

Dr. Jim Langley



Dr. Jimmy Langley is a licensed clinical psychologist, and received his master's and doctorate degrees in Clinical Psychology from the University of Denver. As a full-time therapist at Knippenberg, Patterson & Associates, Jimmy works with families to restore a sense of love, dignity, and effective communication to

relationships. As Director of Psychological and Autism Spectrum Disorder Testing, he provides comprehensive assessment to both children and adults. Jimmy has specialized training in working with parents and their children struggling with Attention-Deficit/Hyperactivity disorder and other behavioral issues. His passion is to empower others to live full lives by developing their strengths to meet life's challenges. Jimmy is a father of four boys, and understands the challenges of creating a joyful family!

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General Information

Why seek an ASD evaluation?

Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) is a treatable condition, but early identification and intervention is essential for success. An evaluation will not only clarify a diagnosis, but it will also help to determine what specific interventions will be most effective—often saving families money, stress, and will help prepare your child for the most successful life possible.

What Is Autism Spectrum Disorder?

Have you ever wondered why your child seems to have problems with social interaction, language development, or disruptive behavior? Autism affects 1 in 88 children and is one of the fastest growing conditions over the past 20 years. Signs that your child may have an Autism Spectrum Disorder include:

- Impaired speech development
- Problems with socialization including difficulties forming friendships, interacting appropriately, and reading social cues
- Sensory problems including hypersensitivity to sounds, taste, or touch
- Overly concrete/rigid thinking
- Aggressive behavior, such as hitting, biting, or yelling



With proper diagnosis and treatment, individuals on the Autism Spectrum can go on to have joyful and successful lives. In fact, people with Autism can develop significant strengths in many different aspects of life, including school, career, and relationships.

Testing at Knippenberg, Patterson & Associates

Our Testing Guarantee

At Knippenberg, Patterson & Associates, completing testing in a timely manner is of the utmost importance. Therefore, we guarantee that you will receive the evaluation report no later than two weeks after all testing data is collected (this includes any outside input from a parent, teacher, or professional). If you do not receive the report within that time frame, you will receive a \$500.00 refund on your testing fee.

Evaluation Fees

After a free consultation is conducted, pricing as is follows:

Comprehensive Autism Evaluation: \$2000
Additional Feedback Sessions: \$165

Testing fees are typically paid in two installments, one-half of the total fee is due at the beginning of the testing process and the other half is due at the end in order to receive the written report and feedback. While a significant cost for many families, the expense is often insurance-reimbursable.

Call Dr. Jim Langley (303.756.4924, ext. 5) for additional information on testing services and tests offered at Knippenberg, Patterson & Associates.

To learn more about our practice and programs, access additional testing information, and/or e-mail us, please visit our website.

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To schedule an evaluation, contact Dr. Jim Langley (303.756.4924, ext. 5) and indicate your interest in *Autism Spectrum Testing and Evaluations*.

Testing Specifics

Components of an Test

You will initially receive a **Free Consultation** to determine whether an evaluation is appropriate. Once complete, a typical autism evaluation assesses the following domains:

- Behavioral assessment using the Autism Diagnostic Observation Schedule—2
- Cognitive/Intellectual assessment
- Extensive interviews with caretakers and real-world observation

The Testing Process

- The first step involves a series of in-depth interviews with the parents, teachers, and other caretakers in the client's life. In these sessions, your psychologist will collect key data to include in the final report.
- The second step is the direct testing phase in which your child's behavioral, cognitive, and emotional functioning will be assessed in a comprehensive, yet therapeutic way. During these meetings, your psychologist works to form a good connection with your child and to make the testing process enjoyable.
- The final step in the testing process is to analyze the testing data and integrate it along with the interview data into a comprehensive report. Your psychologist will then meet with you to review the results and create a personalized treatment plan to help with parenting, education, socialization, and extra resources for a successful life.

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