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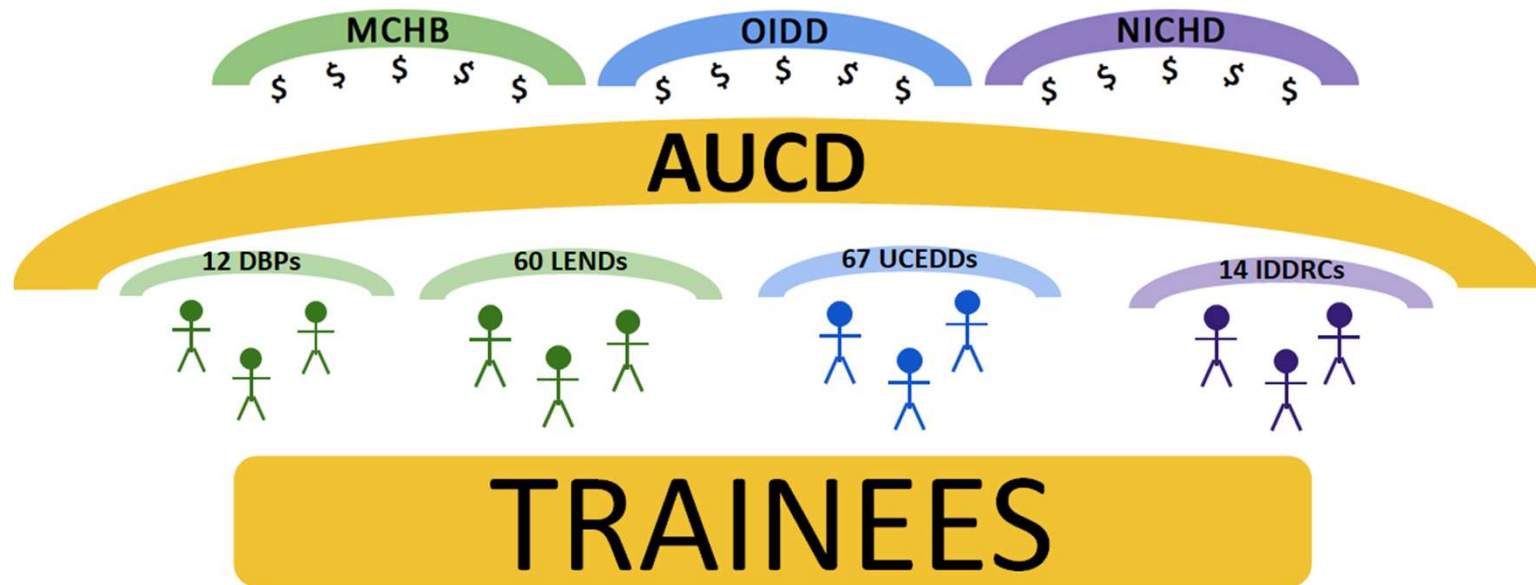
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AUCD Network Centers



Technical Assistance Centers

- ▶ Interdisciplinary Technical Assistance Center (ITAC) on Autism and Developmental Disabilities
 - ▶ LENDs (Leadership Education in Neurodevelopmental and Related Disabilities)
 - ▶ DBPs (Developmental Behavioral Pediatric Training Programs)
- ▶ UCEDD Resource Center (URC)
 - ▶ UCEDDs (University Centers of Excellence in Developmental Disabilities)

