

# Kidz Therapy Zone Parental Questionnaire

## **CLIENT/Child's INFORMATION**

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth date: \_\_\_\_\_

Person filling out this form: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to client: \_\_\_\_\_

Who can we thank for this referral?  
\_\_\_\_\_

## **FAMILY BACKGROUND**

Mother's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Marital Status:  Single  Widowed  Divorced  Married  Separated

History of Medical and/or Speech or Language Problems?  Yes  No

If "Yes" please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Marital Status:  Single  Widowed  Divorced  Married  Separated

History of Medical and/or Speech or Language Problems?  Yes  No

If "Yes" please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Brothers and Sisters:

| Name | Age | Medical or Speech Problems? |
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Who is currently living in the home with your child?

Biological Mother  Biological Father  Adoptive Parents  Brothers  Sisters

Other (please specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Is any language other than English spoken in the home?  Yes  No

What is the primary language spoken at home? \_\_\_\_\_

Have there been any major changes in the family during the last year?  
 If yes, please specify i.e. changes of address, parent separation/divorce, accident, illness/death, births, adoptions, marriage, etc.

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**FAMILY HEALTH**

A large majority of learning issues and emotional disturbances are hereditarily based. Have any family members had any of the following? **If yes, please specify family member’s relationship to this child.** If child is not living with biological parents, please include health information on biological parents if known.

|                       |                            |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|
| Autism                | ADHD/ADD                   |
| Fragile X Chromosome  | Substance abuse            |
| Cancer                | Tourette’s Disorder        |
| Cystic Fibrosis       | Down’s Syndrome            |
| Diabetes              | Neurofibromatosis          |
| Hypoglycemia          | Seizures or epilepsy       |
| Food allergies        | Speech or language problem |
| Atmospheric Allergies | Attention Deficit Disorder |
| Multiple sclerosis    | Muscular dystrophy         |
| Other: Describe       |                            |

| <u>Mental Illness</u> | <u>Learning Challenges</u> |
|-----------------------|----------------------------|
| Manic Depression      | Math Computation           |
| Schizophrenia         | Math Concepts              |
| Depression            | Written Expression         |
| Personality Disorder  | Listening Comprehension    |
| Anxiety               | Reading Comprehension      |

|                               |                  |
|-------------------------------|------------------|
| Mania                         | Reading of Words |
| Bipolar Disorder              | Spelling         |
| Obsessive Compulsive Disorder | Handwriting      |
| Other, please describe        | Oral Expression  |

**PRENATAL AND BIRTH HISTORY**

During Pregnancy (Check any that apply):

- Excessive vomiting       RH Incompatibility       Drug use
- Alcohol use     Hemorrhaging     Smoking       Illnesses
- High Blood Pressure       Trauma or injuries       X-ray Treatments
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

Labor and Delivery (Check any that apply):

- Full Term     Breeched Presentation     Premature: \_\_\_\_\_ weeks early
- Birth Weight: \_\_\_\_\_       Normal Delivery     Induced Labor
- Cesarean     Prolonged Labor     Forceps

Conditions affecting child after Birth (Check any that apply):

- Difficulty Breathing       Difficulty Sucking       Difficulty Feeding
- Seizures       Birth Defect       Extended Hospital Stay
- Jaundice       Infections
- NICU (how long) \_\_\_\_\_
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

**MEDICAL HISTORY**

Has your child ever had the following?

- Ear Infection       Tubes Inserted       Allergies       Asthma
- Head Injury       Encephalitis       Meningitis       Seizures
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

List Medications your child is currently taking and why:

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List any frequently occurring medical problems your child has:

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List any illnesses, injuries, or hospitalizations. Please include year.

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Does your child wear glasses?     Yes     No

Hearing Aides?     Yes     No

Do you suspect your child has a hearing loss?  Yes  No  
If "yes" what behaviors led you to suspect this?

