

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

### M-CHAT

Please fill out the following about how your child **usually** is. Please try to answer every question. If the behavior is rare (e.g. you've seen it once or twice), please answer as if the child does not do it.

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| 1. Does your child enjoy being swung, bounced on your knee etc.   | Y | N |
| 2. Does your child take an interest in other children?  | Y | N |
| 3. Does your child like climbing on things, such as stairs?   | Y | N |
| 4. Does your child enjoy playing peek-a-boo/hide-and-seek?  | Y | N |
| 5. Does your child ever pretend, for example, to talk on the phone or take care of dolls, or pretend other things?        | Y | N |
| 6. Does your child ever use his/her index finger to point, to ask for something?  | Y | N |
| 7. Does your child ever use his/her index finger to point to indicate interest in something?                              | Y | N |
| 8. Can your child play properly with small toys ( e.g. cars or bricks) without just mouthing, fiddling, or dropping them? | Y | N |
| 9. Does your child ever bring objects over to you (parent) to show you something?   | Y | N |
| 10. Does your child look you in the eye for more than a second or two?  | Y | N |
| 11. Does your child ever seem oversensitive to noise? (e.g. plugging ears)  | Y | N |
| 12. Does your child smile in response to your face or your smile  | Y | N |
| 13. Does your child imitate you? (e.g. you make a face – will your child imitate it?)                                     | Y | N |
| 14. Does your child respond to his/her name when you call it?   | Y | N |
| 15. If you point at a toy across the room, does your child look at it?  | Y | N |
| 16. Does your child walk?   | Y | N |
| 17. Does your child look at things you are looking at?  | Y | N |
| 18. Does your child make unusual finger movements near his/her face?  | Y | N |
| 19. Does your child try to attract your attention to his/her own activity?  | Y | N |
| 20. Have you ever wondered if your child is deaf?   | Y | N |
| 21. Does your child understand what people say?   | Y | N |
| 22. Does your child sometimes stare at nothing or wander with no purpose?   | Y | N |
| 23. Does your child look at your face to check your reaction when faced with something unfamiliar?                        | Y | N |

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