

PDD Behavior Inventory™ (PDDBI™)

FEATURES

The frequency with which Pervasive Development Disorders (autism, Asperger disorder, childhood disintegrative disorder and pervasive development disorder – not otherwise specified) are diagnosed has increased. A growing number of treatments seek to address the need for therapeutic intervention. Increased research and attention for Pervasive Development Disorders (PDD) has created a demand for instruments designed to assess the efficacy of treatment. **The PDD Behavior Inventory (PDDBI) is a rating instrument or scale designed to evaluate children aged 2 to 12 with PDD.** The PDDBI can be used to measure efficacy of treatment. It is also useful for defining behavior subgroups, answering questions related to school placement and aiding diagnostic evaluations. The PDDBI is completed by both parents and teachers and assesses a variety of behaviors, social skills, and language skills. The inventory provides age-normed standard scores and confidence limits. The PDDBI is unique because it is the only rating instrument age-normed on well-defined autism cases.

BENEFITS

- Reliable and valid
- Designed to evaluate treatment
- Measures both maladaptive and adaptive behaviors
- Distinguishes between development and changes due to treatment

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