

ADOS-2 Introductory

Autism Diagnostic Observation Schedule – Second Edition

What is the ADOS-2?

The Autism Diagnostic Observation Schedule – Second Edition (ADOS-2) is a semi-structured, standardised assessment of communication, social interaction, and play. It provides a series of standardised contexts in which the individual's social communication, and repetitive, stereotyped behaviours can be observed. It has been designed to assist in the diagnosis of autism and is a complementary instrument to the Autism Diagnostic Interview Revised (ADI-R). Standardised toys and activities are used to present opportunities for social and communicative interaction with the examiner. A diagnostic algorithm consistent with DSM-V and ICD-10 clinical diagnoses is generated.

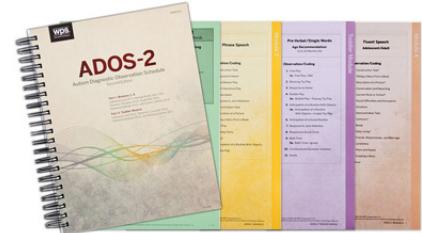
What does the training include?

This two-day workshop introduces the ADOS-2 as an assessment tool and is a first step in the process for establishing reliability. During this training you will:

- Learn about how the ADOS-2 works
- Watch and code video recordings of demonstrations of Modules 1-4
- Discuss administration, coding, and reliability

Completion of pre-course materials is required.

This training does not include the Toddler Module; contact us for details.



Who is the training for?

Psychologists, speech pathologists, occupational therapists, paediatricians, and psychiatrists.

Who provides the training?

Psychologist Deborah Sweeney has been training clinicians in the use of the ADI-R and ADOS-2 for many years throughout Asia and the Pacific region. Deborah was previously working in autism research at Monash University and now works in private practice providing consultation for complex presentations of autism.

Prerequisite Training

For child & adolescent clinicians:

Autism Assessment Fundamentals and Co-occurring Conditions

OR

For adult clinicians:

Adult Autism Introductory + Adult Autism Advanced

Please see our FAQs on our website for further information on prerequisites.

DATES (8:30am – 4:30pm)

Thursday 26 – Friday 27 February (live Zoom webinar)

Thursday 19 – Friday 20 March (**in person, VIC**)

Thursday 23 – Friday 24 April (live Zoom webinar)

Thursday 28 – Friday 29 May (**in person, VIC**)

Thursday 25 – Friday 26 June (live Zoom webinar)

COST: \$1,025 / \$500*

*Subsidised rate for Victorian clinicians in ICYMH, AMHS/Forensicare, headspace, Take Two, ACCHOs, & Children's Health & Wellbeing Locals.

Register online at mindful.org.au/autism-training

These workshops are not recorded.

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