

autism saliva test

• Highly accurate in

from non-ASD

differentiating ASD

### About Clarifi ASD™

- Saliva test measuring non-coding RNA and the microbiome
- Results indicate likelihood of an autism diagnosis (0-100%)
- Validated 18 months through 6 years of age
- Supported by peer reviewed research
- Prescription use only

## **Clinical Application**



Diagnostic aid: Clarifi ASD™ is intended to be used with children when there is a suspicion of autism (e.g. positive screening results) as early as 18 months.



HCP collaboration: Test results (0-100%) can facilitate collaboration between primary care and clinicians conducting diagnostic evaluations to expedite early intervention services.



Another tool in the toolbox: Test results provide primary care and specialists biological data to complement behavioral assessments.



Insight for parents: Provides added clarity and prompts next steps toward intervention.



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#### Science

Years of research at large academic institutions led to the discovery that non-coding RNAs as well as microbial RNAs in the microbiome, could accurately differentiate children with autism spectrum disorder.

#### How to order Clarifi ASD™

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