



# The Autism Program at Boston Medical Center is seeking MENTORS and MENTEES for an innovative program Teens Engaged as Mentors (TEAM)

**TEAM** is seeking participants for the  
2019-2020 school year:

### Mentors

- High school/post-secondary students with and without autism spectrum disorder (Ages 14-21)

### Mentees

- Elementary/middle school students with autism spectrum disorder (Ages 9-13)

Participants should not require 1:1 staffing or engage in aggressive or self-injurious behavior.

All mentors will receive training and supervision at the start of the program.

**Please see our website for more information.**

Events are once per month on weekends during daytime hours.

Participation at all events is required.

All events are staffed by trained facilitators through Boston Medical Center.

Parents do not participate but are responsible for their child's transportation.

This program is free of cost to participants.



Past TEAM events have included:

- Attending a Red Sox game
- Arcade games, bowling, and pizza at Boston Bowl
- Trail cleanup at the Boston Nature Center
- Donation projects for Boston Senior Home Care, BMC Child Protection Team, and the MSPCA
- Visiting the Museum of Science & MIT Museum
- Jumping at Sky Zone Everett trampoline park
- Rock climbing & basketball at BU FitRec Center

If you or someone you know is interested in being involved with TEAM, either as a mentor or mentee, please contact us at [autismprogram@bmc.org](mailto:autismprogram@bmc.org) or (617) 414-3842.

Or, visit our website for more information and to download an application!

[www.bmc.org/pediatrics-autism-program/services/teens-engaged-mentors-team](http://www.bmc.org/pediatrics-autism-program/services/teens-engaged-mentors-team)

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Application Period: 4/1/19 - 8/1/19