



Social and Developmental History

This information is a required component for special education decision-making.
It will be maintained in the student's confidential records.

A. Family Information

Date Form Completed _____

Child's Name _____ Date of Birth _____

Name of Person Completing this Form _____

Phone: _____ E-Mail: _____

Relationship to Child _____

Please list all people in the child's family:

Name	Relationship to Child	Age	Living in Household?

Please list all other people living in the child's household:

Name	Relationship to Child	Name	Relationship to Child

Are there any issues you would like to make us aware of? (Check all that apply)

- | | |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Separation of parents | <input type="checkbox"/> Increased tension in the home |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Divorce of parents | <input type="checkbox"/> New baby |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Remarriage/New parental relationship | <input type="checkbox"/> Recent move |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Family health issue | <input type="checkbox"/> Loss of job |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Death of loved one | <input type="checkbox"/> Traumatic event |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ | |

If checked, explain: _____

Has this issue had a significant impact on the child? Yes No

If yes, explain: _____

Are there other adults who have a significant part in raising the child?

Does your child have difficulty getting along with any family member?

Yes No

If yes, explain: _____

B. Prenatal/Birth History

1. Is child your:

- Biological child
 Adopted child
 Foster child
 Other _____

2. Mothers age at time of child's birth: _____

3. Did mother receive prenatal care?

- Yes No I don't know

4. Did mother experience any of the following during pregnancy?

- I don't know
 Alcohol/drug use
 Car accident
 Diabetes
 Emotional stress
 Excessive bleeding
 Falls
 Hypertension
 Nicotine use
 Physical injury
 Prescription drug use: _____
 Other: _____

5. Length of Pregnancy: _____

6. Length of Labor and Delivery: _____

7. Location of birth:

- Home
 Hospital
 Other: _____

8. Birth weight: _____

9. Were there any complications during delivery?

- I don't know
 No
 Anoxia (lack of oxygen)
 Cesarean
 Cord around neck
 Drop in heart rate
 Use of forceps
 Other: _____

10. What was your child's condition immediately after birth?

- I don't know
 Healthy
 Critical (placed in NICU)
 Difficulty breathing
 Jaundice
 Placed in incubator
 Seizures
 Other: _____

11. How long was your child in the hospital after delivery? _____

C. Infancy/Early Development

1. In general, how would you describe your child's early gross motor skill development (e.g., sitting up, crawling, standing, walking)? Choose one.

- I don't know
- Earlier than most children
- Typical compared to other children
- Later than most children

If later:

Age of sitting: _____

Age of crawling: _____

Age of walking: _____

2. In general, how would you describe your child's fine motor skill development (e.g., grasping objects, scribbling, buttoning, coloring)? Choose one.

- I don't know
- Earlier than most children
- Typical compared to other children
- Later than most children

If later, explain: _____

3. In general, how would you rate your child's language development (e.g., babbling, first words, speaking in sentences)? Choose one.

- I don't know
- Earlier than most children
- Typical compared to other children
- Later than most children

If later:

Age of first words: _____

Age of sentence use: _____

4. Did your child receive routine immunizations?

- Yes
- No

Comments: _____

5. How would you describe your child's temperament/mood from birth to age 1? Check three that best describe your child as an infant.

- | | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Active | <input type="checkbox"/> Fearful |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Adaptable | <input type="checkbox"/> Irritable |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Approachable | <input type="checkbox"/> Loving |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Colicky | <input type="checkbox"/> Playful |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Curious | <input type="checkbox"/> Predictable |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Demanding | <input type="checkbox"/> Shy |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Distractible | <input type="checkbox"/> Sociable |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Easygoing | <input type="checkbox"/> Withdrawn |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ | |

6. During infancy (Birth to age 1), did your child experience any of the following health issues?

- Frequent ear infections
- Hearing problems
- High Fevers
- Seizures
- Vision problems
- Other _____

If checked, explain:

Any hospitalizations – Please specify:

D. Toddler/Preschool Years

1. Did your child receive regular care from others? Choose all that apply:

- I don't know
- Baby sitter/Nanny:
 - In your home
 - Outside the home
- Relative/Friend:
 - In your home
 - Outside the home
- Day Care/Child Care Center
- No

2. Did your child attend preschool? Choose one.

- Yes
- No

If yes,

Name _____

How long? _____

How frequently? _____

3. During toddler/preschool years, how would you rate your child's social development (play skills, interactions with familiar or unfamiliar adults or children)? Choose one.

- Overly social
- Typically social
- Difficulty with socializing; explain: _____

I don't know

4. During toddler/preschool years, how would you rate your child's behavioral regulation (anger management, activity level, self-restraint)? Choose one.

- Managed behavior easily
- Typical
- Difficulty with behavior
- Extreme difficulty; explain: _____

I don't know

N/A

5. During toddler/preschool years, how would you rate your child's self-care (dressing, feeding, grooming, toileting)? Choose one.

