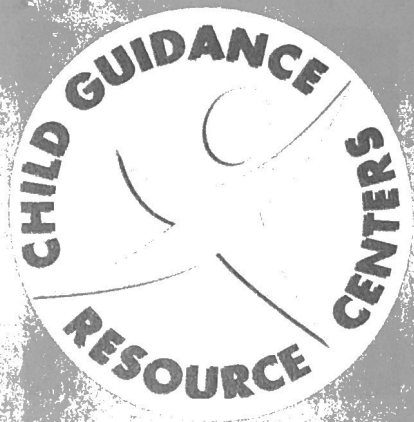




EXTENDED ASSESSMENT SERVICES

Designing the right path of
treatment for your child.



Awarded by the City of Philadelphia as an Autism Center for Excellence. Child Guidance provides high quality, community-based, therapeutic, supportive and preventive behavioral healthcare to assess and treat children, adolescents and families with mental health and developmental diagnoses.

To begin Extended Assessment, call our Access Coordinator at 267-713-4132 to schedule an intake appointment.

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THE CHALLENGE

With the staggering amount of information about autism, we know it can be an overwhelming, confusing process to sift through it all. At times, it feels as though you may never find clarity around a diagnosis or support for your child. Without the right tools and expertise, your child can easily be misdiagnosed and may not receive the most appropriate services to resolve his or her challenge.

THE SOLUTION

Child Guidance's Autism Center for Excellence offers Extended Assessment Services (EAS) for children ages 2-21 years of age. EAS is an in-depth evaluation process to establish diagnostic clarification of autism and other disorders. EAS takes place over a two month period and consists of a series of appointments. Your child will participate in an intake assessment, diagnostic testing, observations, and a psychological evaluation. To make the most accurate diagnosis, your clinician will observe your child in real-life situations at school, home, and in the community. At the end of EAS, you will receive a diagnosis, answers to your concerns, treatment recommendations, and a plan for the future.

THE BENEFITS

- ✧ The Extended Assessment process creates a unique, comprehensive treatment plan specific to your child consisting of services that will provide the best opportunity for success.
- ✧ Observing your child in his or her natural environments— home, school and community— creates a more accurate picture of the behavioral supports needed in different settings.
- ✧ EAS gives you informed answers to your questions about your child's behavioral and mental health concerns.
- ✧ EAS provides both correct diagnoses and plans for the next steps to success for your child.