



# THE CENTER FOR HOPE & HEALING

therapy services for children & families

## Philosophy

To create supportive partnerships with families, focus on joyful interactions through play, and to develop customized treatment plans that are strategic, intensive and effective, while meeting the needs of the family.

## Instructions

Please fill in as much or as little of this form as you would like before your first meeting. If you prefer to jointly complete with your therapist this information can be taken during the Parent Interview. Copies of any previous therapist, school or doctor's reports that you can provide at the time of our meeting will be greatly appreciated. The information you provide along with the Parent Interview will help us develop a plan together that can support your family and your goals for your child.

**ALL OF THE INFORMATION YOU SHARE WITH THE CENTER FOR HOPE & HEALING WILL REMAIN PRIVATE AND CONFIDENTIAL**

## GENERAL INFORMATION

Child's name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: M F

Name of person completing this form: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to child: \_\_\_\_\_

Who referred you? \_\_\_\_\_

Date form completed: \_\_\_\_\_

## PURPOSE OF EVALUATION

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What specific concerns do you have about your child?

Has your child completed an evaluation or received treatment to address these concerns? If yes, when and by whom?

Have you implemented any interventions at home, school, and/or day care to address these concerns?

What are you hoping will be the outcome of our therapy services?



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## FAMILY INFORMATION

Please list the persons who are currently living in the home with the child:

Name	Sex	Age	Relationship to Child
1. _____	___	___	_____
2. _____	___	___	_____
3. _____	___	___	_____
4. _____	___	___	_____
5. _____	___	___	_____

Please list any family members who are no longer in the home:

Name	Sex	Age	Relationship to Child	When did they leave?
1. _____	___	___	_____	_____
2. _____	___	___	_____	_____
3. _____	___	___	_____	_____

Mother's name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Work hours: \_\_\_\_\_

Place of employment: \_\_\_\_\_

Father's name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Work hours: \_\_\_\_\_

Place of employment: \_\_\_\_\_

Parents are (please provide data):

Married \_\_\_ Separated \_\_\_ Divorced \_\_\_ Unmarried \_\_\_ Widowed \_\_\_

If parents are divorced, who has legal custody? \_\_\_\_\_

If parents are separated or divorced, please describe visitation arrangements:

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Is this child? Biological \_\_\_\_\_ Adopted \_\_\_\_\_ Foster \_\_\_\_\_



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What languages are spoken in the home? \_\_\_\_\_

How long has the child been living in the current home? \_\_\_\_\_

How many times has the child moved in the past 3 years? \_\_\_\_\_

Who provides care for your child while at work (if applicable)? \_\_\_\_\_

Please list any current or past stressors that may be or be impacting this child emotionally or socially? (i.e. financial, illness, divorce, etc.): \_\_\_\_\_

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Please list anyone in the immediate extended family with learning difficulties:

Person  
(parent, sibling, grandparent, uncle, etc.)

Type of Difficulty  
(language, reading, math, attention, auditory processing, etc.)

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Please list anyone in the immediate extended family with behavioral or emotional difficulties:

Person  
(parent, sibling, grandparent, uncle, etc.)

Type of Difficulty  
(depression, trouble with law, drug abuse, psychosis, etc.)

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Has anyone in the immediate extended family suffered from:

Condition	Person	Describe Problem
Seizures/epilepsy?	_____	_____
Any other neurological disorder?	_____	_____
Mental Retardation	_____	_____
Any genetic disorder	_____	_____



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## BIRTH INFORMATION

Please list number of: pregnancies \_\_\_\_\_ live births \_\_\_\_\_

Did you receive regular medical care during this pregnancy? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Did you have any problems during this pregnancy? \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, please describe the problem when it occurred during the pregnancy (such as diabetes, excess vomiting, bleeding, high blood pressure, toxemia, weight loss, fever, accidents): \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Did you smoke cigarettes during this pregnancy? \_\_\_\_\_  
If yes, how many pack a day did you smoke? \_\_\_\_\_

Did you consume alcoholic beverages during this pregnancy? \_\_\_\_\_  
If yes, how many days per week, on average, did you drink? \_\_\_\_\_

Did you take medication during this pregnancy? \_\_\_\_\_  
If yes, please list: 1) \_\_\_\_\_  
2) \_\_\_\_\_  
3) \_\_\_\_\_

Did you carry this baby a full 9 months? \_\_\_\_\_  
If no, please indicate the length of pregnancy in weeks? \_\_\_\_\_

Describe type of labor (e.g., fast, long, easy, hard)? \_\_\_\_\_  
How long did labor last in hours? \_\_\_\_\_

Were there any problems with the delivery? \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, please describe the problems (emergency Cesarean section, slow heart rate, fever, cord around neck, etc.) : \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

How much did baby weigh at birth? \_\_\_\_\_

How many days did the baby remain in the hospital? \_\_\_\_\_

Did your baby require special care shortly after birth? \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, please describe the type of care (oxygen, incubator, blood transfusions, bili ligh-jaundice, medications, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_



**DEVELOPMENTAL INFORMATION**

At approximately what age did your child:

Sit without help?	_____	Say single words meaningfully?	_____
Crawl?	_____	Combine two or more words?	_____
Walk without help?	_____	Use sentences?	_____
Toilet trained?	_____	Show hand preference?	_____

Which hand does your child prefer for writing/drawing? \_\_\_\_\_ eating? \_\_\_\_\_ sports? \_\_\_\_\_

Compared to other children, do you feel your child has had any problems with:

