

## **AUTISM**

# **Nutritional Support Protocol**

#### **Lifestyle Recommendations:**

- 1. Avoid antibiotics, acetaminophen, aspirin and prescription drugs.
- 2. Participate in vigorous aerobic exercise for 20 minutes, 3 4 times each week. Exercise reduces anxiety, improves sleep, and helps those with autism to maintain normal weight.
- 3. Engage in mental exercise by consistently learning new skills and information.
- 4. Avoid exposure to heavy metal toxins such as mercury, arsenic, copper, aluminum, and lead. A study showed that 6 out of every 18 children with autism have extremely high levels of toxins in their bodies. Cognitive, physiological, and behavior issues can all stem from toxin build-up.

#### **Dietary Recommendations:**

- 1. Gluten and casein containing foods should be eliminated. Especially avoid all wheat flour products such as pasta and bread as well as dairy products such as milk and cheese.
- 2. Avoid or limit caffeine and other potentially neurotoxic compounds like aspartame and MSG.
- 3. Emphasize omega 3 fatty acids (salmon, mackerel, herring) and omega 9 fats (olive oil, olives, almonds, hazelnuts, avocados and macadamia oil).
- 4. Eat 5-9 servings of fresh fruits and vegetables daily OR add one heaping tablespoon of PaleoGreens and PaleoReds to your favorite drink.
- 5. Consume PaleoMeal or Whey Cool daily to raise glutathione levels.

### **Supplement Recommendations:**

In addition to the core nutrient program recommended by your Health Care Professional and/or from the results of your most recent Designs for Health Metabolic Profile:

**XanthOmega:** 2 softgels with breakfast and dinner

Brain Vitale caps or powder: 2 capsules with breakfast and lunch or 1 tspn powder

**Carnosine Supreme:** 1 capsule with breakfast and dinner

**Detox Antiox:** 1 capsule with breakfast, lunch, and dinner

If needed for yeast and/or microbial infections:

Allicillin: 1 capsule with breakfast and lunch GI-Microb-X: 1 capsule with breakfast and lunch

*If needed for digestive support:* 

**AllerGzyme:** 1 capsule with each meal, especially if gluten/casein containing

*If needed for GI repair:* 

**GI Revive:** 1 teaspoon in water or juice with breakfast and dinner

**Tegricel Colostrum:** 1 capsule with breakfast and lunch

Consider Mercury Removal Protocol if needed.

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