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Parent Questionnaire and Developmental History

Instructions: Please complete this questionnaire prior to your first appointment. At your initial appointment, you will review this information together with your service provider so that you have the opportunity to expand your responses and/or provide clarification. Completing this in advance of your first appointment should help you to organize your thoughts regarding the reasons you are seeking an evaluation and/or treatment. Thank you!

Form completed by: _____

Relationship to child: _____ Date: _____

Reason for referral

Child was referred for assessment by: _____

Please briefly describe the reason for referral and your goal in seeking an evaluation:

Demographic Information

Child's Full Name: _____ Preferred Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Age: _____ Sex: M/F

Child's race/ethnicity: _____

Was the child born in the United States? Y/N _____

Child's primary language: _____ Secondary: _____

Are any languages other than the child's primary language spoken in the home? Y/N

If yes, please list all languages: _____

Right/Left Handed: _____

School of attendance: _____ Current grade: _____

Family History

Father's Name: _____ Occupation: _____

Highest Level of Education: _____ Currently employed? Y/N

Mother's Name: _____ Occupation: _____

Highest Level of Education: _____ Currently employed? Y/N

Child lives with (indicate relationship and age of each individual):

Was your child adopted: Y/N If yes, at what age and what were the circumstances surrounding the adoption?

Child's parents/legal guardians are: married _____ divorced _____ separated _____ never married, but live together _____ never married and live apart _____ parent(s) deceased _____ other _____

If parents are divorced, please indicate custody arrangements:

If parents are divorced, does the individual seeking this evaluation have medical decision making authority? Yes_____ No_____

Has the child had any other significant caregivers (i.e., persons who cared for the child for extended periods of time or with great frequency)? Y/N If yes, please explain:

Is there any history of learning problems among your child's immediate or extended family members? Y/N If yes, please explain:

Please note any known family history of mental illness:

Developmental History

(If your child was adopted, please provide any information known)

Was pregnancy full term? Y/N If no, please note gestational age at birth and provide any known information regarding the causes of premature delivery: -

Please identify any complications during pregnancy:

Was your child born by vaginal delivery or cesarean? _____

Birth Weight: _____

Was child healthy at birth? Y/N If no, please explain:

Please identify any birth complications:

Did the child have any exposure to medications (prescription or otherwise), drugs, tobacco products, or alcohol during pregnancy? Y/N If yes, please explain:

As an infant did your child have difficulty with any of the following:

_____ Feeding _____ Weight Gain _____ Sleeping

Please explain: _____

Please briefly describe your child's temperament as an infant:

Please identify the age at which your child met the following milestones:

_____ sat unassisted _____ crawled _____ walked
_____ spoke first words _____ used 2-3 word sentences
_____ spoke in full sentences

Did any pediatrician or other early childhood professional voice concern about meeting developmental milestones, fine or gross motor development, language skills, social skills, or self-help skills? Y/N If yes, please explain:

Have you, or others, ever observed your child to have difficulty with the development of social skills such as maintaining appropriate eye contact, playing appropriately with other children, demonstrating awareness of give-and-take in conversations and social relationships, engaging appropriately with both known and unknown people? Y/N If yes, please explain:

Was your child's play typical for children his/her age? For example, as a preschooler, did he/she engage in imaginary play? Did he/she become preoccupied with one type of play, toy, or interest to the exclusion of other activities? Please list any concerns in this area:

As a young child, and/or currently, did your child display extreme sensitivities to any of the senses (light, sounds, touch, smells, tastes)? If so, please describe:

Please note any additional concerns about development:

Medical History

Child's pediatrician or primary care physician: _____

Does Rocky Mountain Center for Development have your permission to contact your child's physician to gather information about relevant medical history and/or to share the outcome of this assessment? Yes _____ No _____

Please list any current medical diagnoses or concerns:

Please list any medications (prescription or otherwise) being used at this time:

Has your child ever taken psychiatric medications? Yes_____ No_____ If yes, please explain:

Please list any significant medical issues including surgeries, hospitalizations, head injuries, loss of consciousness, seizures, broken bones, chronic illnesses (including ear infections), high fevers, and significant accidents:

Has your child ever had a hearing test: Y/N Date/Result: _____

Has your child ever had a vision test: Y/N Date/Result: _____

Please describe any concerns regarding your child's sleep patterns or eating habits (e.g., doesn't sleep through the night, doesn't stay in own bed, nightmares, bed wetting, over-eats, under-eats, extreme food preferences):

