identification Number:
27-0048002

DLN:
17053089791018

Contact Person: FAITH E CUMMINS ID# 31534

Contact Telephone Number:
(877) 829-5500

Public Charity Status:
170(b)(1)(A)(vi)

TALK ABOUT CURING AUTISM
PO BOX 12409
NEWPORT BEACH, CA 92658-2409

Dear Applicant:

Our letter dated December 2003, stated you would be exempt from Federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, and you would be treated as a public charity, rather than as a private foundation, during an advance ruling period.

Based on the information you submitted, you are classified as a public charity under the Code section listed in the heading of this letter. Since your exempt status was not under consideration, you continue to be classified as an organization exempt from Federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Code.

Publication 557, Tax-Exempt Status for Your Organization, provides detailed information about your rights and responsibilities as an exempt organization. You may request a copy by calling the toll-free number for forms, (800) 829-3676. Information is also available on our Internet Web Site at www.irs.gov.

If you have general questions about exempt organizations, please call our toll-free number shown in the heading.

Please keep this letter in your permanent records.

Sincerely yours,

Robert Choi
Director, Exempt Organizations
Rulings and Agreements