

SPEECH AND LANGUAGE REFERRAL FORM

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Date of Referral: _____

Student's Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Age: _____ Male/Female: _____

Parent/Guardian Name(s): _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

Address: _____

Person submitting the referral: _____

Relationship to the child: _____

Speech and Language Concerns:

Please check all that apply to the student.

Compared to students of similar age and grade, the student _____.

Speech (articulation):

- _____ difficulty pronouncing certain sounds
- _____ has unclear speech

Language:

- _____ has a limited vocabulary
- _____ has difficulty expressing needs
- _____ uses incomplete/incorrect sentences
- _____ uses incorrect grammar
- _____ needs instructions repeated often
- _____ doesn't follow multi-step directions
- _____ doesn't recall day to day information
- _____ has difficulty sequencing an event
- _____ answers inappropriately to questions

Fluency:

- _____ demonstrates repetitions in speech
(*"I want I want that book." Or I, I, I want a book."*)
- _____ demonstrates prolongations in speech
(*"I nnnnnneeed help."*)
- _____ demonstrates a fast speaking rate
- _____ demonstrates blocking sounds

Voice:

- _____ has harsh or breathy voice quality
- _____ voice sounds hypernasal
(*sounds like the student is talking through his/her nose*)
- _____ voice sounds hyponasal
(*sounds like the student has a cold*)

Pragmatics (social communication skills):

- _____ has difficulty using gestures
- _____ doesn't respond to facial expressions
- _____ has no eye contact when spoken to
- _____ inappropriate comments, answers, etc.

Additional Concerns:

Please provide specific examples of behaviors by the student:

To Be Completed by the School District	
_____ Student was observed by professionals. There is no need for an evaluation at this time.	
_____ An evaluation should be completed at this time and parental consent must be obtained.	
_____ Therapist's Signature	_____ Date
_____ Administrator's Signature	_____ Date