

Patient: _____ Date: _____

Sensory Processing Questionnaire

Please check all that apply concerning your child's behavior/performance.

Academic, Visual/Auditory Skills

- _____ Difficulty making progress with handwriting?
- _____ Difficulty concentrating and attending to task?
- _____ Difficulty understanding symbols (shapes, numbers, letters, etc.)?
- _____ Difficulty following multi-step oral directions?
- _____ Difficulty learning to read?
- _____ Poor comprehension when reading?
- _____ Difficulty sounding out words (phonics)?
- _____ Difficulty learning to spell words?

Auditory/Language

- _____ Was there a speech delay?
- _____ Is speech now age-appropriate?
- _____ Are there 'central auditory processing' issues?
- _____ Sensitivity to sounds (blender, hair dryer, vacuum)?
- _____ Does child have a sense of rhythm?
- _____ Avoids talking on the phone
- _____ Speaks unclearly or mumbles
- _____ Has trouble with voice tone
- _____ Fails to do something when asked
- _____ Learned to speak after 18 months of age
- _____ Uses improper tenses while speaking

Behavioral Responses to Sensory Stimuli

- _____ Overwhelmed in sensory-rich environments?
- _____ Hyperactive?
- _____ Under-responsive to sensory stimuli?
- _____ 'Self-stimming' behaviors present?
- _____ Mesmerized by lights or fans?
- _____ Hand-flapping?
- _____ Toe-walking?
- _____ Addictive tendencies to TV/Computer games?
- _____ Obsesses with routines and/or repetitive patterns?
- _____ Difficulty with transitions?
- _____ Angry and/or aggressive behavior?
- _____ High anxiety?
- _____ Often depressed?

Sensory Processing Questionnaire (continued)

Emotional Responses to Sensory Stimuli

- Difficulty showing affection?
- Shows lack of empathy?
- Has frequent meltdowns/tantrums?
- Night terrors?
- Has extreme shyness?
- Controls environment and manipulates people?
- Missing social cues?
- Frequently teased by peers?

Physical aspects

- History of seizures?
- History of ear infections?
- Repetitive rounds of antibiotics?
- Appears not to feel pain?
- Irregular sleep patterns?
- Issues with bed-wetting?
- Difficulty with toilet-training?
- Tactile defensiveness (clothing tags, food textures)?
- Appears clumsy or uncoordinated?
- Can child pedal or ride a 2-wheeler?
- Difficulty with fine motor skills (eating with utensils, using crayons)?
- Any regression after immunizations?
- Any detoxifying or chelating procedures?
- Any digestion problems/elimination problems?
- Any dietary modifications in place?

Visual/Motor Skills

- Poor eye contact?
- Sideways gazing?
- Tracking problems?
- Strabismus?
- Difficulty catching a ball?
- Artwork looks too primitive for child's age?
- Any vision correction (eyeglasses, contacts, or surgery)?