

Support Groups					
GROUP	DATE	TIME	PLACE	CONTACT	OTHER INFO
Ames Support Group AS:pire-Central Iowa-Autism Spectrum	1 st Tuesday of each month	6:30- 8:30 p.m.	ChildServe at 1915 Philadelphia St.	Jane Runneals 515-382-5066 janerun@iastate.edu	Parent information, resources, and education. Child care provided, but must pre-register with Jane at 515-294-4103 or janerun@iastate.edu or Jamie at 515-232-7583 x3383 or jgurganus@aea11.k12.ia.us
Autism Support Group of Burlington	1 st Thurs. of each month, Aug.- June	Call for Exact time	North Hills School 825 N. 8 th St. Burlington, IA	Timm & Donna Roberts 319-752-7902	
Autism Spectrum Disorders Support Group of Cedar Fall	1 st Tues. of each month Year Round	6:00 p.m.	AEA 267 3706 Cedar Heights Dr. Cedar Falls	Chris and Tyann Rouw 319-266-5876 tyannchris@cfu.net	
Dubuque Support Group	2 nd Thurs. of each month	7:00 p.m.	Keystone AEA	Alyson Beytien beytien@mchsi.com	Childcare provided
East Central Iowa Autism Society Chapter Cedar Rapids	Last Tues. of each month during school year	7:00- 9:00 PM	Grant Wood AEA Building 4401 6 th St. SW Cedars Rapids	Meg Oberreuter 319-378-1241 moberreuter@mchsi.com	Occasional guest speakers, topics of interest, parent networking
Fort Dodge Support Group	3 rd Tues. Each Month	6:00- 8:00	United Way 803 Central Ave.	Dedie Thompson 1-866-540-3860 x2012 dthompson@aea8.k12.ia.us	
Metro Area Autism Society (Des Moines Area)	Meets during school year	7:00 p.m.	West Des Moines Library	Cindy Bowen 515-226-9136 autism50ia@aol.com	Monthly speakers and time for support provided.
Iowa City Asperger's/PDD Family Group	1 st Tues. of each month	Noon- 1:30	St. Thomas More Church (lower level) 405 N. Riverside Dr. in Iowa City	Vicki Walch 319-338-6650 VWalch@aol.com Corie Lineback 319-339-1246 lineback@mchsi.com	Bring your own lunch and drink. Nursery available.
Marshalltown Support Group	2 nd Sunday of each Month	4:00 p.m.	Evangelical Free Church at	Jenn Pedersen 641-752-7845	

			3111 S. 6 th St.	jennped@gmail.com	
Quad Cities Autism Society Chapter	Meets Year Round except December	7:00	Community of Joy Church 1330 Spruce Hills Drive in Bettendorf	Gina Laughlin tobygirlboo@yahoo.com	Occasional guest speakers and conferences. Childcare provided.
Siouxland Autism Society Chapter	2 nd Thurs. of each month	6:30-8:00	Northwest AEA Bldg. 1520 Morningside Ave. in Sioux City	Julie Case 712-943-7847 Jcases5@smconnect.com Tammy Keegan Tammy.keegan@tyson.com	.
Storm Lake Support Group	1 st Tues. of each month	7:00		Michelle Grant 712-732-5927 Patti Todd 712-732-4528	
SW Iowa Family Autism Resource Group	Currently meeting on an as-needed basis		Creston or Mt. Ayr	Michelle Hicks 1-800-362-1864 mhicks@aea14.k12.ia.us Deb Halvorson 641-876-2659 debhlv@yahoo.com	
SE Iowa Network	2 nd Sat. of each month.	3-5 p.m.	Trinity Church Parlor 320 E. College Iowa City	Rebecca.gbasha@mchsi.com 319-354-0112	For adults on the spectrum
Southern Prairie Support Group	2 nd Monday of each month	6:30-7:30	Southern Prairie AEA at 2814 North Court Ave. in Ottumwa (Across from Fairfield Inn)	Lisa Polson at 641-684-0518 or sisterpolson@yahoo.com	Support for families, friends and faculty. Provide information, guest speakers, and problem solving and support.