

Mañé Center

Outreach Clinic – November 13 & 14, 2009 Tampa, Florida

**For Children and Adults with Autism, PDD, AD(H)D,
Developmental Delays, Neuropsychiatric Disorders,
Tourette's Syndrome, and Behavioral Disorders**

Friday & Saturday 9:00 am - 5:00 pm by appointment only

Dr. Nelson Mañé, D.C.

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This Outreach Clinic will offer families an opportunity to do comprehensive, biomedical laboratory testing for children and adults with autism spectrum and related disorders. Comprehensive specialized testing panels, not available at traditional labs, will be offered at discounted pricing. This is a full service opportunity with an on-site practitioner and an experienced pediatric phlebotomist (available for any needed blood-work.)

It is recommended that families consider the "Comprehensive Approach" when selecting tests, as this would include a panel of tests that are designed to address imbalances associated with nutritional deficiencies, immune issues, digestive disorders, metabolic imbalances, heavy metal toxins, allergies, infectious conditions, and issues associated with oxidative stress.

Performing multiple tests increases the chances of identifying all areas that are likely to contribute to the symptoms at hand. Restoring balance to all functions of the body produces a synergy that cannot be achieved by addressing abnormalities individually. Knowing the full scope of the patient's metabolic state enables the physician to better design a treatment plan that is specific to the patient's needs. The Outreach Clinic Physician will address any concerns about the relevance of specific tests.

Nelson Mañé, D.C., a Biomedical Practitioner using the Defeat Autism Now! approach, will see patients on **Friday & Saturday** from **9:00 am to 5:00 pm** by appointment only. The goal is to improve the health and well-being of individuals using chiropractic, natural and biomedical treatment options.

Dr. Nelson Mañé is board certified in both chiropractic orthopedics and neurology. Licensed chiropractors in the state of Florida are considered primary care physicians and have full authority to analyze, diagnose, order testing, examine and provide treatment in accordance with Florida statutes. Dr. Mañé has been in private practice in Florida since 1985 and has additional sub-specialty training in childhood Neuro-Behavioral Disorders.

Dr. Mañé has attended Defeat Autism Now! Physician Training conferences and other workshops and is considered a biomedical practitioner in accordance with the Defeat Autism Now! approach for the treatment of autism and related disorders. He is a frequent speaker to parents, professionals, and support groups with the respect to Pediatric Neurological, Behavioral, and Developmental disorders along with biomedical and nutritional interventions.

To Schedule and Appointment Contact:

Dr. Nelson Mañé's office 813-935-4744

Discounted Test Panels

All laboratory testing will be done through The Great Plains Laboratory, Inc. (GPL.) GPL is considered an in-network provider with Blue Cross/Blue Shield PPO and as such, they can bill BC/BS directly for these tests (with the exception of the IgG Food Allergy test.) Please note that the List Price means Insurance Price. Other payment options are available (please see information below.)

The **Comprehensive Autism Panel** is offered at an **Outreach Discounted Panel price of \$1,453.00** for a **savings of \$363.00** to those using the patient cash price method (credit card or check). Other panels and individual tests are also available.

The **Basic Autism Panel** is offered at an **Outreach Discounted Panel price of \$879.00** for a **savings of \$155.00** to those using the patient cash price method (credit card or check). **Other panels and individual tests are also available.**

Test	Patient Cash Price	List Price
Advanced Cholesterol Profile	\$110.00	\$135.00
Comprehensive Stool Analysis	\$330.00	\$445.00
Copper/Zinc Profile	\$165.00	\$215.00
Ferritin Test	\$99.00	\$99.00
Gluten/Casein Peptides Test	\$110.00	\$110.00
IgG Food Allergy Test	\$219.00	* \$325.00
Immune Deficiency Profile	\$239.00	\$299.00
Metals Hair Test	\$135.00	\$245.00
Organic Acids Test	\$240.00	\$299.00
Streptococcus Antibodies Profile	\$70.00	\$85.00
Vitamin D Test	\$99.00	\$99.00
TOTAL	\$1,816.00	\$2,356.00

Outreach Discounted Panel Price for Cash Patient \$1,453.00

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Comprehensive Stool Analysis	\$330.00	\$445.00
Gluten/Casein Peptides Test	\$110.00	\$110.00
IgG Food Allergy Test	\$219.00	* \$325.00
Metals Hair Test	\$135.00	\$245.00
Organic Acids Test	\$240.00	\$299.00
TOTAL	\$1,034.00	\$1,424.00

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Please note: The IgG Food Allergy Test may not be covered by Blue Cross / Blue Shield insurance. This test must be paid in advance via cash, check or credit card at the clinic.

Three hours of fasting are recommended before the blood draw for the Advanced Cholesterol Profile and the Immune Deficiency Profile.

We encourage increasing fluid intake at least 24 hours prior to appointment, which will help with the blood draw process.

Clinic Costs

Dr. Mañé's initial 30-minute consultation at this Outreach Clinic will be \$150.00 and is due at the time of the Outreach Clinic appointment via check, cash, or credit card (MC/Visa/Amex).

The phlebotomy fee is \$30. An experienced pediatric phlebotomist will perform all necessary laboratory procedures for blood collection.

For testing fees: See discounted test panels. We accept checks & all major credit cards

All other specimens (urine and stool) will be collected at home. Any other recommended test kits will be available at the clinic to take home for collection.

Prepaid FedEx envelopes are in all kits to return specimen(s) to GPL. Results of testing will be sent to Dr. Mane's office within 4-6 weeks.

The follow-up appointment with Dr. Mañé will be billed separately at an hourly rate of \$250.00 and the appointment usually takes 60 minutes. The initial follow-up appointment will include a comprehensive physical examination and will take place in Dr. Mañé's office.

After reviewing test results, Dr. Mañé will develop a treatment plan for each patient individually. The fee for follow up biomedical appointments is \$150 per half hour. Hemispheric Integration Therapy is \$150.00 per treatment.

Insurance Information for Lab Testing

The Great Plains Laboratory, Inc. (GPL) is a preferred provider for Blue Cross / Blue Shield PPO insurance. This is the only insurance company which GPL will bill directly for laboratory testing and phlebotomy fees (except IgG Food Allergy Test);

To determine the amount of coverage, contact BCBS PPO and provide them with the CPT Codes (attached.) Most testing is covered; however, it is not guaranteed that BCBS PPO will cover any or all testing at 100%. It is the patient/parent responsibility to check with BCBS to inquire about covered costs co-pays/deductibles.

Many other major insurance Companies will cover at least a portion of laboratory testing through GPL, but HMO's typically will not provide any coverage. **A medical receipt with CPT and diagnostic codes will be provided,** and may be submitted to your insurance company (by you) for reimbursement. **If you have any questions regarding insurance billing please call 859-261-4503.**

Please be advised: Medicare, Medicaid, Champus or Tricare plans will not be accepted for payment of any fees or services at the outreach clinic.

Special discounted prices do NOT apply to anyone for whom insurance is filed. Individual list prices will apply for each test (as quoted above) for those submitting to BCBS PPO.

If insurance is NOT being filed, the total amount is due at the time of the appointment and may be paid via check or credit card.

Cancellation Policy: All Outreach Clinic appointments must be scheduled by November 6, 2009. We request that you schedule your appointment as soon as possible appointment times are limited. **In the event of a cancellation, please contact Dr. Mane's office prior to November 6 by calling Marilyn at 813-935-4744 extension 14 or emailing your cancellation request to administration@manecenter.com. Failure to do so could result in a charge to your credit card.**