

# Project ECHO Ontario Child and Youth Mental Health

## Outstanding Questions

Question	Answer
<b>How would you distinguish between the repetitive behaviours of ASD with OCD?</b>	The compulsive behaviours of OCD can look like those of ASD, but the key difference is the absence of signs and symptoms of the ASD. OCD is reflecting psychopathology in a specific area of the brain. Children and youth with ASD have signs and symptoms consistent with psychopathology in many areas of the brain.