



Autism Spectrum Screening Questionnaire

Name of Child

Name of Rater

Date of Birth

Date of Rating

This child stands out as different from other children of his/her age in the following way:

	No	Maybe	Yes
1 Is old-fashioned or precocious			
2 Is regarded as an "eccentric professor" by the other children			
3 Lives somewhat in a world of his/her own with restricted idiosyncratic intellectual interests			
4 Accumulates facts on certain subjects (good rote memory) but does not really understand the meaning			
5 Has literal understanding of ambiguous and metaphorical language			
6 Has a deviant style of communication with a formal, fussy, old-fashioned or "robotlike" language			
7 Invents idiosyncratic words and expressions			
8 Has a different voice or speech			
9 Expresses sounds involuntarily, clears throat, grunts, smacks, cries or screams			
10 Is surprisingly good at some things and surprisingly poor at others			
11 Uses language freely but fails to make adjustment to fit social contexts or the needs of different listeners			
12 Lacks empathy			
13 Makes naive and embarrassing remarks			
14 Has a deviant style of gaze			
15 Wishes to be sociable but fails to make relationship with peers			
16 Can be with other children but only on his/her terms			
17 Lacks best friends			
18 Is poor at games: no idea of cooperating in team, scores "own goals"			

		No	Maybe	Yes
19	Has clumsy, ill-coordinated, ungainly, awkward movements or gestures			
20	Has involuntary face or body movements			
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22	Has difficulties in completing simple daily activities because of compulsory repetition of certain actions or thoughts			
23	Has special routines: insists on no change			
24	Shows idiosyncratic attachment to objects			
25	Is bullied by other children			
26	Has markedly unusual facial expression			
27	Has markedly unusual posture			