



If you are worried that your child, a relative,

or if you have autism, complete the checklist below and discuss with your doctor.

*Some questions are child-oriented; recall if this is an adult concern.

Does not respond to his/her name.
Cannot explain what he/she wants.
Has language skills that are slow to develop, or speech is delayed.
Does not follow instructions.
At times seems to be deaf.
Seems to hear sometimes, but not others.
Does not point or wave "bye-bye."
Used to say a few words or babble, but no longer.
Throws intense or violent tantrums.
Has odd movement patterns.
Is overly active, uncooperative, or resistant.
Does not know how to play with toys.
Does not smile when smiled at.
Has poor eye contact.
Gets "stuck" repeating activities and cannot move on to others.
Seems to prefer to play alone.
Gets things only for himself/herself.
Is very independent for his/her age.
Does things "early" compared to other children.
Seems to be in his/her "own world."
Seems to tune people out.
Is not interested in other children.
Walks on his/her toes.
Shows unusual attachments to toys, objects or schedules (ie: Always holds a string, putting socks on before pants, etc.).

Spends a lot of time lining-up objects or putting things in a specific order.