

My doctor asked me to fill out this form. Why?

You have been given the **Modified Checklist for Autism and Toddlers-Revised (M-CHAT)**. The M-CHAT is a checklist that looks for early signs of autism in toddlers.

Toddlers with autism often:

- Have trouble talking and understanding language.
- Have a hard time transitioning to new activities.
- Display repetitive movements.
- Have very strong interests for some toys or activities.
- Seem like they are in their own world.

Parents are often the best judges of their child's development since they are watching their child every day. If your child has autism, it's important to get him/her treatment early. The M-CHAT helps us do this.

If you need further information, talk to your child's health care provider.

