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# Communication Needs Screening Questionnaire

*Helping us better understand your child's unique communication needs*

## Child's Information:

- **Child's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_
- **Age:** \_\_\_\_\_
- **Parent/Caregiver Name(s):** \_\_\_\_\_
- **Contact Information:** \_\_\_\_\_
- **Primary Concern(s) About Communication:**  
\_\_\_\_\_

## Current Communication Abilities

### 1. How does your child currently communicate? (Check all that apply)

- ☒ Uses words and sentences
- ☒ Uses gestures (pointing, waving, clapping)
- ☒ Uses sounds but not clear words
- ☒ Uses a communication device or picture system
- ☒ Has difficulty expressing wants and needs
- ☒ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

### 2. How well do others understand your child?

- ☒ Very well—most people understand them
- ☒ Sometimes—familiar people understand, but others struggle
- ☒ Rarely—only close family members understand
- ☒ Not at all—child does not use words to communicate

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## **Expressive Language (Speaking & Expressing Needs)**

### **3. Does your child...**

- ☒ Struggle to find the right words or form sentences?
- ☒ Use fewer words than other children their age?
- ☒ Repeat words or phrases (echolalia)?
- ☒ Have difficulty telling stories or sharing experiences?
- ☒ Get frustrated when trying to communicate?



**Please describe any specific concerns about your child's ability to express themselves:**

## **Receptive Language (Understanding Language)**

### **4. Does your child...**

- ☒ Struggle to follow directions?
- ☒ Have difficulty answering questions?
- ☒ Seem confused by conversations?
- ☒ Need extra time to process what is said?
- ☒ Ignore spoken language or seem to "tune out"?



**Please describe any specific concerns about your child's ability to understand language:**

## **Social Communication (Interacting With Others)**

### **5. Does your child...**

- ☒ Struggle with making or maintaining eye contact?
- ☒ Have difficulty with turn-taking in conversations?
- ☒ Struggle to engage in back-and-forth interactions?
- ☒ Prefer to play alone rather than with peers?
- ☒ Seem unsure how to start or maintain a conversation?



**Please describe any concerns about your child's social communication:**

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## Speech Clarity & Fluency

### 6. Does your child...

- ☒ Have trouble pronouncing certain sounds?
- ☒ Speak in a way that is difficult to understand?
- ☒ Stutter or repeat sounds, words, or phrases?
- ☒ Speak too fast, too slow, or with an unusual rhythm?



**Please describe any specific concerns about how your child speaks:**

## Feeding & Oral Motor Skills (if applicable)

### 7. Does your child...

- ☒ Struggle with chewing or swallowing?
- ☒ Drool excessively?
- ☒ Have difficulty drinking from a cup or using a straw?
- ☒ Avoid certain food textures or temperatures?



**Please describe any concerns related to feeding and oral motor skills:**

## Daily Life & Communication Impact

### 8. How do communication challenges impact your child's daily life? (Check all that apply)

- ☒ Making friends and interacting with peers
- ☒ Expressing wants and needs at home
- ☒ Participating in school or daycare activities
- ☒ Following instructions from teachers/caregivers
- ☒ Managing frustration or behavior related to communication difficulties



**Describe the biggest struggles your child faces due to communication challenges:**

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## Parent Goals & Next Steps

### 9. What are your top three concerns regarding your child's communication?

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

### 10. What goals would you like to focus on during our consultation?

- ☒ Expanding my child's vocabulary and sentence use
- ☒ Helping my child communicate wants and needs effectively
- ☒ Improving my child's ability to understand and follow directions
- ☒ Supporting my child's social communication and peer interactions
- ☒ Helping my child speak more clearly and fluently
- ☒ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**Thank You!**

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Your responses will help us create a personalized plan to support your child's communication needs. We look forward to working with you!