

Web Table I Comparison of Children With Autism Spectrum Disorder and Typically Developing Children on Brief Assessment of Mealtime Behavior in Children

<i>Subscale/items of BAMBIC</i>	<i>Group</i>	<i>Never/seldom</i>	<i>Occasionally</i>	<i>Often/always</i>	<i>P value</i>
<i>Food refusal subscale</i>					
Screams during mealtimes	ASD TD	52.0 75.0	24.0 21.4	24.0 3.6	0.047
Turns face away from food	ASD TD	36.0 67.9	28.0 14.3	36.0 17.9	0.03
Closes mouth when food presented	ASD TD	40.0 67.9	16.0 14.3	44.0 17.9	0.04
<i>Limited variety subscale</i>					
Tries new foods	ASD TD	36.0 42.9	30.0 14.3	34.0 42.9	0.29
Dislikes certain foods	ASD TD	40.0 57.1	26.0 21.4	34.0 21.4	0.32
.Prefers same food	ASD TD	38.0 71.4	34.0 10.7	28.0 17.9	0.01
Accepts variety of foods	ASD TD	30.0 39.3	24.0 7.1	46.0 35.9	0.17
<i>Disruptive behavior subscale</i>					
Aggressive during mealtimes	ASD TD	50.0 78.6	22.0 10.7	28.0 10.7	0.04
Self-injurious at mealtimes	ASD TD	72.0 92.9	18.0 7.1	10.0 0.0	0.07
Disruptive during mealtimes	ASD TD	46.0 82.1	32.0 14.3	22.0 3.6	0.006

Values in percentages. BAMBIC-Brief assessment of mealtime behavior in children; TD-typically developing children ; ASD-autism spectrum disorder.