- Advanced
- Typical
- Delayed; explain: _____

I don't know

N/A

6. During toddler/preschool years, how would you rate your child's acquisition of basic academic skills (Shapes, colors, counting, numbers, letters, rhymes, songs)? Choose one.

- Advanced
- Typical
- Delayed; explain: _____

I don't know

N/A

E. Medical Concerns

1. What is your child's overall physical health?

- Excellent
- Good
- Fair
- Poor

4. Is your child currently taking any medication?

- Yes
- No

If yes, please list medications and uses:

2. Has your child had any of the following?

Check all that apply:	If yes, describe with dates and/or age of onset
<input type="checkbox"/> Allergies and or/asthma	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bedwetting	
<input type="checkbox"/> Diabetes	
<input type="checkbox"/> Ear infections	
<input type="checkbox"/> Hearing Problems	
<input type="checkbox"/> Serious Illness	
<input type="checkbox"/> Seizures/ Convulsions	
<input type="checkbox"/> Sickle Cell	
<input type="checkbox"/> Vision Problems	
<input type="checkbox"/> Other Health Problems	
Comments: _____	

3. Does your child have any diagnosed medical/mental health conditions?

Yes No

If yes, explain:

5. Has your child ever sustained a head injury?

Yes No I don't know

Was medical attention/hospitalization required?

I don't know

No

Yes

If yes, explain: _____

How long ago did the injury occur?

Within the past year

1 to 2 years ago

3 to 4 years ago

More than 5 years ago

Was your child unconscious?

I don't know

No

Yes, for how long? _____

F. Current Behavior and Social Development**1. Please check all the behaviors or characteristics that describe your child over the past year:**

- | | |
|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Aggressiveness | <input type="checkbox"/> Inattentiveness |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Anxiousness | <input type="checkbox"/> Overactivity |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Eating Issues | <input type="checkbox"/> Repetitive/
Compulsive Behaviors |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Disorganization | <input type="checkbox"/> Sleeping Issues |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Distractibility | <input type="checkbox"/> Uncooperative |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Impulsiveness | <input type="checkbox"/> Withdrawal |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other Behaviors of Concern: _____ | |
| _____ | |

2. Does your child have friends other than family members?

- Has many friends
- Has some friends
- Has not made any friends

3. What are the most effective ways to discipline your child?

4. What are the most effective ways to reward your child?

5. What are your child's favorite activities outside of school?

G. Parent Perspective

1. When did your child’s difficulties begin and how long have they been ongoing?

2. Has your child ever had an academic or psychological evaluation?

- Yes No I don’t know

If yes, explain: _____

3. Has your child ever received any form of special services?

- Counseling Sensory Integration Therapy
 Occupational Therapy Special Education
 Physical Therapy Speech Therapy
 Other: _____

If checked, explain: _____

Name of Provider/Agency: _____

4. Have his/her sibling(s) experienced social or academic difficulties?

- Yes No I don’t know

If yes, explain: _____

5. Did either of the birth parents experience similar difficulties as a child?

- Yes No I don’t know

If yes, explain: _____

6. Have other teachers or caregivers of your child reported any difficulties or concerns with his/her learning, behavior, speech, etc.?

7. Please describe your child’s strengths:

8. In your words, how do you describe your child’s difficulties in school?

9. Is there any other information you would like to share? _____

10. Are there any questions you have that we can answer? _____

11. Would you like to speak with someone about the information you have shared?

- Yes No

What is the best way to contact you? _____

Only complete this last section if the primary language spoken at home is a language other than English

H. Supplemental questions for students with a language other than English spoken in the home

1. What is your child's native language?

2. What language does your child prefer to speak at home? _____

3. What language does your child prefer to speak at school? _____

4. Can your child engage in a conversation in the language spoken at home? _____

5. How long has your child lived in the U.S.?

- Born in the U.S.
- 0-6 months
- 6-12 months
- 1-2 years
- 3-4 years
- 5-6 years
- 7-8 years
- 9 or more years

6. Has your child lived apart from you?

- Yes
- No

If yes, for how long? _____

7. What is the father's country of origin? _____

Mother's country of origin? _____

8. Does anyone in the family speak English?

- Yes
- No

If yes, who? _____

9. Does anyone in the family read?

- English
- Native language

If yes, who? _____

10. What previous educational experiences has your child had in the native language?

- None
- Preschool
- Elementary - last grade attended _____
- Secondary - last grade attended _____
- Interrupted educational experiences please explain _____

11. Can your child read and write in the native language?

- Yes
- No

If yes, please indicate his or her levels (if known)? _____

12. If your child attended school in another country or territory, did any of his/her teachers indicate to you that they thought he/she had learning problems?

- Yes
- No

If you answered yes, what did they tell you about your child's learning issues? _____

13. What language does your child prefer to watch TV or listen to music?
