## Research





#### **CIFASD**

The Collaborative Initiative on Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorders (CIFASD) investigates thinking, problem solving, and physical features of three different groups of children ages 5-7 and 10 –16 who are (1) typically developing, (2) diagnosed with ADHD, behavior problems, or mood disorder with no prenatal exposure, or (3) prenatally exposed to alcohol in order to gain a better understanding of the impact of prenatal alcohol exposure.

#### **GoFAR**

GoFAR is a clinical trial of a comprehensive intervention program investigating the efficacy of a computer game, therapeutic sessions, and caregiver involvement for children affected by prenatal alcohol exposure, who need help with self-regulation and problematic behavior issues.

For enrollment information: 404-712-9818







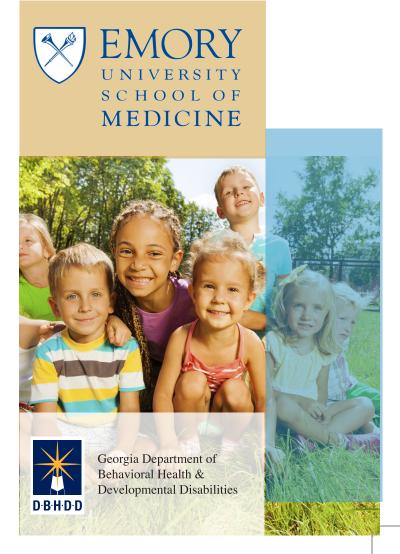
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Maternal Substance Abuse and Child Development







#### **Our Programs**

The MSACD Prevention Program serves as the state expert on Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorders (FASD) and other drug related birth defects. We are dedicated to the prevention of prenatal exposures and negative consequences of maternal substance use and/or abuse by providing a range of prevention services to agencies, communities and families across the state of Georgia.

#### **Diagnostic And Clinical Services**

The Emory Neurodevelopmental Exposure Clinic (ENEC) is a multidisciplinary clinic providing differential diagnosis for individuals ages 0 to 21 and other services including:

- Medical and genetic evaluations
- Neurodevelopmental and psychological testing
- Parent coaching and behavior management training
- Psychotherapy
- Educational testing and consultations
- Math Interactive Learning Experience (MILE) instruction and Cognitive Habilitation Services



**Emory Neurodevelopmental Exposure Clinic** 

For more information:
Email fasclinic@emory.edu
or call **404.712.9810**to refer a patient for treatment at ENEC.

#### **Prevention And Community Activities**

Maternal High Risk Behaviors and Prenatal Exposure trainings are offered for:

- Local, State, and Regional Organizations
- Medical and Behavioral Health Providers
- Community Service Organizations
- Legal Organizations
- Parents, Families, Foster/Adoption Groups

#### **Community Parent Workshops**

Quarterly workshops are held for parents, caregivers, community workers, teachers, and daycare workers on the impact of prenatal exposures on child development and effective interventions.

# The National Organization on Fetal Alcohol Syndrome (NOFAS), Georgia Affiliate

NOFAS Georgia aims to be a leading voice representing and supporting individuals and families living with FASDs and a catalyst for networking, collaboration, and partnerships among individuals, families, professionals, and policy makers.

www.nofasgeorgia.org





Medications & More During Pregnancy & Breastfeeding
Ask The Experts

### **Mothertobaby Georgia Teratogen Information Service**

MotherToBaby is a service of the non-profit Organization of Teratology Information Specialists dedicated to providing evidence-based information about medications and other exposures during pregnancy and while breastfeeding.

This service is available to pregnant women, family members, health care providers, and the general public.

We care about you and your baby.

- Call if you have questions about over the-counter medications you have taken or would like to take.
- Maybe you are sick and wonder if your illness will hurt your baby?
- Call if you have had some alcohol to drink and are worried about what might happen to your baby.

Talk directly to the experts behind the most up-to-date research!

Our FREE service is just a phone call away! **855.789.6222** mothertobaby@emory.edu