

## Eligibility for studies

As part of the [autism studies \(/research/activity/autism/studies/index.aspx\)](/research/activity/autism/studies/index.aspx), children will also complete behavioural assessments, including assessments of word understanding and word production.

We would be interested to hear from anyone with a child on the autism spectrum (or younger sibling of a child on the autism spectrum) under 16 years of age.

The following are example criteria for participation in the studies:

- Diagnosis of Autistic Disorder, Pervasive Developmental Disorder not otherwise specified, or Aspergers Syndrome
- Between two and six years of age
- Child does not currently have a major intellectual delay
- No major primary sensory impairment (for example: blindness, deafness)
- No known history of seizure disorder
- Meet other inclusionary criteria

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