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Autism Spectrum Disorder, Current Evidence on Etiology

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Objectives: Upon completion of this session, participants should be able to:

- Review the defining clinical features of autism spectrum disorder (ASD).
- Summarize current etiologic evidence for ASD.
- Offer potential recommendations to reduce ASD risk.

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