



Research

Aspect Australia



Easy English

Blue words



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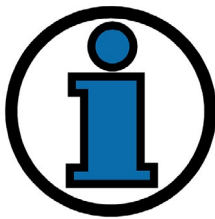
We write what the blue words mean.

Help with this book



You can get someone to help you

- understand this book
- find more information.



Contact information is at the end of this book.

About this book



This book is from Aspect Australia.



This book is about our **research**.



Research is when we try to learn more about

- autism
- how to support autistic people.



We do research because we want to

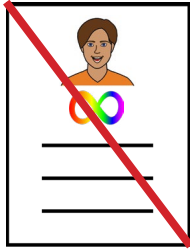
- make sure we are doing a good job
- help the community understand autism
- help the community understand the best way to work with autistic people.





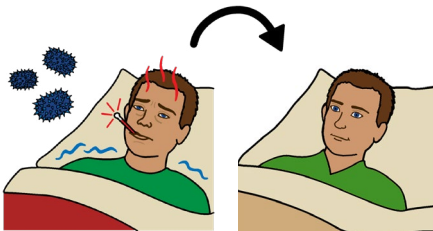
When we do research we

- follow what the law says about research

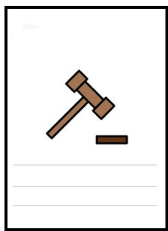


- do **not** look into why people are autistic

- do **not** look for a **cure** for autism.



A cure is something that can make a disease or illness go away.



We will follow a **code of ethics**.



Code of ethics means the rules to

- keep people who are part of our research safe



- make sure we do our research the right way.

We want our research to be **inclusive**.



Inclusive means everyone

- can be part of our research



- feels important.



Our staff can

- tell us their ideas for new research

- help us do research



- give talks about our research.

We will work with autistic people



We will work with autistic people when we

- think about the research we will do



- do the research



- write about our research.



We will also ask autistic people to

- work with us



- be part of our research.

Help with our research



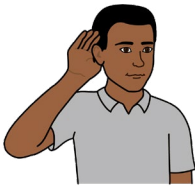
If you help us with research we will

- **not** share information about you with anyone
- **respect** you.



Respect means that we will

- use good manners



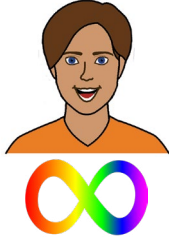
- listen to you



- **not** hurt you.

How we choose what to research

When we choose what to research we think about



- what autistic people want us to research



- what family members and carers of autistic people want us to research



- how the research would help us

- how the research would help the autistic community



- how much the research would cost.

What we do with our research

When we finish research about something we will



- make sure autistic people know what we learn



- make sure the rest of the community knows what we learn.



To share what we learn in our research we will

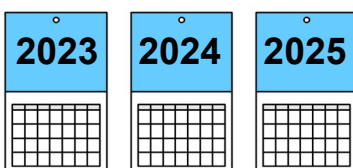
- tell the people who give us money for research



- write news articles



- give talks to other organisations.



Every year we will write about the research we have done.

More information



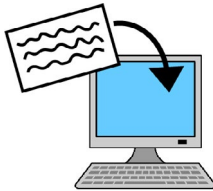
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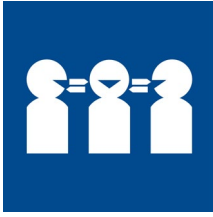


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