

University of Miami • Nova Southeastern University Center for Autism and Related Disabilities

OUR MISSION

UM-NSU CARD is dedicated to optimizing the potential of people with autism spectrum disorders, dual sensory impairment and related disabilities.



CONSTITUENT REGISTRY

Data as of June 30, 2012

Registry Total	6,572
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Constituents on Registry by County

Miami-Dade County	3,533
Broward County	2,975
Monroe County	64

Constituents on Registry by Age

0 - 2 years	54
3 - 4 years	627
5 - 15 years	3,558
16 - 21 years	1,318
22 +	1,015

New Referrals

Intakes	599
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SUMMARY DATA

Individual & Direct Family Assistance

Total IDFA contacts delivered	8,511
Total number of individuals served	10,202

Technical Assistance Data

Total TA contacts delivered	3,762
Total number of individuals served	8,843

Parent & Professional Training/Workshop

Total local trainings/workshops	98
Total number of participants	2,633
Total regional trainings/workshops	3
Total number of participants	232

Public Education/Awareness

Total public education presentations	60
Total number of participants	50,648

OUR FUNDRAISING EVENTS



"Tropical Nights" is your way to help those affected by autism living in South Florida. It is a Miami-Dade fundraiser benefiting the programs, services and research initiatives of UM-NSU CARD. Our event is a festive celebration designed to raise awareness of autism while entertaining our guests with a fabulous auction, fine food, drinks, music, dancing, and acknowledging the tireless efforts of important members of our community. The overwhelming success of Tropical Nights over the past years has allowed UM-NSU CARD to maintain its services during times of tremendous constituency growth and budget cuts, for this, we are extremely grateful to our community and supporters.



"Autumn Moonlight" is another way to help UM-NSU CARD. This Cocktail Fundraiser benefits the services provided by UM-NSU CARD in Broward County. The event helps raise funds while guests enjoy cocktails, amazing hors d'oeuvres, live entertainment, and bid on auction items throughout the evening. Most importantly this event honors some of Broward's most outstanding community leaders.



the Dan Marino Foundation WalkAbout Autism held at Sunlife Stadium generates crucial funds for the autism community of South Florida. All proceeds raised through this event will stay in our local community. The event benefits the Autism Societies of Miami-Dade and Broward Counties, UM-NSU CARD and the Dan Marino Foundation. Participating South Florida schools also receive 25% of the money raised by their teams to support special needs programming in their school.