

Shaping Assessment. Deepening Autism Knowledge.

This World Autism Awareness Day, we stand with the global community in recognizing and supporting autistic individuals, their families, and the professionals who work alongside them every day.

As part of the Hogrefe Publishing Group, we are committed to contributing to the development of assessments that deepen understanding across the Autism Spectrum Disorder pathway.

Collaboration, scientific rigor, and advancing evidence-based practice are central to our mission.

 **We are pleased to announce that the Hogrefe Group will be at the [INSAR Annual Meeting 2026](#), taking place **April 22–25 in Prague**.**

As one of the leading international scientific conferences dedicated to autism research, INSAR brings together researchers, clinicians, and experts shaping the future of the field.

 **If you are attending, come meet us at our booth!**

We look forward to connecting with the research community, discussing future collaborations, and sharing our latest publications and assessment tools.

Together, let's continue to advance understanding, promote inclusion, and support high-quality autism research.

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#AutismAcceptance #Prague2026

Hogrefe - Assessment in ASD: from diagnosis and beyond

This World Autism Awareness Day, we highlight the essential role of high-quality, scientifically based assessment across the Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD) pathway.

ASD has evolved from narrowly defined early descriptions to a unified spectrum in DSM-5/DSM-5-TR and ICD-11, supported by a growing body of research, much of it driven by the ASD community itself.

Today, best-practice assessment combines gold-standard diagnostic behavioral observation and interviews with multi-domain psychometric tools covering sensory processing, communication, sociocognitive abilities, adaptive behavior, and more. The goal: truly individualized assessments and tailored intervention plans throughout the lifespan.

At Hogrefe, we are proud to contribute to the autism care pathway by publishing, adapting, and providing training on cornerstone assessment tools.

 **Discover our latest tool for early identification of the likelihood of ASD in toddlers: the ESB!**

The Early Sociocognitive Battery broadens the understanding around a child's early development, empowering caregivers to make informed decisions and offer the support each child needs.

We also recognize that despite significant progress, key challenges remain. Our commitment is unwavering: to continually enhance assessments on a global level, so that every diagnostic decision and environmental adaptation helps autistic individuals live better, more fulfilling lives.

Together, let's continue to advance knowledge and evolve practices to provide better support for people with autism at every stage of life.

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