

AAC Intake Questionnaire



General Information

Client Name _____

Date of Birth _____

Medical Diagnosis _____

Language(s) Spoken at Home _____

Name of Person Completing Questionnaire _____

Relationship to Client _____

Parent Name(s) _____

Home Address _____

Phone Number(s) Home: _____

Work: _____ Cell: _____ E-Mail _____

FAMILY

List all children and their ages in your family:

How does your child interact with his/her siblings?

Describe your child's personality:

Is there any family history of speech or learning difficulties? _____ Yes _____ No

If yes, please explain:

BIRTH HISTORY

Were there any complications during pregnancy or birth? _____ Yes _____ No

If yes, please explain:

HEALTH INFORMATION

Has your child had any unusual health incidents? _____ Yes _____ No
If yes, please explain:

Has your child had frequent ear infections? _____ Yes _____ No

Has your child had surgery in the past year? _____ Yes _____ No
If yes, please explain:

Is your child scheduled to have a surgical procedure in the near future?
If yes, please explain: _____ Yes _____ No

Please list any medications your child is taking.

SENSORY INFORMATION (Check Appropriate Boxes)

Has your child had any professional testing in the following areas:

Vision _____ Yes _____ No

Hearing _____ Yes _____ No

Hearing _____ functional for needs _____ hearing aids: right/left/bilateral
_____ not functional for needs (specify _____)
_____ unknown

Vision _____ functional for needs _____ corrected: glasses/contact lenses
_____ not functional for needs (specify _____)
_____ unknown

Tactile _____ functional for needs _____ bothered by touch*
_____ under-responsive to touch

*If your child is bothered by touch, please specify which textures (s)he likes the best and which textures are difficult to tolerate.

MOTOR INFORMATION

When was your child:

sitting alone? _____ crawling? _____

walking? _____ toilet trained? _____

My child's motor coordination is _____ good for age _____ clumsy for age
If clumsy, please explain:

My child's dominant side is the _____ left _____ right _____ unknown

Please check the part(s) of the body that your child can use purposefully:

_____ head _____ hand: right/left
_____ arm: right/left _____ leg: right/left _____ foot: right/left
_____ other (specify body part(s) _____)

Does your child use splints, vests or other adaptive equipment? _____ Yes _____ No

If yes, please specify:

Please check the your child's level of independence in the following daily living activities:

Independent Requires Assistance Dependent on Caregiver

Dressing _____

Bathing _____

Toileting _____

Eating _____

Please check the form(s) of mobility that your child uses (check all that apply):

- ambulatory without assistance
- independent ambulation with assistive device (e.g., walker)
- ambulatory for short distances with assistive device (e.g., walker)
- independent use of manual wheelchair
- independent use of power wheelchair
- dependent on someone else to push manual wheelchair

If your child has a wheelchair, please indicate the type and model (specify how your child controls the chair).

RECEPTIVE LANGUAGE (Check All That Apply)

- My child *understands*:
- single words phrases
 - sentences conversation
 - one-step directions (e.g., sit down, stop)
 - yes/no questions
 - choice questions
 - wh- questions (e.g., where, when, who)

EXPRESSIVE LANGUAGE

When did your child:

- babble? _____ say his/her first word? _____
- combine 2 words? _____ use complete sentences? _____

My child uses the following modes of communication (*check all that apply*):

- speech
 - _____ words (about how many _____)
 - _____ sentences
- vocalizations
- eye gaze
- hand gestures (e.g., waive, thumbs-up)
- sign language (how many signs _____)
- body language
- pointing or leading to an object
- communication board or book
- electronic device
- other (specify _____)

Using the modes of communication listed above, my child is able to successfully perform the following communicative functions (*check all that apply*):

- socialize
- make requests (e.g., I want ice cream)
- answer yes/no questions (e.g., Do you want chocolate?)
- answer choice questions (e.g., Which one do you want, vanilla or chocolate?)
- answer open ended questions (e.g., What flavor do you want?)
- indicate basic needs (e.g., I'm hungry.)
- offer information (e.g., At school we went on a field trip.)
- ask questions (e.g., Where are we going?)

When your child uses his/her speech to communicate, what percentage of his/her messages can be understood by familiar communication partners (e.g., family members)?

0%-25% 26%-50% 51%-75% 76%-100%

When your child uses his/her speech to communicate, what percentage of his/her messages can be understood by unfamiliar communication partners (e.g., people in the community)?

0%-25% 26%-50% 51%-75% 76%-100%

Does your child's speech volume or clarity fluctuate throughout the day?

If yes, please explain: Yes No

Has your child ever used an augmentative communication system?

yes no

If yes, please describe.

What concerns do you have about your child's speech and language?

** Please provide copies of current speech-language evaluation reports, progress notes, and speech-language IEP goals.*

LITERACY

_____ My child is not yet able to read or write.

My child is able to recognize:

_____ letters _____ sight words _____ sentences _____ paragraphs

My child is able to functionally read:

_____ letters _____ sight words _____ sentences _____ paragraphs

My child is able to produce by handwriting:

_____ letters _____ words _____ sentences _____ paragraphs

My child is able to produce by typing:

_____ letters _____ words _____ sentences _____ paragraphs

PREFERRED ACTIVITIES

Please check those items/activities that your child enjoys most:

_____ TV _____ books _____ puzzles _____ iPad _____ arts & crafts

_____ bubbles _____ food (specify favorite foods _____)

_____ music _____ play-doh _____ blocks _____ Mr. Potato Head _____ swing

_____ other (specify _____)

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS