



## Cudahy Shining a Light on Autism Awareness and Child Development



### Invites you to join the world and Light It Up Blue the Month of April. Let's put Cudahy on the map!

One in 68 children are diagnosed with an Autism Spectrum disorder.  
Early identification with developmental screening leads to early intervention and best outcomes.  
All children between 18-24 months and 6 years should have a developmental screening.  
Contact your child's doctor or your local health department.  
Cudahy Health Department: 769-2239

### What can you do to Light It Up Blue?



Light up your home with blue bulbs. Tell your neighbors to Light It Up Blue!  
The first 50 people to register at <https://www.autismspeaks.org/liub> will receive a free bulb by bringing a copy of the registration confirmation email to the Health Department.  
Blue bulbs are available for purchase at Greg's True Value on Layton or the Home Depot.



Wear Blue on April 2<sup>nd</sup>, Autism Awareness Day. Paint your nails blue! Eat blue foods! Color your hair blue!



Watch for the Blue Lights in your neighborhood, around town, and SE Wisconsin. Cudahy is sponsoring the US Bank Building for one week and Mitchell Park Domes April 2<sup>nd</sup> - 4<sup>th</sup>. Local businesses will have featured items for Autism Awareness. Watch the Cudahy Health Department Facebook page for more information.



Participate in the Autism Walk on March 28<sup>th</sup> at the BMO Bradley Center. You can walk indoors or out.  
Go to <http://www.walknowforautismspeaks.org/faf/home/default.asp?ievent=1122971>  
Register with "Team Cudahy".



Attend "Butler vs Bullying" with LeRoy Butler! Monday, April 27<sup>th</sup>, Cudahy High School, 6:30 PM.  
Free tickets available at the Cudahy Health Department Monday-Friday 8:00 AM- 4:30PM.

Go to: <https://www.autismspeaks.org/what-autism/facts-about-autism> for more information about Autism.



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