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Including CD with handouts for parents

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### Diagnostic Tools

Autism Diagnostic Observation Schedule (ADOS)  
Lord et al, Western Psychological Services  
[http://portal.wpspublish.com/portal/page?\\_pageid=53,53086&\\_dad=portal&\\_schema=PORTAL](http://portal.wpspublish.com/portal/page?_pageid=53,53086&_dad=portal&_schema=PORTAL)

Video glossary of DSM-IV behaviors can be found:  
[www.autismspeaks.org/video/glossary.php](http://www.autismspeaks.org/video/glossary.php)

### Screening Tests for Autism Spectrum Disorders

Communication and Symbolic Behavior Scales Developmental Profile  
Wetherby & Przant  
[www.brookespublishing.com/store/books/wetherby-csbsdpc/checklist.htm](http://www.brookespublishing.com/store/books/wetherby-csbsdpc/checklist.htm)

Diagnosis and Treatment of the Nonverbal Child with Autism  
Presented by Linda Lotspeich, MD, MEd  
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Modified Checklist for Autism in Toddlers (M-CHAT) - see handouts for copy

Robins, Fine & Barton  
[www.firstsigns.org/downloads/m-chat.PDF](http://www.firstsigns.org/downloads/m-chat.PDF)

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Williams et al  
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