

**REPORT ON THE WORK OF MSSA
(for the period December 2019-December 2020)**

January-February 2020 - completed 4 workshops from the UNICEF project in the day center in Kumanovo and at the Faculty of Philosophy in Skopje

02.04.2020 - MSSA joined the Autism Europe campaign

May 2020 - internet campaign on the occasion of the 20th anniversary of the existence of MSSA

May-June 2020 - 9 webinars on autism were held on the ZOOM platform within the UNICEF project

08-28.06.2020 - MSSA President Lecturer and Scientific Board Member at the Online International Conference: "Focus on Autism in Inclusive Education", Krakow, Poland

24-26.06.2020 - MSSA President Lecturer at the 2nd Online ReAttach International Conference, Vorendal, The Netherlands

July 2020 - UNICEF Trilingual Autism Handbook published

30.11.2020 - signed agreement for realization of a project with the Municipality of Karpos: "Strengthening the capacities of professionals for the problems and needs of children with autistic spectrum disorders, in preschool and school institutions"

During the year participation of our members in 5 online meetings within the two Erasmus plus ongoing projects

From December 2019-December 2020, 2 papers and one Manual in 3 languages for autism were published:

1. Trajkovski V. Psychological aspects of autism spectrum disorder. *Journal for ReAttach Therapy and Developmental Diversities*. 2020 Jul 05; 3 (1): 14-23. <https://doi.org/10.26407/2020jrtd.1.30>.
2. Trajkovski V, Vasilevska Petrovska I. Social skills support and positive parenting. A guide for parents of children with autism spectrum disorders and professionals in their support circle. *Macedonian Scientific Association for Autism*, Skopje, 2020; 1–132.
3. Trajkovski V, Vasilevska Petrovska I. Mbështetja e shkathtësive sociale dhe prindësisë pozitive: doracak për prindërit e fëmijëve me gjendje të spektrit të autizmit dhe për profesionistët nga mjedisi i tyre i mbështetjes. *Shoqata Shkencore e Maqedonisë për Autizmin*, Shkup, 2020; 1–126.
Trajkovski V, Vasilevska Petrovska I. Supporting social skills and positive parenting: a handbook for parents of children with autism spectrum disorders and for professionals from their support environment. *Macedonian Scientific Association for Autism*, Skopje, 2020; 1–126.
4. Trajkovski V, Vasilevska Petrovska I. Supporting social skills and positive parenting: manual for parents of children with autism spectrum conditions and professionals in their circle of support. *Macedonian Scientific Society for Autism*, Skopje, 2020; 1–127.
5. Stankova T, Trajkovski V. Sexual Education of Persons with Autistic Spectrum Disorders: Use of the Technique: ‘Social Stories. *Sex Disabil* (2020). <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11195-020-09655-y>.

Participation in seminars and congresses in the country and abroad:

1. Trajkovski V. Autism spectrum disorders and the science of social work. Book of Abstracts 8th Scientific conference with international participation: „All about people: relevance of science and education“. Maribor, 13-14 March 2020; 324.

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