

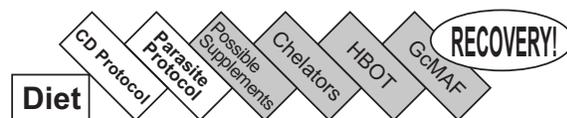
# CD Autism Facts Sheet

## What is CD?

CD is the abbreviation for chlorine dioxide, which is a gas that is produced when 28% sodium chlorite solution is mixed with an acid (e.g., lemon juice, citric acid, or hydrochloric acid). In 1997, chlorine dioxide was found to kill the parasite that causes malaria (see *Red Cross Field Test* below). Further research revealed that people with many other ailments could benefit from the use of CD. In 2010, the biomedical autism community began to use CD as a means to improve their children's health. Extensive case histories<sup>1,2,3</sup> exist showing improvements in the symptoms of autism, Lyme disease, fibromyalgia, seizure disorder, cancer, infections of all kinds, dental issues, and even HIV/AIDS.

## What about the complete CD Autism Protocol?

The complete protocol looks a little something like this where each step builds upon the previous one. It is a combination of biomedical interventions, applied in a certain order, with allowances for the varying needs of each individual child. The entire Protocol is spelled out in detail in the SECOND EDITION of *Healing the Symptoms Known as Autism*, by Kerri Rivera.<sup>4</sup> This protocol is literally the cutting edge of biomedical interventions for autism. With that said, families began using CD in diluted potencies for their children on the spectrum in 2010. The *Kalcker Parasite Protocol* was added soon after. In the nearly 4 years that families have been using the CD Autism Protocol, it has spread to over 60 countries, over 12 languages, and with well over 15,000 members in our various Facebook groups. So far, 165 (March 2015) children have lost their diagnosis, and hundreds of testimonials add to the anecdotal evidence that this protocol is safe and effective.



## A little CD Autism history:

Kerri Rivera's son Patrick was diagnosed with autism in 2004. From that day forward she searched tirelessly for answers to help her son, and improve his health. She felt strongly that her son was not born with autism and he should not have to die with it. This led to extensive networking with parents, doctors, and professionals in the autism community, but unfortunately resulted in a lot of lost time and wasted money on interventions that didn't work. From 2006-2012, Kerri operated *AutismO2*, a hyperbaric clinic in Puerto Vallarta, which included a support group for local parents. Through using the protocol formerly known as *DANI*, some children, but not enough of them improved from symptoms of autism. In 2010, CD came into her life, and with it undeniably positive changes in Patrick. As he continued to improve, she began to tell other parents about CD, and they too saw unmistakable gains in their children. This was the beginning of the CD Autism movement.

## The Recoveries

Since Kerri Rivera began helping children with autism through biomedical interventions, 165 (March 2015) children and counting have lost their autism diagnosis. These recoveries span the globe and include individuals ranging from 2 to 31 years of age! This completely shatters the belief that after the age of 9 children can no longer recover from an autism diagnosis. One of the recovered teens is soon heading to the university.<sup>5</sup> Another child stood up with Kerri at *AutismOne* 2014 and brought the audience to tears as she shared her own recovery story.<sup>6</sup>

## The Red Cross Field Test

In December of 2012, The *Water Reference Center* (WRC)<sup>7</sup>, an affiliate organization of the Red Cross, performed a documented field test in Uganda in which 154 malaria patients were given activated sodium chlorite (which generates chlorine dioxide). All 154 patients tested negative for malaria within 24-48 hours. The WRC and the Red Cross insisted on keeping the results quiet. Eventually the results were made public in May 2013 via an amateur video<sup>8</sup> produced by the individual who trained the Red Cross staff on CD malaria protocol. Unfortunately, on May 15, 2013, the Red Cross dissociated itself in the strongest terms from the test and its results.<sup>9</sup> Soon thereafter, a professional video<sup>10</sup> produced by the WRC was discovered and released showing the details of the test along with glowing statements by Red Cross officials and the CEO of the WRC, which are in sharp contrast to their public statements on the issue.<sup>9,11</sup>

## Who can benefit from the CD Autism Protocol?

Anyone! Although this protocol was written to help improve symptoms in children with an autism diagnosis, it has proved effective for a variety of ailments. The beauty of the protocol is that it focuses on eliminating injurious excesses (viruses, bacteria, fungi, parasites, heavy metals, and food allergies), rather than supplementing deficiencies (i.e., nutrients). Pathogens and parasites are at the core of the majority of illnesses in our world today. The first three steps of the Protocol target these invaders.

## What research has been done on CD?

A growing grassroots effort by researchers worldwide has discovered that CD provides surprising health benefits if used properly. Private companies have also done extensive testing into the properties of chlorine dioxide.<sup>12</sup> Doctors worldwide (especially in South America and Africa) have been using CD for a variety of ailments for over a decade. Countless individuals around the world use it, benefit, and routinely share their experiences online.<sup>13</sup> In addition, a study conducted by Lubbers et al., demonstrated that chlorine dioxide in aqueous solution in increasing doses produced no harmful effects in otherwise healthy adult subjects.<sup>14</sup>

## Doctors?

Some progressive doctors (especially in South America) recommend the Protocol to parents, and many use it as an adjunct intervention in their own practices. In first world countries, some will talk positively about the protocol off the record.

