### Our Idea

Individuals with autism spectrum disorder and their families need sensitive and specific attendance in order to face the constantly changing challenges in their everyday lives.

The main goal of treatment is to encourage individual development and potential. We focus on facilitating social communication and the highest possible independence. Caregivers will be involved in treatment strategies.

We apply state of the art therapeutic techniques that have been shown to be effective in current research.

We combine therapy and research disentangle the underlying mechanisms of autism, predictors of positive development and optimal outcome. From our insights, we derive new interventions so that our patients receive the best treatment possible.





### Our Offers

We offer individually tailored, developmental, behavioural interventions for children, adolescents and young adults with autism spectrum disorder:

- Early intervention for toddlers and pre-schoolers including intensive caregiver involvement
- Counseling and training for caregivers
- Intervention in groups and individually for school children, adolescents and young adults
- Supervision of professional rehabilitation
- Networking for professionals in health care

A therapy typically starts with a thorough individual assessment of present challenges. Subsequently, consensual goals are agreed on and corresponding therapeutic tools are chosen. Interventions will always be based on the individual family situation and current resources available. Therapists will conduct regular assessments of progress during the intervention process and discuss adaptations with their clients.

## **Our Team**

We work as a multidisciplinary team consisting of psychologists, psychotherapists, language therapists and childhood specialists. All members have undergone autism-specific training.



We cooperate with the specialised outpatient clinic for autism spectrum disorders at the department of child and adolescent psychiatry at the university hospital in Marburg.

Co-occuring mental disorders can be treated in an individual psychotherapy. We work hand in hand with resident psychotherapists and Philipps-University Marburg training institutes for psychotherapy.

# How you can find us:

15-minute walk from Marburg Main Station.

Bus line 8, Stop Ortenbergplatz.

By car via motorway exit *Marburg Mitte.* Parking available at Rudolf-Bultmann Str. or at Parkhaus Lokschuppen.









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