

Do vaccines cause autism?

No, vaccines do not cause autism. Research has found no links between vaccine and autism.

You may have heard about Andrew Wakefield, a British surgeon who suggested a link between autism and vaccine. What you may not have heard is that the research he published was found to be false, and Wakefield had his medical license taken away because of this false research.

In January 2010, Britain's statutory tribunal of the General Medical Council found Wakefield guilty of four counts of dishonesty and 12 counts involving the abuse of developmentally challenged children, in relation to his false research on autism.