

I would like to submit my considerations regarding social and emotional well being checks for children between 0 and 3 years: I believe the screening questions are so subjective that any child could be at risk of being such labeled mentally ill, and recommended for a prescription of psychiatric drugs. Symptoms for so-called psychiatric disorders for 0 to 3 year olds include: irregular feeding, difficulty sleeping, whining, crying, temper tantrums, shyness, sleeping with the light on and hyperactivity. These are normal childhood behaviors.

I believe that the screening of these children could result in many of them incorrectly labeled as mentally ill and being prescribed harmful drugs with many bad side effects I believe that it would be destructive rather than beneficial to go ahead with the screening