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Has your child's hearing ever been tested?  Yes  No  
Location: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Results: \_\_\_\_\_ Recommendations: \_\_\_\_\_

Has your child's vision ever been tested?  Yes  No  
Location: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Results: \_\_\_\_\_ Recommendations: \_\_\_\_\_

Has your child received services from any of the following professionals?  
If so, please indicate from whom, where and when:

Speech-Language Pathologist:  Yes  No

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Physical/Occupational Therapist:  Yes  No

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Audiologist:  Yes  No

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Psychologist/Psychiatrist:  Yes  No

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Ear, Nose, Throat Doctor:  Yes  No

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Neurologist:  Yes  No

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Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**SLEEP AND EATING HABITS:**

Does your child sleep through the night?  Yes  No  
On average, how long does it take your child to fall asleep? \_\_\_\_\_  
Do they frequently wake throughout the night? \_\_\_\_\_

Please tell us more about your child's sleep habits/concerns:

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Does your child eat a variety of fruit/vegetables/protein?  Yes  No  
What are your child's favorite foods?

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Do you have concerns over your child's feeding/eating habits?  Yes  No

Please explain:

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## PLAY BEHAVIORS

What is the average length of time your child can stay playing at one activity? \_\_\_\_\_

What activities seem to hold your child's attention for the longest period of time?

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## INTERESTS/ HOBBIES/MOTIVATORS:

What are your child's interests? Examples: letters, numbers, dolls, cars, puzzles, swings, dancing, singing, bubbles, you name it! (When we know more about the child, we are better able to create motivating, client-centered interventions.)

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## SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL BEHAVIOR

Check the behaviors that describe your child:

- |   |  |   |                                      |
|---|--|---|--------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Overly quiet                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Overly active                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Excessive tantrums | <input type="checkbox"/> Destructive |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Very shy                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Perfectionistic                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Friendly/outgoing  | <input type="checkbox"/> Imaginative |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Plays well with other children | <input type="checkbox"/> Difficulty separating from parent |   |                                      |

Does your child...

Have problems relating to or playing with other children?  Yes  No

Have difficulty knowing the emotions of others?  Yes  No

Fight frequently with playmates?  Yes  No

Prefer playing with younger children?  Yes  No

Have difficulty making friends?  Yes  No

Have difficulty initiating/maintaining conversation?  Yes  No

Share easily with others?  Yes  No

Play creatively with toys?  Yes  No

Use play to imitate (playing house, answering the phone)?  Yes  No

Does your child play the same games repeatedly?  Yes  No

Does your child simply drop toys and walk away often?  Yes  No

Is your child rough/destructive with toys?  Yes  No

Participate in clean-up?  Yes  No

Prefer to play alone?  Yes  No

State they are lonely or wish for friendship  Yes  No

Comments:

Please rate child's level of...

|   |  |
|---|--|
| Cooperation <input type="checkbox"/> Good <input type="checkbox"/> Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Poor   | Tolerance of change <input type="checkbox"/> Good <input type="checkbox"/> Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Poor  |
| Coping skills <input type="checkbox"/> Good <input type="checkbox"/> Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Poor   | Anxiety/stress/fear <input type="checkbox"/> Good <input type="checkbox"/> Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Poor  |
| Motivation <input type="checkbox"/> Good <input type="checkbox"/> Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Poor  | Sadness <input type="checkbox"/> Good <input type="checkbox"/> Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Poor  |
| Impulsivity <input type="checkbox"/> Good <input type="checkbox"/> Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Poor   | Safety awareness <input type="checkbox"/> Good <input type="checkbox"/> Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Poor   |
| Confidence <input type="checkbox"/> Good <input type="checkbox"/> Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Poor  | Frustration levels <input type="checkbox"/> Good <input type="checkbox"/> Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Poor   |
| Response to limit setting <input type="checkbox"/> Good <input type="checkbox"/> Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Poor                               |  |
| Comments:   |  |
|   |  |
| <b>Tantrums:</b>  |  |
| Frequency: <input type="checkbox"/> Never <input type="checkbox"/> Seldom <input type="checkbox"/> Occasionally <input type="checkbox"/> Frequent |  |
| Intensity: <input type="checkbox"/> Mild <input type="checkbox"/> Moderate <input type="checkbox"/> Severe  |  |
| Average # of "meltdowns" per day _____ per week _____   |  |
| Comments:   |  |
|   |  |
| <b>Aggression:</b>  |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Never/Seldom   |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Verbal:  | <input type="checkbox"/> Loud <input type="checkbox"/> Yelling <input type="checkbox"/> Screaming <input type="checkbox"/> Crying <input type="checkbox"/> Saying hurtful things   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Physical:  | <input type="checkbox"/> Hit <input type="checkbox"/> Kick <input type="checkbox"/> Bite <input type="checkbox"/> Pinch <input type="checkbox"/> Slam door<br><input type="checkbox"/> Throw things <input type="checkbox"/> Tear paper <input type="checkbox"/> Damage property <input type="checkbox"/> Spit |
| Comments:   |  |
|   |  |
| <b>Cognition:</b>   |  |
| How would you rate your child's ability to..  |  |
| Attend to a single task <input type="checkbox"/> Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Poor   | Initiate a task <input type="checkbox"/> Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Poor  |
| Follow directions <input type="checkbox"/> Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Poor   | Count/ write #s <input type="checkbox"/> Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Poor  |
| Sing/write the alphabet <input type="checkbox"/> Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Poor   | Read <input type="checkbox"/> Fair <input type="checkbox"/> Poor   |
| Comments:   |  |
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**EDUCATIONAL HISTORY**

