

UNT KRISTIN FARMER AUTISM CENTER

Mission: The UNT Kristin Farmer Autism Center provides comprehensive and evidence-based individualized instruction, training, and direct services to positively impact individuals with Autism Spectrum Disorders (ASDs) and their families.

Research Participation Request Form

Date:

Thank you for your interest in participating in research activities at the University of North Texas Kristin Farmer Autism Center (KFAC). Our multidisciplinary center is committed to the development, implementation, and dissemination of high-quality research in the field of autism by building collaborative alliances with respected researchers and institutions. As part of our research mission, we strive to continuously enhance our research capabilities and expand our partnerships in order to conduct robust scientific investigations designed to make a positive impact on individuals with Autism Spectrum Disorders and their families.

Before completing the information below, please become familiar with the [Center's Core Document](#), which provides a one-page overview of our mission, vision, priorities, values, processes, and functions. All proposed research activities within the KFAC must directly support the Center's mission/vision, align with our precepts, and adhere to evidence-based practices. In support of our collaborative approach, all research conducted at the Center shall include the direct participation of KFAC staff in its design, conduct, and evaluation. University of North Texas Institutional Review Board (IRB) approval is required prior to any research being considered by the KFAC research committee and conducted at the KFAC.

Contact Information

Institution / Agency / Organization:

Department:

Contact Name:

Address:

Work Number: Extension, if applicable:

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Proposed Research

Research request type:

- Research study Grant proposal Dissertation/Thesis
- Other (please describe): [Click here to enter text.](#)

Title of proposed research study /activity:

Purpose of the proposed research study or activity (if a research study, include a statement of the problem being investigation):

How does the proposed study/ activity directly support the mission and vision of KFAC?

What is the expected participation of Center staff in the proposed study/activity?

List the names and affiliations of all expected investigators:

Briefly describe the proposed methodology:

What are the desired outcomes of the study/activity?

What is the expected start date and duration for the proposed study/activity?

Summarize the inclusion and exclusion criteria for participation:

Summarize the research requirements and needs (e.g., space, materials, technology):

Include any other information that will be helpful in evaluating the proposed study/activity:

Have you received UNT IRB approval for the proposed study/activity?

- Yes. Please include a copy of your IRB application and approval letter.
- No. Please submit your IRB application to the [UNT Institutional Review Board](#).

The KFAC Research Committee will review all Research Participation Requests on the first Tuesday of every month. The Committee's decision or a request for additional information will be sent to the proposer via e-mail. For additional questions or concerns, please contact Phoenix Ma, Ed.D, Project Coordinator, at Phoenix.Ma@unt.edu or (940) 369-7696.