## FDA Uses

The FDA has approved the use of chlorine dioxide for disinfecting fruits and vegetables, for water purification, for sterilization in hospitals, and many other uses. CD has been patented for many uses in the medical field.<sup>100-110</sup> There are also numerous products on the market that contain CD as an active ingredient.<sup>200-210</sup>

## Recognition in the EU for Treatment of ALS

As of September 2013 the European Union approved sodium chlorite (the precursor to chlorine dioxide, and in many ways a more potent oxidizer) as a medical product for the treatment of Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis (ALS or Lou Gehrig's disease).<sup>15</sup>

### “Chlorine dioxide sounds like bleach or what goes in my swimming pool.”

**Chemistry 101:** At room temperature sodium is a highly reactive metal that will violently combust in the presence of oxygen, while chlorine in doses as little as one part per thousand in air causes death. However, when sodium and chlorine combine the result is sodium chloride, commonly known as *table salt*. Similarly, *chlorine dioxide* contains the word “chlorine” in its name, but is completely different from *Clorox* bleach or pool chlorine, both of which can be poisonous and/or cancer causing if used on or in the human body excessively.<sup>16,17</sup> Chlorine dioxide has an amazing ability to destroy (through oxidation) disease-causing microorganisms on or in the human body. The chemistry of chlorine dioxide allows it to destroy these microorganisms in such a manner that it is simultaneously destroyed, leaving nothing behind but table salt, discharged oxygen atoms, and dead microorganisms.

### “I read on a forum that CD can cause vomiting, diarrhea and even seizures.”

The forums are a place where parents share highs and lows while on the protocol, and posts taken out of context can make it seem like CD is responsible for these reactions. As far as vomiting and diarrhea are concerned, the protocol always tells parents to go low and slow, and stay under a Herxheimer reaction<sup>18</sup>, caused by excess endotoxins produced as a result of CD induced pathogen death.<sup>19</sup> There are plenty of studies linking autism and underlying infections/pathogens.<sup>20,21,22</sup> It is worth noting that diarrhea/constipation, gut dysbiosis, and much worse are common to most children in the autism community, especially those not using the Protocol. Seizures are poorly understood by the medical community in general, and can have many causes such as vaccine injury,<sup>23</sup> high ammonia<sup>24,25</sup> from parasites,<sup>26,27</sup> low minerals, excess glutamates,<sup>28</sup> etc. There is no study (animal or human) linking chlorine dioxide to seizures.

### “Isn't CD industrial strength bleach?”

Just because a chemical is used in industry doesn't make it off-limits for applications in health. Water is used extensively in industry as well as medicine and, of course, we require it for life. The paper industry uses chlorine dioxide to whiten pulp because it is effective with minimal environmental impact. The concentrations used by industry to “bleach” pulp are a whopping 22,000 times stronger than a typical oral dose for a 80kg man.<sup>29</sup> What would happen if you took an aspirin that was 22,000 times stronger than the recommended dose? There is no comparison. Concentrated CD solution can stain clothes, but so can lemon juice, red wine and various other foods. Just because something can alter the color of clothing does not produce any correlation to its safety when correctly applied.

### “But I don't want to change my child's personality...”

CD does not have the power to change someone's personality or to take away the innate gifts that they were given when they were born into this world. There is a difference between the behaviors that lead to an autism diagnosis and someone's personality. For example, rages, self-injurious behavior, inability to express oneself, and an inability to sense danger are not character traits, but rather symptoms caused by underlying pathology. What CD does have the power to do is eliminate pathogens, heavy metals, and some parasites. Our 165 (March 2015) recovered children still have their unique personalities and gifts, and now they are able to choose how to express themselves and use their gifts. Their parents will tell you that they are just as loving, joyful, inquisitive, rambunctious, and full of life as ever!

### “I could never give an enema...”

Enemas have been used for thousands of years.<sup>30</sup> Cleansing the colon is tremendously beneficial to the body; removing pathogens and toxins leads to an overall improvement in health. CD Autism encourages parents to try enemas for themselves first to become familiar with the sensation, and reap the benefits. Once you see for yourself how straightforward enemas are, you will be much better equipped to apply them to your child. The CD Autism Protocol has specific instructions on how to do the process safely, as well as guidelines for frequency and quantity.

### “Kerri Rivera must be getting rich. Probably pays people to write Amazon reviews...”

Kerri helped families on a full-time basis from 2006 to 2013 without ever earning a penny. Only after receiving her degree in homeopathy did she begin charging for guidance consultations. She directed a hyperbaric clinic from 2006-2012, which allowed many low-income families to have access to hyperbaric treatments at no cost. Today, there are real costs associated with our website, newsletter, book publication, and travels to conferences. All readers are encouraged to review the book. Kerri has never paid anyone to write a book review. Positive reviews on Amazon are from real people who are satisfied with the results they have achieved from using the protocols.

## Who is behind this CD Autism Facts Sheet and why?

This Facts Sheet is produced and maintained by a group of people involved with CD Autism who are dedicated to helping families heal their children so they can lead full, happy, healthy lives. The intent of this Facts Sheet is to provide just enough basic information to do further research.

## Complete book Healing the Symptoms Known as Autism is now available for FREE.

The controversy surrounding the CD Autism Protocol has recently been fueled by sensationalistic news reports containing substantial distortions of what this protocol actually involves. Therefore, Kerri Rivera has decided to release the E-Book version into the public domain. This is being done to prevent the CD Autism Protocol from being censored. There are no strings attached. You don't have to identify yourself or provide an email address to download a PDF copy of the entire book at the following website:

<http://www.HealingTheSymptomsKnownAsAutism.com><sup>31</sup>

## References

See the following webpage for all references, additional information and links: <http://factsheetproject.org/cdautismfactsheet>

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