Does your child attend:

Preschool   Day care   Public school   Private school   Home schooled

Name of school: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade/Level: \_\_\_\_\_ Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of childcare provider: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Is your child on an Individualized Education or Family Service Plan (IEP or IFSP)?

Yes No

If so, what needs are addressed by the plan i.e. Speech/Communication, OT, PT:  
Please provide us with the IEP if available!

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Does your child enjoy school/childcare?  Yes  No

Please comment: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Are there any concerns reported by the teacher/care provider?  Yes  No

If so, please describe: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Is your child having any difficulty with:

Learning to read    Spelling    Telling stories    Understanding emotions of others

Please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

## SPEECH AND LANGUAGE DEVELOPMENT

**Please also complete this section if you have concerns regarding your child's Speech and Language Development:**

Indicate at what age your child demonstrated the following:

\_\_\_\_\_ Babbling      \_\_\_\_\_ Jargon (talking in own language)  
\_\_\_\_\_ Single words      \_\_\_\_\_ Phrases      \_\_\_\_\_ Short sentences

What is the primary method your child uses for letting you know what he/she wants? Some of these may not be relevant for your child's current age. (please check any that apply):

- |  |  |   |
|--|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Looking at objects          | <input type="checkbox"/> Pointing at objects | <input type="checkbox"/> Gestures and signs |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Crying                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Vocalizing          | <input type="checkbox"/> Sentences          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Leads you to desired object |  | <input type="checkbox"/> Single words       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 2-3 Word combinations       |  |   |

Which of the following describes your child's speech? (Please give examples)

- Easy to understand: \_\_\_\_\_
- Difficult for mother to understand: \_\_\_\_\_
- Difficult for others to understand: \_\_\_\_\_
- Almost never understood by others: \_\_\_\_\_
- Different than other children of the same age: \_\_\_\_\_

If your child does not use words, please describe how s/he communicates:

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Which of the following statements best describes your child's reaction to his/her speech?:

- Is easily frustrated when not understood
- Does not seem aware of speech/communication problem
- Has been teased about his/her speech
- Tries to say sounds or words more clearly when asked
- Is successful in saying sounds or words more clearly when he/she tries

Does your child have difficulty pronouncing certain sounds?  Yes  No

If "Yes", which ones? \_\_\_\_\_

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Does your child hesitate and/or repeat sounds or words?  Yes  No

Does your child "get stuck" when attempting to say a word?  Yes  No



If so, please mark any behaviors that you have observed:

- Repeats individual sounds or syllables (ex. B-b-baby)
- Repeats single words (ex. My, my, my)
- Prolongs sounds (ex. Mmmmmmy)
- Repeats phrases (ex. Can I, can I, can I go?)
- Shows physical or emotional tension
- Blocks the sound at the beginning or middle of the word when trying to speak

Is there a family history of stuttering that you are aware of? Please explain.

