

Clinician:

Evaluation Date:



**PARENT QUESTIONNAIRE
SPEECH AND LANGUAGE EVALUATION**

Child's Name: _____ DOB: _____

Today's Date: _____ Medical or Developmental Diagnoses: _____

School Diagnoses: _____ Language(s) Spoken at Home: _____

Caregiver's Name: _____ Relationship to Patient: _____

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Brothers/Sisters:

Name: _____ Age: _____ Grade: _____

Name: _____ Age: _____ Grade: _____

Name: _____ Age: _____ Grade: _____

Who currently lives in the home? (including foster children and those living part time with family):

Who is your child's primary caregiver?

Primary Concerns:
Describe your child's speech problem: _____ _____ _____ _____
When did you notice your child's speech/language problem?

Does your child have family members with any of the following concerns:

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|--------------------------------|-----|----|--------------------|
| Speech or Language | Yes | No | If yes, who? _____ |
| Stuttering | Yes | No | If yes, who? _____ |
| Hearing Loss | Yes | No | If yes, who? _____ |
| Cleft Palate | Yes | No | If yes, who? _____ |
| Autism Spectrum | Yes | No | If yes, who? _____ |
| Developmental Delay | Yes | No | If yes, who? _____ |
| Reading or Learning Disability | Yes | No | If yes, who? _____ |
| ADHD | Yes | No | If yes, who? _____ |

Additional comments or concerns:

Health and Developmental History

Did you have a normal pregnancy? Yes No

If No, please list any problems: _____

Length of pregnancy: _____ Gestational Age (weeks): _____

Describe your child's delivery and birth:

Typical	Spontaneous	Induced	Vaginal	Head first
Feet first	Cesarean	Breech	Unusually long labor	

What was your child's birth weight? _____ APGAR Score: _____

Were there any breathing or swallowing complications at birth? Yes No

If Yes, please explain: _____

Did your child require a NICU stay? Yes No

If Yes, please explain: _____

Was your child intubated? Yes No

If Yes, please explain: _____

Did your child require supplemental nutrition? Yes No

If Yes, please explain: _____

Was your child discharged home with supplemental feeds? Yes No

Please note any additional birth history information you think is relevant:

Does your child have a history of any of the following? (Check all that apply)

<input type="checkbox"/> Drooling	<input type="checkbox"/> Ear Tubes	<input type="checkbox"/> Intubation/Ventilator
<input type="checkbox"/> Ear Infection	<input type="checkbox"/> Surgery	<input type="checkbox"/> Hospitalization
<input type="checkbox"/> Allergies	<input type="checkbox"/> Chronic or Severe Illness	<input type="checkbox"/> Seizures
<input type="checkbox"/> Asthma	<input type="checkbox"/> High or Prolonged Fever	<input type="checkbox"/> Head Injury

Hearing Loss

Reflux

Serious Accidents

Neurological Condition

Pneumonia or upper respiratory infections

Please explain any of the above as needed: _____

List any medication(s) your child is currently taking: _____

What is your child's current state of health?

Excellent

Good

Fair

Poor

Has your child ever had a hearing evaluation? Yes No

If yes, list date(s) and results: _____

If impaired, what degree of loss? Please check. Mild moderate severe profound

uncertain

uncertain as patient may hear yet not react

Is patient aided? Please check. No aid unilateral cochlear implant bilateral cochlear

implant unilateral hearing aide

bilateral hearing aid

unknown device

other: _____

Has your child ever had a vision evaluation? Yes No

If yes, list date(s) and results: _____

Does your child wear glasses? Yes No

Check the options that best describe your child's breathing:

Normal (Breathing room air)

Oxygen Needed

Noisy Breathing

Asthma	Retractions	Supplemental Ventilation
Other: _____		

Is your child followed by any medical professionals?	Yes	No
If yes, by whom? _____		

Has your child had any of the following procedures? (please check)

Video Fluoroscopic Swallow Study (VFSS)	Upper GI
Fiberoptic Endoscopic Evaluation of the Swallow (FEES)	MRI
Bronchoscope and Laryngoscope	CT Scan
Botox	X-Ray

Other: _____

If Yes, what were the results? _____

Does your child have any durable medical equipment used at home?	Yes	No
If yes, list equipment: _____		

Does your child have a history of feeding problems? If yes, check all that apply:

Choking	Difficulty Biting	Overstuffing Mouth	Poor Nursing
Difficulty Chewing	Difficulty Swallowing		

Other: _____

Is your child a messy, or picky eater? _____

How would you describe your child's sleep patterns?

