



The **NIH Autism Center for Excellence at the University of Pittsburgh** is studying how people with autism think. Our research hopes to learn how areas of the brain communicate with each other and how the brain functions differently in individuals with autism. We now have new studies that require a broader range of participants than ever before and new enrollment is critical to our success.

We are now accepting:

- ◆ **Verbal Individuals**
- ◆ **Between the Ages of 5-45**
- ◆ **IQ > 80**
- ◆ **Autism Spectrum Disorders**
- ◆ **Typically developing individuals to help us compare results**

If you or your child participate, you will receive a research diagnostic report including; IQ, language and problem-solving, and social thinking tests. There is no cost for participating in the research. Testing times are scheduled based on the participant's availability. Participants are compensated for completing tests plus travel expenses are paid for by the study. Testing may include :

- ◆ **Computer Testing**
- ◆ **Eye Movement Testing**
- ◆ **fMRI Imaging**
- ◆ **Paper and Pencil Tests**

No Medications Involved

To determine if you or your child is eligible, please contact us:

- ◆ **1-866 647-3436**
- ◆ **autismrecruiter@upmc.edu**
- ◆ **www.pittautismresearch.org**