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Does your child's voice frequently sound rough or hoarse? If yes please explain.

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Do you question your child's ability to understand directions or conversations?

- Yes  No

Which of the following do you think your child understands? Some of these may not be relevant for your child's current age. (Please check any that apply)

- His/her own name       Names of body parts       Family names  
 Names of objects       Simple directions       Complex directions  
 Conversational speech

Do you find it necessary to use gestures to help your child understand what you want?  
Please describe: \_\_\_\_\_

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### **STATEMENT OF THE PROBLEM**

Describe in your own words, the speech or language problem you feel your child is experiencing \_\_\_\_\_

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When did you first notice the problem? \_\_\_\_\_

What is your child's awareness of/reaction to the problem?

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How do you and other family members react to this problem?

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What information do you hope to gain from this evaluation and what specific questions or areas do you wish us to address?

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## OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY DEVELOPMENT

**Please also complete this section if you have concerns regarding your child's overall development:**

### EARLY DEVELOPMENT

At approximately **what age** did your child achieve the following milestones?

Sitting alone \_\_\_\_\_ Crawling \_\_\_\_\_ Standing alone \_\_\_\_\_  
Walking alone \_\_\_\_\_ Using stairs \_\_\_\_\_ Feeding self \_\_\_\_\_  
Potty trained for night \_\_\_\_\_ Potty trained for day \_\_\_\_\_

Were there any medical reasons for the bed wetting or soiling? If yes, please describe: \_\_\_\_\_

### LATER DEVELOPMENT

From the age of 5 to the present time, were/are any special challenges noted in the following areas? **If yes, please describe**

Difficulty learning to ride a bike  Yes  No \_\_\_\_\_  
Difficulty learning to skip  Yes  No \_\_\_\_\_  
Difficulty following multiple directions  Yes  No \_\_\_\_\_

Which hand does your child use for:

Writing or drawing?  Right  Left

For Eating  Right  Left

For Throwing, Catching  Right  Left

If the child uses both, which is most preferred?  Right  Left

### ACTIVITIES OF DAILY LIVING

Is your child able to independently...

Wash and dry his/her body  Yes  No Wash his/her hair  Yes  No

Do you have any bathing/showering concerns?  Yes  No

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

Is your child able to independently...

Initiate toileting  Yes  No

Wipe self  Yes  No

Sequence toileting tasks  Yes  No

Wash his/her hands  Yes  No

Manage clothes during toileting  Yes  No

Manage clothing fasteners  Yes  No

Do you have any toileting concerns?  Yes  No

Is your child able to independently...

Brush his/her teeth  Yes  No

Floss  Yes  No

Comb his/her hair  Yes  No

Do you have any hygiene/grooming concerns?  Yes  No

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have any mobility/walking/running/stairs concerns?  Yes  No

Is your child able to independently...

Put on shirt  Take off shirt  Put on pants  Take off pants

Use zippers  Take off shoes  Tie shoes  Button/unbutton

Put on shoes

Is your child picky with what they wear?  Yes  No

Do you have any dressing concerns?  Yes  No

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

Feed him/herself  Yes  No

Use a spoon  Yes  No

Use a fork  Yes  No

Use a knife to spread  Yes  No

Use a knife to cut  Yes  No

Drink from a sippy cup  Yes  No

Drink through a straw  Yes  No

Prepare his/her own food?  Yes  No

Retrieve his/her own food?  Yes  No

Drink from an open cup  Yes  No

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have any Sensory concerns for your child?  Yes  No

Please explain:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

### **STATEMENT OF THE PROBLEM**

Describe in your own words, the general development, learning, and/or sensory challenge you feel your child is experiencing:

\_\_\_\_\_

When did you first notice the problem?

\_\_\_\_\_

What is your child's awareness of/reaction to the problem?

\_\_\_\_\_

How do you and other family members react to this problem?

\_\_\_\_\_

What information do you hope to gain from this evaluation and what specific questions or areas do you wish us to address?

\_\_\_\_\_