No concerns	waking at night	snoring	mouth breathing
other: _____			

At what age did your child attain these developmental milestones:

Rolled: _____	Sat up: _____	Stood: _____
Crawled: _____	Walked: _____	Fed self: _____
Used cup: _____	Dressed self: _____	Toilet Training: _____
Used single words: _____	Combined words: _____	Engaged in conversation: _____

Gastroenterology/Feeding

Does your child have a history of reflux or vomiting? Yes No

If Yes, please explain: _____

Does your child have a history of constipation? Yes No

If Yes, please explain: _____

Does your child have a history of diarrhea? Yes No

If Yes, please explain: _____

Has your child demonstrated difficulty gaining or maintaining weight? Yes No

If Yes, please explain: _____

Has your child ever had an alternate means of nutrition? Yes No

If Yes, please explain: _____

Place a checkmark next to the feeding milestones your child has achieved:

None	Breastfeeding	Bottle Feeding	Stage 1 baby food	
Stage 2 baby food	Dissolvable solids	Finger foods	Spoon	
Fork	Knife	Straw	Open cup	Pours drink

Does/Did your child use a pacifier? Yes No

If Yes, what age did your child stop? _____

Describe how the weaning process from the breast and/or bottle went and why your child was weaned: _____

How did your child handle moving between the stages of feeding milestones? _____

Does your child cough or choke with feeding? Yes No

If Yes, how often and when? _____

Describe mealtime . Who is with the child, where does the child sit, what is the environment like, is special equipment used, etc.: _____

Describe your child's appetite: _____

How long does a typical meal last: _____

How does your child respond when presented with a food item he or she does not like? _____

Tube Feedings:

If your child is tube fed, please provide their feeding regimen for a whole day: _____

Describe where your child is tube fed and what activities are occurring at the same time: _____

Describe your child's reactions to the tube feedings: _____

Speech and Language

Did your child babble? Yes No

If yes, did he/she use a variety of sounds when babbling? Yes No

What were your child's first words? _____

Once your child started to use words, did he/she continue to add new words to his/her speaking vocabulary on a weekly basis? Yes No

Does your child have a history of using a word once or several times, and then never using it again?

Yes No

If yes, please give examples: _____

Is your child reluctant to communicate or become frustrated when trying to speak? Yes No

If yes, please describe: _____

Is your child reluctant to imitate speech sounds or words? Yes No

If yes, does he/she refuse these types of tasks? Yes No

Does it seem that your child has more difficulty producing understandable speech on some days and not others or at certain times? Yes No

If yes, please explain any consistencies you may have noticed:

How would you describe your child's speech errors?

Consistent Change from word to word and/or day to day

Check the speech sounds your child currently uses:

VOWELS: Long: a e i o u Short: a e i o u

CONSONANTS: p b m w t d n f v k g

h s z sh ch j y l r th

Approximately how much of your child's speech do you understand?

Less than 25% 25% 50% 75% 100%

Can people outside the family understand your child's speech?	Yes	No		
Is your child aware of his/her difficulties?	Yes	No	Unsure	
What does your child do when you do not understand? _____				
How would you describe the melody and rhythm of your child's speech? (Check all that apply)				
Smooth	Slow	Soft	Loud	Lacking in Intonation
Halting	Fast	Choppy	Lacking in Pitch Changes	
How does your child typically communicate with others? (Check all that apply)				
Talking (whether understandable or not)	Pointing	Gestures	Crying	
Pulling/taking adult to what he/she wants	Signs	Pictures	Facial Expressions	
Voice Output Speech Device	Other: _____			
Does your child play and communicate well with his/her friends and family?			Yes	No
If no, please describe: _____				
Describe how your child interacts with other children: _____				

Does your child seem to understand most of what you say & tell him/her to do?			Yes	No
Does your child have difficulty following directions?			Yes	No
If yes, please describe: _____				
How many words does your child now use?				
0-20	20-50	100-150	150-200	200+
If you child uses phrases and sentences, how long are they on average?				