YES	NO	ITEM DESCRIPTION	EXPLANATION
___	___	Fussiness as an infant?	_____
___	___	Eating?	_____
___	___	Sleeping?	_____
___	___	Learning to talk?	_____
___	___	Understanding language?	_____
___	___	Unclear speech?	_____
___	___	Building with blocks, playing with puzzles, drawing, etc.	_____
___	___	Gross motor skills (walking, hopping, riding bike, etc.)?	_____
___	___	Fine motor skills (fastening buttons, zippers, drawing, etc.)?	_____
___	___	Toilet-training?	_____
___	___	Bed-wetting?	_____
___	___	Separating from parents?	_____
___	___	Unusual fears?	_____
___	___	Early school-related skills (naming colors, counting, alphabet, etc.)?	_____
___	___	Playing or socializing with other children?	_____
___	___	Unusual habits or routines?	_____
___	___	Sitting still?	_____
___	___	Concentrating?	_____
___	___	Managing frustration?	_____
___	___	Aggression?	_____
___	___	Other difficulties?	_____



**MEDICAL INFORMATION**

	Yes	No
Has your child ever been hospitalized? If yes, please list ages and reasons: _____ _____	___	___
Has your child ever had surgery? If yes, please list ages and reasons: _____ _____	___	___
Has your child ever had any head injuries? If yes, what happened and when? _____ _____	___	___
Was the child unconscious? _____	___	___
Was the child dizzy? _____	___	___
Did the child have a headache afterward? _____	___	___
Did the child vomit afterward? _____	___	___
Has your child ever had a seizure or convulsion? If yes, please describe, including ages and medication that were prescribed, if any: _____	___	___
Does your child have any allergies? If yes, please describe: _____ _____	___	___
		Special Diet _____
Does your child have frequent abdominal pain or vomiting? If yes, please describe: _____ _____	___	___
Does your child have frequent or severe headaches? If yes, how are they treated: _____ _____	___	___
Does your child have any vision problems? Please specify: _____ _____	___	___
Does your child have any hearing problems? Please specify: _____ _____	___	___



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Does your child have a history of frequent ear infections? Yes  No   
If yes, please describe how often and at what ages: \_\_\_\_\_

Is your child currently taking any medications? Yes  No

If yes, please list:	Reason child is taking:	
_____	_____	
_____	_____	
_____	_____	

Has your child ever been evaluated by a psychologist, psychiatrist or counselor? Yes  No   
If yes, please describe reasons, when and by whom:: \_\_\_\_\_

Has your child ever been given any learning, psychological, or other diagnosis? Yes  No   
If yes, please specify:: \_\_\_\_\_

Please list the name, address, and telephone number of your child's primary physician/clinic:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_



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## SCHOOL INFORMATION

Current school name: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade placement: \_\_\_\_\_

School address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Telephone number: \_\_\_\_\_

Who is the appropriate contact person for details for your child's schoolwork?

\_\_\_\_\_  
(I will not contact this person without your signed consent and permission.)

	Yes	No
Did your child attend preschool? If yes, give ages and attendance dates: _____	___	___

Did your child ever repeat a grade? If yes, which grade(s): _____	___	___
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Does your child have an Individualized Education Plan (IEP)? If yes, when was s/he last evaluated? _____	___	___
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Does your child have a 504 plan? If yes, why? _____	___	___
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Has your child ever received services in a special education classroom?

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If yes, when and for what reasons (e.g., learning disabilities, emotional problems, mental retardation): \_\_\_\_\_

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Has your child ever received any of the following?

Service	Yes	No	Ages or Grades
Speech/language Therapy	___	___	_____
Physical Therapy	___	___	_____
Occupational Therapy	___	___	_____
Learning Disabilities tutoring	___	___	_____
School Counseling	___	___	_____





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Over the years, how have teachers generally described your child?

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What is the typical range of grades/marks your child receives on his or her report card (e.g., from A to C; B to D, etc)?

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On average, how much time does your child spend on homework each day?

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Describe what type of support your child typically needs to complete homework?

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## DESCRIPTION OF CHILD

What do you consider your child's best qualities or strengths?

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What do you consider your child's weaknesses?

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Does your child prefer to play with older, younger, or same age children?

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Describe how your child typically gets along with his or her peers?

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What activities does your child enjoy when not at school?

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When does your child require extra support? Please circle

Morning Routine: getting dressed eating breakfast transition to car, public transportation, or school bus

School Day: transitions circle/group times centers/free play waiting in line following multi-step directions organizing materials in desk academics snack time lunch time recess

Extra curricular activities: play dates finding appropriate community and recreation programs for your child to participate in (ex: scouting programs, sports, music lessons, art classes, swim lessons) summer camp managing my child's therapy schedule with my work or other children's schedules

Evening Routine: homework playing with siblings dinner time bath time brushing teeth going to bed falling asleep waking in the night giving siblings enough attention or support

Weekends: family downtime finding time to play find ways to spend time inside in winter giving siblings enough attention or support develop weekend schedule/routines attend siblings recreational activities attend birthday parties, large social gatherings, family events participate in religious activities (ex: attending services, religious school, social functions)

Toilet training: not ready yet need help getting started working on it already trained

What is the best time of day for your family at home?

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What is the hardest time of day for your family at home?

What is the best part of your child's day at school?

What is the hardest part of your child's day at school?

What is your child's favorite activity to do alone? (ex: play with trains, dress-up, look at books, blocks)

What is your child's favorite activity to do with your family?

What is your child's favorite TV show, character, and/or book?

Is there any other information you would like to share about your child, your family, or what you would like to have additional support with?



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Thank you for taking the time to complete this questionnaire. We respect that this process is very lengthy but necessary to understanding your child in his environment. I look forward to working with you.

Signature of parent/guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Home Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Work Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_