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Pre-Language Case History

Name	Date
Date of Birth	_ Age
School	Primary Language
Mother's Name	Father's Name
Address	_ Address (if different)
Mother's primary language	Father's primary language
Phone number	Phone number
Alternate phone	_ Alternate phone
Mother's email	Father's email
Person completing form	
Physician's Name	
Referred by	
Family and Social History	
Please list any additional children living in your h	ome and their ages:
Name	Age
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Has anyone in your family ever had any spectanguage therapy services?	ech or language concerns or received speech or
Is your child currently enrolled in therapy?	and where?
Milestones	
Does your child exchange and hold eye cont	tact with you during communication?
Does your child visually track moving object	s or people?
Does your child ask for attention in non-verl expressions)	bal ways? (indicated by using gestures and facial
Does your child notice objects? (indicated boobject to another person)	y using his or her finger to point and/or offering an
Does your child look for objects that disappo	ear or pick up objects that are dropped?
Does your child hide objects and then find t	:hem?
Does your child imitate movements with obtoy)	jects? (opening a book, dropping a toy, banging a
Does your child perform appropriate mover truck, feeding a baby)	ments with objects? (rolling a ball, pushing a toy
Does your child play with two objects togetl figures and a dollhouse)	her appropriately? (a doll and a baby bottle, play

What was the nature of the help?	
Yes No Where? When?	
Has your child had any previous evaluations or help with communication?	
What specific areas do you feel your child needs help in?	
How can I help your child?	
Describe your child's communicative behavior. Include information on use of speech, ges facial expressions, pulling you to an item that he or she wants.	tures,
Communication History	
Does your child use any words or jargon? List those words below:	
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Does your child produce spontaneous sounds or gestures to indicate wants and needs? Describe these:	
Does your child imitate vocalizations? (babbling or signs)	
Does your child imitate fine motor movements? (clapping)	
Does your child imitate large body movements? (marching)	
Does your child use several objects together appropriately in a routine or play activity?	
Does your child change an object from one play location to another? (move a car into a g	arage)

When did you first notice that your child had a communicative difficulty? Please	explain:
If your child is not yet speaking, is he/she using any form of augmentative communicate basic wants and needs? (gestures, pictures, sign language)	
If your child is using sign language, what signs is he/she using?	
At what age did your child begin to talk?	
Imitate sounds? Words?	
Phrases and short sentences? Can you recall some of hi	s or her words?
Feeding:	
Was there any early feeding difficulty? If so, explain	
Has he/she had any difficulty with chewing or swallowing?	
Does your child use a pacifier?	
Does your child suck his/her thumb?	
Can your child drink from an open cup?	
Can your child use a fork/spoon independently?	
Does your child ever choke on his/her food or spit food out?	
Does your child eat a variety of textures and different food types?	
Are there any other feeding concerns with your child?	

Communication History:

Is your child able to communicate without getting frustrated?
Does your child repeat new words he/she hears?
Can you hear what your child is saying?
Has his/her hearing been tested? If yes, when and where?
Do you feel your child understands what you say to him/her?
Does your child understand directions given to him/her?
Does your child use a variety of words when he/she communicates?
Does your child repeat the same words over and over?
Can your child retell a story or sequences of events?
Can your child tell when two words rhyme like mat and bat?
What are your child's favorite playthings?
What are your child's favorite activities?
Describe your child's play with his favorite playmates:
Birth and Developmental History
Relevant birth history, hospitalizations, surgeries, illnesses, allergies

What was the baby's b	irth weight?	lb	oz.	
When did he/she sit unassisted?Walk? _		Feed him	Feed himself/herself?	
Can your child use the	bathroom independently? _			
Medical History				
What health problems	has your child had if any? (I	nose, throat, ears) _		
Early illness and approx	ximate ages:			
Measles	Chicken pox	Mumps		
Earaches	Epilepsy/seizures	Other		
High fever	How high	How long		
Have tonsils, adenoids,	or both been removed? If	so, when?		
Has the child ever beer	n hospitalized? Why?			
At what age?		For how lo	ng?	
Are there any further o	oncerns you have regarding	vour child that you	ı would like to mention	