



*Comfort to prevent a meltdown*

**A Macy's Autism Pals Service Dog can help a child with autism in so many ways:**

**Increase Safety:** Many children with autism have no concept of danger and run away. Our dogs can be tethered to your child and trained to take commands from you.

**Increase Socialization:** Having the safety and stability of a service dog can allow you as a family to get out of the house and participate in new experiences on a more regular basis.

**Provide Stability:** Children with autism often have a difficult time transitioning to new environments and may experience sensory overload.

**Reduce Outbursts:** Our Autism Service dogs help disrupt behaviors by making contact with your child by touch or by laying on their lap.

## Who We Are

### About Us

We train service dogs for children with autism. Our main goal is to help improve the lives of families and children living with autism with the use of a service dog. We also have the goal to educate the public on the benefits of service dogs for children with autism.

### Contact Us

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MACY'S AUTISM PALS

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*Stability in a sometimes overwhelming world*

# MACY'S AUTISM PALS

*We Train World Changers*



## Our Journey

Several years ago my husband and I adopted two boys with autism. As our two boys began to settle into our family we started to realize what our family had committed to. The meltdowns, odd behaviors, repetitiveness and not being able to take them anywhere was overwhelming. We did not know how to help our two boys cope and interact with their world around them.

We did a ton of research on therapies and we found the ones that would benefit our sons. As therapy began to help them cope with life we still noticed something missing –they were still lacking more emotional stability, sensory input and independence that was different from what they were already receiving from us and therapy.

As we began our research on how a service dog could help our boys, we noticed that the waiting lists are incredibly long....and with our boys needing something sooner, six years was way too long to wait. Thus began our journey to training service dogs for kids with autism.

**We do business in  
Georgia, Florida and  
South Carolina**

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*“Our boys an now explore  
their world with more stability  
and less meltdowns.”*

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**We would be happy to discuss with you  
any special needs and how we can tailor  
any additional training; the overview of  
training includes the all following:**

Beginner Training

Basic Training

Advanced Training

One-On-One Training with you and your  
child

One On One Training with you in Public in  
special settings

ADA Public Access Test

Registration as an autism service dog



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Macy's Autism Pals offers a training program that is intended to train Autism Service Dogs. Our training program is a two-year commitment of working with you and your child.

We start with an eight-week puppy or in some cases, we can start with your dog depending on the situation and of course, we would have to evaluate the dog before we commit to training.