How frequently does your child drink beverages with caffeine? _____

Do you have any concern about or suspicion that your child is using illicit drugs, alcohol, or tobacco products? Y/N If yes, please explain:

Educational History

Please identify your child’s primary teacher or school representative most familiar with child’s functioning: _____

Does Rocky Mountain Center for Development have your permission to contact this individual and/or other representatives of your child’s school as a means of gathering information about your child’s functioning in the academic setting? Yes _____ No _____

Did your child attend preschool? Y/N

If yes, where? _____ How many years/months? _____

Were there concerns regarding your child’s behavior, social skills, or pre-academic skills in preschool? Y/N

If yes, please describe concerns:

Please list the schools (and dates) your child has attended since preschool:

<u>School</u>	<u>Dates</u>	<u>Grades</u>

If there is a history of frequent changes in school placement, please explain:

Are there currently concerns related to your child’s functioning in his/her academic environment?

Y/N If yes, please explain:

When did concerns related to functioning in the school environment first arise?

In reflecting on your child's education, are there now or have there ever been concerns related to any of the following skills (check all that apply):

Ability to rhyme _____ Learning letters _____ Learning letter sounds _____
Reading words _____ Reading Fluency _____ Reading Comprehension _____
Learning numbers _____ Math skills _____ Recalling Math Facts _____
Retention of information _____ Mastery of new concepts _____

If you checked any items above, please explain:

In reflecting on your child's education, are there now or have there ever been concerns related to any of the following (check all that apply):

Attention _____ Distractibility _____ Organizational skills _____
Work completion _____ Quality of work _____ Effort _____
Careless errors _____ Forgetfulness _____ Procrastination _____
Self-control _____ Restlessness _____ Calling out in class _____
Ability to independently manage tasks and/or materials _____

If you checked any items above, please explain:

Are there concerns regarding your child's social functioning at school? Y/N If yes, please explain:

List child's favorite school/academic activities or subjects:

Least favorite academic activities/subjects:

What are your child's strengths in an academic setting:

What are your child's weaknesses in an academic setting:

Average time spent on homework: _____ Is this a struggle? _____ If yes, please describe:

Does your child read independently? Y/N

Does your child enjoy reading or being read to? Y/N

History of Interventions and Services

Has your child been evaluated in the past due to developmental, academic, or psychological concerns? Y/N

If yes, list names of evaluators, dates of evaluation, reason for evaluation, and brief results (please bring copies of reports if possible):

Is your child currently, or has he/she ever in the past, worked with a psychiatrist, psychologist, psychotherapist, or other mental health professional? Please list provider names and dates of treatment:

Is your child currently, or has he/she ever in the past, received therapies such as speech, OT, PT, vision therapy OR educational interventions/supports including tutoring and/or academic coaching? Please list provider names, types of services, and dates of involvement:

Has your child ever received pull out services at school, repeated or skipped a grade level, had a behavior plan or been placed on an ILP, IEP, 504 or accommodation program? Y/N If yes, please explain (and provide any available documents):

Has your child previously been diagnosed with AD/HD or a learning disability (e.g.,dyslexia), or any other learning related problem? Y/N

If yes, please explain:

Social/Emotional functioning

Do you have any concerns about your child's current mood, emotional stability, or mental health?

Y/N If yes, please explain:

Have you ever had concerns related to your child's safety including extreme risk-taking behaviors, self-injurious behaviors, or suicidal ideations? Yes _____ No _____

If yes, please explain:

In thinking about your child's mental health, do you have concerns related to any of the following:

Excessive worry _____	Difficulty controlling/managing worry _____
Changes in sleep patterns _____	Easily fatigued/loss of energy _____
Weight loss/gain _____	Changes in appetite _____
Loss of interest in activities _____	Irritability _____
Persistent feelings of sadness _____	Difficulty making decisions _____
Feelings of hopelessness/guilt _____	

Are you concerned about your child's relationships or lack of relationships with friends? Y/N If yes, please explain:

What are your child's interests?

What does your child enjoy doing outside of school?

Does your child get bullied (or bully others)? Y/N If yes, explain:

Any other concerns not addressed on this form?

Signature of individual completing this questionnaire:

Date:

Thank you!