

Child Health Questionnaire Checklist

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- Behavior and temperament
 - Prefers to play alone
 - Better with one on one interaction
 - Does not smile as often
 - Seems depressed
 - Is anxious
 - Hyperactive or restless
 - Unable to disregard unimportant stimuli
 - Impulsive
 - Disruptive
 - Easily distracted
 - Forgetful
 - Physically abusive
 - Verbally abusive
 - Frequent tantrums
 - Mood swings for no reason
 - Short attention span
 - Uncomfortable in crowds
 - Becomes easily annoyed
 - Bothered by loud noises
 - Bothered by bright lights
 - Shows little remorse
 - Emotionally unstable
 - Little interest or pleasure in doing things
 - Jekyll-and-Hyde type of personality
- Autistic tendencies (if applicable)
 - Shows little to no eye contact
 - Speech is literal
 - Content and happier to be alone
 - Seems to be in “own world”
 - Lacks displays of affection

- Lacks response from others
- Does not point out objects of interest to others
- Indifferent to surroundings
- Lacks interest in toys
- Marked reduction in activity level
- Increase in activity level
- Over-sensitive to pain
- Under-sensitive to pain
- Undeveloped motor skills
- Does not understand consequences
- Lines things up
- Loves patterns
- Color coordinated objects
- Inappropriate attachment to objects
- Displays daily obsessive routines
- Medication side effects
 - Behavior changes
 - Stomach upset/aches
 - Mouth burns
 - Leg / calf cramps
 - Drowsiness
 - Confusion
 - Clumsiness
 - Nausea
 - Unresponsive at times
 - Mental confusion
 - Lethargic
 - Tired or tense a lot
- Learning and cognition
 - IQ lower than average
 - Unable to process new information
 - Unable to retain new information
 - Has trouble performing daily tasks

- Needs constant reminders
- Does not carry on full conversation
- Repeats sentences
- Talks to himself
- Delay in academic achievement
- Lacks common sense
- Is a slow starter
- Moves slowly
- Speaks slowly
- Other questions of interest
 - Eyes are “glazed over”
 - Breaks out in rashes/hives
 - Has eczema
 - Fidgety or restless
 - Is vomiting a problem
 - Has recurrent colds
 - Eating or not eating affects behavior
 - Facial color is pale
 - Dark circles under eyes
 - Headaches
 - Stomach viruses often
 - Wets the bed or self
 - Constipated often
 - Diarrhea often
 - Craves certain foods
 - Has ear infections
 - Poor appetite
 - Gets car sick
 - Odor or fumes make them sick
 - Loves the smell of gas or paint
 - Trouble going to sleep
 - Would steal chocolate
 - Has food cravings like milk, peanut butter, eggs

- Asthma
- Tonsillitis, strep throat
- Very ticklish
- Clears throat a lot
- Walks on tip toes
- Has dry skin