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Effective June 26th, all new referrals for autism service in the regions of Hamilton, Brant, Haldimand- Norfolk and Niagara can be made through our new toll free number **855.707.1177**. The number will provide a single point of access for autism services for families and referral sources living within these communities.

By listening to the options when phoning in and selecting the option for the region you live in, you will be directed to your local referral agency to register, to make a referral and to access service. Families who are currently registered and/or receiving service with the regional autism program do not need to make a new referral.

Our new email address, ontarioautismprogram@hhsc.ca, can be used for general inquiries only about our services in your community.

If you need additional information about the transition to the new Ontario Autism Program, please visit ontario.ca/autism or call 1-888-284-8340.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'C. Anderson'.

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