



SPEECH AND LANGUAGE QUESTIONNAIRE

For the following tasks, please check the boxes next to the phrase(s) that describe your child's current communication/feeding skills. Check all the boxes that you feel apply to your child in each of the areas below.

Hearing and Attending

- Responds to environmental sounds (ie: telephone or doorbell)
- Responds to the sound of human voices
- Responds to only loud sounds
- Responds to sounds inconsistently
- Seems to willfully ignore
- Responds to lights
- Responds to pictures/ picture books

Expressive Communication

- Uses body language
- Uses sounds (vowels, grunting)
- Uses single words
- Uses 2 – 4 word phrases
- Uses sentences longer than 4 words
- Makes sound errors when speaking
- Repeats sounds, words, or phrases
- Uses correct word order/grammar

Speech Sound Development

- Uses consonant sounds like /p, b, m/
- Is using most consonant sounds in speech
- Produces vowel sounds inconsistently
- Is substituting one sound for another in speech
- Is omitting sounds in speech
- Is distorting sounds in speech
- Is adding sounds to words that would not typically be there
- Is able to produce words clearly inconsistently
- Is difficult for me to understand
- Is easy for me to understand
- Is difficult for others to understand
- Is easy for others to understand

Receptive Communication

- Seems to understand what is said
- Retrieves or points to common objects upon request (ie: ball, cup, shoe)
- Follows simple directions (ie: "shut the door", "get your shoes")
- Follows multi-step directions
- Responds correctly to yes/no questions
- Responds correctly to who/what questions
- Responds correctly to where/why questions
- Responds correctly to when/how questions

Social Language

- Plays with other children
- Cries appropriately
- Laughs and/or smiles appropriately
- Makes wants and needs known
- Uses eye contact appropriately
- Responds to facial expressions/gestures appropriately
- Asks questions/makes comments that are on topic

Feeding and Swallowing Skills:

- Drinks from an open cup and/or uses a straw
- Chokes and/or gags on any food or liquids
- Drools
- Chews all types of food (ie: soft cooked food, meats, crunchy textures, chewy textures)
- Explores toys/objects with own mouth
- Brushes own teeth and/or allows brushing
- Has dental problems

Is there a language other than English spoken in the home? Yes No
If yes, which one(s): _____