

## Sector Spotlight:

# State/Local/Tribal Government - February 2025



## Kacy Hopper

I am the mom of 2 boys and Nana of 2 grandchildren. My journey as mother to a son on the autism spectrum, led me to a wonderful position at the Autism Society of Indiana where I could channel my passion into providing support, resources, and advocacy for families navigating the complexities of autism.

Currently, I serve as a School Health Liaison, a position that has expanded my ability to impact students, families, and the broader community. In this role, my focus includes a variety of critical areas:

1. Health Screenings: Ensuring students received the necessary evaluations to maintain their well-being.
2. Immunizations: Promoting the importance of vaccinations and facilitating access to them.
3. Education: Providing essential health-related information to students and their families.
4. Community Partnerships: Building strong relationships with local organizations to enhance health and wellness initiatives.

Through these efforts, I aim to foster a healthier, more informed community, where everyone in the community has the opportunity to thrive. My journey continues to be driven by my commitment to advocacy, compassion and community engagement.