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Introduction: Autism spectrum disorders are a group of complex brain disorders, they are lifelong developmental disabilities characterized by difficulties in communication and social interaction, Since the term ASDs has evolved and despite extensive researches to understand the pathophysiological mechanisms of the disease, we still haven't come to a full understanding of the disease process and the mechanisms by which it ensue. Objective Measure the impact of "Aydi La Tamal" foundation -for autism and developmental disorders- parental education program" on social outcomes for children and adolescents with ASDs, and it's contribution in building communication skills of autistic children. Method data were collected by a questionnaire filled by mothers of 50 from a total of 83 autistic child out of registered and attending at the foundation in Khartoum, Sudan. Agenda Establish scientific educational program to answer urgent questions and needs of people with ASDs and their families. Results: Data analyses of 50 samples showed, (Mean age=7.37 years, Male=95.9%), 100 % of parents were satisfied with the foundation training plan, 100% have received new information's regarding ASD in general and their child condition from psychologists at the foundation, 100% of parents have noticed improvement in their child communication skills, 93.9% of parents gave their understanding of their child condition after enrollment a percentage of (90-80) %. Intended audience: Community members, parents of autistic children, nonprofit organization for financial support. Conclusion: The foundation has educated the parents about autism and about their children conditions individually, parents have noticed improvement in their child speech.