



Measuring Social Emotional Learning in Youth with Autism Spectrum Disorder

Researchers at **Rush Neurobehavioral Center**, in collaboration with **Stony Brook University** and funded by **Simons Foundation Autism Research Initiative**, are conducting a free study investigating the validity of a web-based, standardized social-emotional learning assessment tool as a potential outcome measure for rapid deployment in large clinical trials.

***Your child* may be eligible to participate in this research study if your child:**

- Is 6-10 years old
- Has been diagnosed with an autism spectrum disorder (ASD)
- Is verbal with average or above average intelligence

Participation is free and voluntary.

Testing available at the following locations:

- Rush NeuroBehavioral Center (Skokie, IL)
- Rush University Medical Center (Chicago, IL)
- Rush Copley-Medical Center (Aurora, IL)
- Rush Medical Offices (Hoffman Estates, IL)
- *Many community and academic partner locations, inquire for more information*

Activities for the study (total time 2½-3 hours):

- A telephone pre-screening parent interview and online screener
- Two standardized measures to verify diagnosis and intelligence
- A self-guided web-based social-emotional learning assessment
- Computerized validation assessments of social-emotional learning
- Two parent behavior ratings scales

Why consider participating?

- *Parents receive a written report discussing their child's performance on many measures*
- Families may help us to create future interventions concerning social emotional learning in children with ASD
- Children will receive a \$40 gift card and parents will receive a \$5 gift card as thanks for participation

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