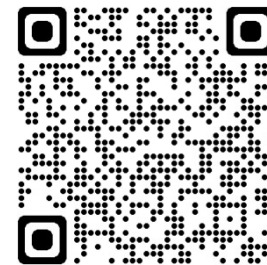


How to Connect to AUCD

- ▶ **Councils:** network members join [councils](#) to address emerging trends and issues, highlight exemplary practices, implement the AUCD Strategic Map, and bring network priorities to AUCD.
 - ▶ National Training Directors Council, Council on Research and Evaluation, Council on Leadership in Advocacy, Multicultural Council, Community Education Dissemination Council
- ▶ **Special Interest Groups (SIGs):** made up of individuals that have common topical interests such as emergency prep, family support, assistive technology, and so on. SIGs serve as a mechanism for sharing information, engaging in respectful dialogue, and generating new ideas.
- ▶ **Workgroups:** Some LEND workgroups are open to trainees – Spanish Language Workgroup ([SLW](#)), Self Advocates in LEND ([SAIL](#)), LEND Rural Workgroup ([LRW](#))
- ▶ **Webinars/ Events:** AUCD's new [Webinar Library](#) puts all AUCD-hosted webinars at your fingertips – when you want them. Current Events and Webinars can be found [here](#).
- ▶ **Newsletters/Listservs:** You can subscribe to AUCD [Newsletters](#) and [Listservs](#) to receive updates
 - ▶ AUCD Weekly
 - ▶ Disability Policy News
 - ▶ AUCD 360

Emerging Leaders Community

- ▶ Your professional home:
 - ▶ Comprised of current and former trainees as well as early career professionals
 - ▶ Multiple different disciplines
 - ▶ Spans the entire country
 - ▶ Place to learn and engage with other trainees
 - ▶ Bridge to the larger AUCD community
- ▶ Get Connected:
 - ▶ [LinkedIn Group](#)
 - ▶ [Social Media](#)
 - ▶ Join the [ELC Listserv](#)
 - ▶ Receive ELC Newsletter and Audiology Newsletter (Coming Soon!)



Leadership Opportunities for 2024-2025

▶ Internships

- ▶ Paid opportunity for (3) current trainees in ELC. Two focus on training and outreach, and one is a focus on LEND audiology.
- ▶ The 24-25 application will open summer 2024.

▶ Council Trainee Representative Program

- ▶ 5 Current Trainees are matched to a Council they are interested in
- ▶ Receive mentorship from Council Leadership and Cohort Meetings with other CTRs

▶ Trainee Liaisons

- ▶ Current Trainees from each center/program who engages in information sharing and dialogue on trainee-related matters. Connect with trainees across the country.

▶ ELC Advisory Board

- ▶ Provide feedback and insight into the needs of trainees, improve the quality of ELC activities, and highlight emerging needs
- ▶ Former Trainees are eligible, as well as Current Trainees and Program Directors

Events Coming Soon

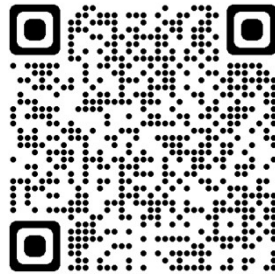
▶ [2024 Disability Policy Seminar Orientation and Policy Education 101 Workshop](#)

- ▶ Tuesday, March 26th
- ▶ 2:00 – 3:30 PM EST



▶ [Disability Policy Seminar](#)

- ▶ April 8-10th
- ▶ Attend in person in Washington, D.C.



▶ [Fostering Joy For Audiologists: Why and How to Embrace a “Joy Lens” in Working with Families](#)

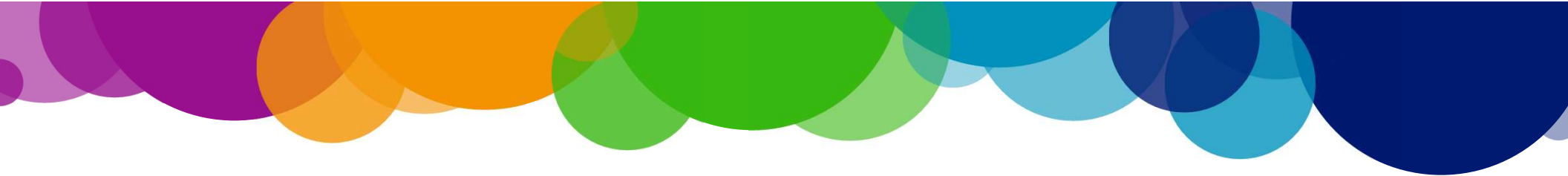
- ▶ Thursday, April 11th
- ▶ 8:00 – 9:30 PM EST





Questions?





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