

Autism Spectrum Disorder Checklist

Please check off all that apply.

Early Signs Of Autism In Babies & Toddlers:

- Does not make eye contact or look at you when spoken to
- Does not smile when smiled at
- Does not respond to his/her name, or to sound of familiar voice
- Does not point/wave goodbye, or use gestures to communicate
- Does not follow the gesture when you point things out
- Does not imitate your movements and/or facial expressions
- Does not play with other people or share interest & enjoyment
- Does not ask for help or make other basic requests

Warning Signs That Should Be Evaluated ASAP By Professional:

- By 6 months: No big smiles or warm, joyful expressions
- By 9 months: No back-and-forth sharing of sounds, smiles, or other facial expressions
- By 12 months: Lack of response to name
- By 12 months: No babbling or “baby talk”
- By 12 months: No back-and-forth gestures, such as pointing, showing, reaching, or waving
- By 16 months: No spoken words
- By 24 months: No meaningful two-word phrases that do not involve imitating or repeating

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