

FAQ: ASQ:SE-2

See also ASQ:SE-2 User Guide.

What is the ASQ:SE-2?

- “Ages & Stages Questionnaires®: Social-Emotional, Second Edition” (ASQ:SE-2; Squires, Bricker & Twombly, 2015).
- A standardized screening tool to identify young children at risk for Social-Emotional delays.
- A parent-report tool that can be administered during well-child visits.
- The ASQ: SE- 2 asks parents questions about social or emotional difficulties.

When should it be used?

- Validated for use with children ages 1-72 months.
- General developmental screening tools may not sufficiently screen for social-emotional concerns
 - A companion to the ASQ-3.
- When parents report a social, emotional or behavioral concern.

How does it work?

- Current version includes 9 age-appropriate questionnaires
 - 2-, 6-, 12-, 18-, 24-, 30-, 36-, 48-, and 60-month intervals
- Questions in 7 behavioral areas (approximately 30 questions total):
 - Self-regulation, compliance, communication, adaptive functioning, autonomy, affect, and interaction with people.
 - Response options include: *often or always*, *sometimes*, *rarely or never* and *Check if this is a concern*
- Separate “Overall Section” provides additional information:
 - Areas include eating/sleeping/toileting concerns, any additional worries, and what caregivers enjoy about their child.
- Can be completed by caregivers in 10-15 minutes.
- Written at the 4th-6th grade reading level.
- Available in English and Spanish.
- For experienced personnel, scoring should take about 2-3 minutes.
- Minimal training is required to administer or score the tool.

Anything else I should know?

- The ASQ:SE-2 is a copyrighted instrument; it can be purchased from Brookes Publishing.
- Sensitivity: 81%; Specificity: 83%
- ASQ-3 is also available.

Where can I get more information or training?

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The ASQ:SE-2 focuses on social emotional skills and behavior.



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