2 words	3 words	4 words	5 words	Longer than 5 words	
Does your child (check yes or no for each)				Yes	No
Ask questions to gain information.....					
Understand vocabulary.....					
Use age-appropriate vocabulary.....					
Stay on subject in a conversation.....					
Take turns when talking to someone.....					
Describe and explain.....					
Answer questions.....					
Have difficulty putting words together into a sentence.....					
Leave words out of sentences.....					
Use correct grammar such as plurals, verb tenses, pronouns.....					

Voice and Fluency	
Is your child's voice clear?	Yes No
If no, please describe: _____	
Describe your child's voice. (Check all that apply)	
Nasal	Monotone High-pitched Low-pitched
Soft	Loud Breathy Hoarse
Denasal (sounds like he/she has a cold)	

Does your child talk smoothly without repeating sounds or words? Yes No

If no, does he/she have trouble getting words out? Yes No

If yes, please describe: _____

Auditory Processing and Learning

Does your child attend daycare, mother's day out? Yes No

If yes, how often: _____ where: _____

Where does your child go to school? _____

School District: _____

Grade: _____

Does your child have an IFSP, IEP or 504 plan? Yes No

Does your child have difficulty with any of the following? (Check all that apply)

Memory Tasks	Remembering and following directions	Comprehension
Putting thoughts together	Word Retrieval	Difficulty learning/using new vocabulary

Does your child have difficulty learning early academic skills such as matching, identifying same/different, and/or knowing names of colors, shapes, numbers and letters? Yes No

If yes, please describe: _____

Does your child have difficulty learning skills in reading, math, spelling, other? Yes No

If yes, please describe: _____

Is your child receiving special help with learning skills?	Yes	No
If yes, please explain: _____		
Do you have concerns about your child's learning skills?	Yes	No
If yes, please explain: _____		

Sensory and Motor		
Does your child have any difficulty walking, running, sitting, or other large motor skills?		
If yes, please describe: _____		
Is your child clumsy or does he/she fall easily?	Yes	No
Does your child have low body tone?	Yes	No
Does your child have difficulty with fine motor skills such as stacking, cutting, and handwriting?		
Yes No		
If yes, please describe: _____		
Is your child sensitive to certain textures of food or clothing?	Yes	No
If yes, please explain: _____		
Does your child dislike having substances on his/her hands (e.g. glue or dirt)?	Yes	No
Is your child oversensitive to being touched/dislikes being touched?	Yes	No
If yes, please describe: _____		

Check all that apply regarding your child:

Dislikes washing his/her face or hair

Does not demonstrate caution

Puts things in his/her mouth besides food

Dislikes haircuts

Spends too little or too much time brushing his/her teeth

Chews on his/her clothes

Behavior

Does your child typically display any of the following behaviors? (Check all that apply)

Difficulty staying on task

Tantrums

Sensitive

Difficulty finishing tasks

Passive in interactions

Very active

Underactive

Angry/acting out behavior

Frustrated

Inattentive

Refuses to perform tasks

Shy

Reduced or lack of interaction with others

Other Information

Who does your child play with? (Check all that apply)

Both parents

Grandparents

Foster parents

Mother only

Father only

Parent + Stepparent

Other: _____

Are languages other than English spoken in the home? Yes No

If yes, please list: _____

Has your child had a previous speech-language therapist? Yes No

If yes, please list dates, setting(s), and therapist(s): _____

If your child had speech-language therapy, what kind of progress did your child make?

Were you pleased with your child's progress? Yes No

Please explain: _____

Has your child been evaluated by any other professional: (Check all that apply)

Educator/Teacher

Occupational Therapist (OT)

Neurologist

Geneticist

Psychologist/Psychiatrist

Physician

Physical Therapist (PT)

Developmental Pediatrician (Specialist)

Other: _____

Does your child have a diagnosis from any of the above professionals? Yes No

If yes, please list date, professional, and diagnosis for each: _____

What other concerns do you have about your child? _____

Does your child currently receive services from any of the following professionals (in the school district or in a private setting):

Special Educator/Teacher

Occupational Therapist (OT)

Neurologist

Psychologist/Psychiatrist	Physical Therapist (PT)	Developmental Pediatrician (Specialist)
Speech Therapist	Dietitian	Other: _____

What do you consider to be your child's greatest strengths? _____

What do you hope to gain from this evaluation? _____

Was this evaluation recommended by another professional? Yes No

If yes, by who, and what concerns were shared with you?

