

On Wednesday, 28<sup>th</sup> April, at the Grand Chancellor in Launceston, I participated in the Select Committee On Autism Hearing. In response to your questioning, I said I would provide resources which indicate that ABA is not an effective therapy for autism. This is a list of readings which question efficacy and the ethics of selling a costly program to parents who will sacrifice anything to ensure that their children have the best possible opportunities for positive life experiences.

<https://altteaching.org/us-government-reports-that-aba-doesnt-work/>

<https://link.springer.com/article/10.1007/s41252-021-00201-1>

[Applied Behavior Analysis \(ABA\) | Therapist Neurodiversity Collective \(therapistndc.org\)](https://therapistndc.org/)

[Alfie Kohn: Autism and Behaviorism: New Research Adds to an Already Compelling Case Against ABA | National Education Policy Center \(colorado.edu\)](https://colorado.edu/nepc/2021/04/28/alfie-kohn-autism-and-behaviorism-new-research-adds-to-an-already-compelling-case-against-aba)

[Full article: How much compliance is too much compliance: Is long-term ABA therapy abuse? \(tandfonline.com\)](https://www.tandfonline.com/doi/full/10.1080/10887661.2021.1911111)