

# Assessment Measures

# **NEPSY-II:** Neuropsychological Assessment, Second Edition Full Profile Review

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#### Name of the measure

NEPSY-II: Neuropsychological Assessment, Second Edition

## Author(s) / Publisher(s)

- English original (US)

Author: M. Korkman, U. Kirk & S. Kemp.

Publisher: Pearson assessments.

- Dutch translation (NL)

Author: R. Zijlstra, A. Kingma, H. Swaab & W. Brouwer.

- Spanish translation (ES)

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## **Age Range**

3-7 years

### Age Range Information

3-16 years (NEPSY-II has two forms, one for ages of 3 through 4 and the other to ages for 5 through 16).

# **SEL Skills targeted**

Self-management, Social and emotional development

#### Scales and Subscales

NEPSY-II can assess six domains through 32 subtests:

Attention and executive functioning;

Language;

Memory and learning;

Sensorimotor;

Visuospatial processing;

Social perception.

#### Sources of information

Child

#### Formats for administration

Direct assessment

#### **Administration**

Time required depends on the level of administration:

General assessment:

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preschool ages: 45 minutes;

school-ages: 1 hour;

Diagnostic and selective assessments: time depends;

Comprehensive assessment: preschool ages: 90 minutes; school-ages: 2-3 hours.

# Scoring

Electronic

## **Scoring information**

Electronic. The NEPSY-II has a scoring assistant and an assessment planner.

## **Psychometric Properties**

Both internal reliability coefficients and test-retest reliability correlations are adequate to very high. Also, NEPSY-II presents a medium to large correlation with other IQ tests, such as WISC - 4th edition and DAS-II, and with other cognitive and neuropsychological tests, like CMS and D-KEFS.

## **Training**

Must be applied by psychologists.

# **Strengths and Weaknesses**

Strengths: one of the few neuropsychological battery for children and very good psychometric properties.

Weaknesses: complex and requires time to train and only has a few independent studies.

#### Other Relevant Information

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