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Early Autism Screening - the Children's Health Council has Specialized Expertise

PALO ALTO, Calif., November 5, 2007 – The American Academy of Pediatrics released a report urging autism screening of all children at their regular doctor visits at age 18 and 24 months. The studies document early warning signs and symptoms meant to help parents and doctors recognize autism earlier in child development, as early identification can lead to improved outcome. Expert staff at the Children's Health Council representing various aspects of a child's development from behavior, to speech/language skills, to cognition and education can answer questions, as well as provide assessment and treatment services for children (ages 1 – 18) who may be demonstrating behaviors associated with autism spectrum disorders.

About the Children's Health Council

The Children's Health Council (CHC), has a long-standing history of serving children who face developmental, behavioral, emotional and learning challenges.

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