

INSTRUCTIONS

For each question, please darken the circle that best describes this child's behavior **over the past 6 months.**

Child's name _____ Child's age in years _____

Rater's name _____ Date of rating _____

Relationship to rated individual Mother Father Other custodial adult Teacher Other specialist

Grade _____ School or clinic _____

PLEASE PRESS HARD WHEN MARKING YOUR RESPONSES.**1 = NOT TRUE 2 = SOMETIMES TRUE 3 = OFTEN TRUE 4 = ALMOST ALWAYS TRUE**

1. Seems much more fidgety in social situations than when alone. 1 2 3 4
2. Expressions on his or her face don't match what he or she is saying 1 2 3 4
3. Seems self-confident when interacting with others. 1 2 3 4
4. When under stress, he or she shows rigid or inflexible patterns of behavior that seem odd 1 2 3 4
5. Doesn't recognize when others are trying to take advantage of him or her 1 2 3 4
6. Would rather be alone than with others 1 2 3 4
7. Is aware of what others are thinking or feeling 1 2 3 4
8. Behaves in ways that seem strange or bizarre 1 2 3 4
9. Clings to adults, seems too dependent on them 1 2 3 4
10. Takes things too literally and doesn't get the real meaning of a conversation 1 2 3 4
11. Has good self-confidence 1 2 3 4
12. Is able to communicate his or her feelings to others. 1 2 3 4
13. Is awkward in turn-taking interactions with peers (for example, doesn't seem to understand the give-and-take of conversations). 1 2 3 4
14. Is not well coordinated. 1 2 3 4
15. Is able to understand the meaning of other people's tone of voice and facial expressions 1 2 3 4
16. Avoids eye contact or has unusual eye contact 1 2 3 4
17. Recognizes when something is unfair 1 2 3 4
18. Has difficulty making friends, even when trying his or her best. 1 2 3 4
19. Gets frustrated trying to get ideas across in conversations 1 2 3 4
20. Shows unusual sensory interests (for example, mouthing or spinning objects) or strange ways of playing with toys. 1 2 3 4
21. Is able to imitate others' actions 1 2 3 4
22. Plays appropriately with children his or her age 1 2 3 4
23. Does not join group activities unless told to do so 1 2 3 4
24. Has more difficulty than other children with changes in his or her routine 1 2 3 4
25. Doesn't seem to mind being out of step with or "not on the same wavelength" as others. 1 2 3 4
26. Offers comfort to others when they are sad. 1 2 3 4
27. Avoids starting social interactions with peers or adults. 1 2 3 4
28. Thinks or talks about the same thing over and over 1 2 3 4
29. Is regarded by other children as odd or weird. 1 2 3 4
30. Becomes upset in a situation with lots of things going on 1 2 3 4
31. Can't get his or her mind off something once he or she starts thinking about it. 1 2 3 4
32. Has good personal hygiene. 1 2 3 4

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- 33. Is socially awkward, even when he or she is trying to be polite (1) (2) (3) (4)
- 34. Avoids people who want to be emotionally close to him or her (1) (2) (3) (4)
- 35. Has trouble keeping up with the flow of a normal conversation (1) (2) (3) (4)
- 36. Has difficulty relating to adults. (1) (2) (3) (4)
- 37. Has difficulty relating to peers (1) (2) (3) (4)
- 38. Responds appropriately to mood changes in others (for example, when a friend's or playmate's mood changes from happy to sad) (1) (2) (3) (4)
- 39. Has an unusually narrow range of interests (1) (2) (3) (4)
- 40. Is imaginative, good at pretending (without losing touch with reality) (1) (2) (3) (4)
- 41. Wanders aimlessly from one activity to another (1) (2) (3) (4)
- 42. Seems overly sensitive to sounds, textures, or smells (1) (2) (3) (4)
- 43. Separates easily from caregivers (1) (2) (3) (4)
- 44. Doesn't understand how events relate to one another (cause and effect) the way other children his or her age do (1) (2) (3) (4)
- 45. Focuses his or her attention to where others are looking or listening (1) (2) (3) (4)
- 46. Has overly serious facial expressions (1) (2) (3) (4)
- 47. Is too silly or laughs inappropriately (1) (2) (3) (4)
- 48. Has a sense of humor, understands jokes (1) (2) (3) (4)
- 49. Does extremely well at a few tasks, but does not do as well at most other tasks. (1) (2) (3) (4)
- 50. Has repetitive, odd behaviors such as hand flapping or rocking (1) (2) (3) (4)
- 51. Has difficulty answering questions directly and ends up talking around the subject (1) (2) (3) (4)
- 52. Knows when he or she is talking too loud or making too much noise (1) (2) (3) (4)
- 53. Talks to people with an unusual tone of voice (for example, talks like a robot or like he or she is giving a lecture). (1) (2) (3) (4)
- 54. Seems to react to people as if they are objects (1) (2) (3) (4)
- 55. Knows when he or she is too close to someone or is invading someone's space (1) (2) (3) (4)
- 56. Walks in between two people who are talking (1) (2) (3) (4)
- 57. Gets teased a lot (1) (2) (3) (4)
- 58. Concentrates too much on parts of things rather than seeing the whole picture For example, if asked to describe what happened in a story, he or she may talk only about the kind of clothes the characters were wearing. (1) (2) (3) (4)
- 59. Is overly suspicious (1) (2) (3) (4)
- 60. Is emotionally distant, doesn't show his or her feelings (1) (2) (3) (4)
- 61. Is inflexible, has a hard time changing his or her mind (1) (2) (3) (4)
- 62. Gives unusual or illogical reasons for doing things (1) (2) (3) (4)
- 63. Touches others in an unusual way (for example, he or she may touch someone just to make contact and then walk away without saying anything). (1) (2) (3) (4)
- 64. Is too tense in social settings (1) (2) (3) (4)
- 65. Stares or gazes off into space. (1) (2) (3) (4)