



Neuropsychology Expert of the Year

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About Dr. Helena Huckabee

Dr. Huckabee is a Clinical Neuropsychologist and Board Certified Behavior Analyst – Doctoral. As President and Founder of Emerge, she and her team of multidisciplinary clinicians have been providing evaluations, therapy, behavior analysis, and consultations for individuals since 2005. Emerge partners with the Universities of Denver, Colorado, and Northern Colorado to help train students in Counseling, Child/Family and School Psychology.

Dr. Huckabee has been providing expert witness services since 1998 on a wide range of cases including, abuse, head injury, and medical malpractice. She is particularly renowned in cases of co-occurring Autism and other developmental disorders, and her services have been secured by attorneys around the United States. Her notable cases include U.S. Supreme Court: *Endrew F. v. Douglas County School District*, March 2017. Dr. Huckabee is also a qualified expert on mood disorders, trauma, attachment, and pediatric neuropsychology. She is particularly knowledgeable about the familial and quality-of-life effects of injuries and abuse.

Last year, she co-authored the bestselling text "Assessment of Autism Spectrum Disorder: Critical Issues in Clinical, Forensic, and School Settings" published by Springer Science+Business Media. She also co-authored and testified for the Colorado Senate Bill which provides insurance reimbursement for treatment of Autism. She frequently provides services for the Colorado Physician Health Program, public and private schools, as well as State and Federal Public Defenders.

Dr. Huckabee holds her Ph.D. from the University of Houston and completed her Internship at Baylor College of Medicine. She has held leadership positions at five Clinics for Autism including the Universities of Houston and Colorado and Texas Children's Hospital. Prior to training in Clinical Neuropsychology, Dr. Huckabee graduated as the Outstanding Senior from Colorado School of Mines and worked as a successful engineer for 6 years.

When her schedule permits, Dr. Huckabee enjoys gardening, running, and flying Cessna's.

