

EI Case Presentation

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ECHO Autism Early Intervention

Ages 0-8 Years

Case Presentation Form

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Complete this form to the best of your ability. This survey is individualized and should only be completed and submitted by the listed provider. A unique confidential patient ID number (ECHO ID) has been provided that must be utilized when identifying your patient during clinic.

Email our clinic coordinator **Sarah Towne** at sarahtowne@health.missouri.edu if you have any questions or comments.

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Presenting Provider Name:

Neha Chugh-Gupta

ECHO ID:

EI0053

Clinic/Facility:

New Franklin Elementary School

New Franklin, MO

Provider Phone Number:

573-239-5916

Provider Fax Number:

Presentation date:

03-11-2024

M-D-Y

Patient Data

Biological Gender:

☒ Male ☐ Female ☐ Unsure

Patient Age:

Insurance:

Insurance Company:

Race:

Ethnicity:

Patient Outcomes

Who referred the child to you?

How long has the child been in your care?

Has the patient received a diagnosis?

If so, when?

By which physician?

How long did the patient have to wait to see you?

How long has the patient been in your care?

Is the patient in individual or group intervention?

How often do you see the patient?

How many sessions have you had with the patient?

Who typically accompanies the patient to clinic appointments?

How far did the patient travel to get to you office?

Miles:

Hours:

Minutes:

List the questions you would like help with.

1)

Motivation: We have tried so many things with him, but he doesn't care. Difficult to engage and motivate him. He is motivated by kinetic sand, likes rice and corn bin. But if we do a First, Then type of thing, he just doesn't care about the motivation or the reward. He really is just not motivated and will be pretty happy sitting and doing nothing. How would you work on motivating him?? He needs al ot of prompting to do anything. Can be really resistant.
We have done an interest inventory

2)

Carryover to home has been pretty low- concepts are not being reinforced. We have a PECS book, but he's not motivated to get it or use it. AAC device (Nova Chat) has been trialed but he is not interested and mom is not interested in getting one..Mom is not interested- I would love to initiate the conversation of what kind of life do you want him to have? Or what skills do you want to work on at home? Do you have any suggestions on tools or strategies to make this easier? Brother also has autism and mom has been resistant to support groups or outside resources , so it has been difficult with this student. How can we have her open up to us more or tell us what she would like a life for her child to be. She is really protective. Any resources or questionnaires you recommend that we could have her fill out.

3)

IEP goals. Goals we have had in the past year, with hopes that he would achieve this, have just not been working well all year. It feels like we are working on the same thing in different ways and we are getting no where. He often Says NO and pushes things away and is not motivated to work on much.
What is the best happy medium here for functional and academic skills?

Birth History

Exposures during pregnancy:

☐ Smoking ☐ Alcohol ☐ Valproic Acid ☐ Street drugs/other ☒ Unknown

Other:

Gestational age:

(weeks)

Birth weight:

(lbs)

(oz)

Delivery mode:

☐ Vaginal ☐ C-section

Presentation:

☐ Breech ☐ Head first

Were there newborn problems?

☐ Yes ☐ No

Please check all of the following that apply:

- ☐ In NICU
- ☐ Required intubation
- ☐ Seizures
- ☐ Birth defects
- ☐ Feeding issues in infancy
- ☐ Other

Comments:

No complications at birth.

Development History

Communication Ability (Please indicate the child's highest communication/s)

- ☐ Nonverbal (e.g., no functional words)
- ☒ Uses single words
- ☒ Uses 2-3 word phrases
- ☐ Uses sentences
- ☐ Chats with other
- ☒ Uses gestures (e.g., pointing, waving and/or leads other to wants/needs)

Behavior Concerns

- ☒ Short attention span
- ☐ Hyperactivity
- ☒ Obsessive-compulsive
- ☐ Aggressive
- ☐ Hurting animals or other people
- ☐ Unusual or excessive fears
- ☐ Depression
- ☐ Defiant
- ☒ Self-injury (e.g., head banging, biting, scratching, cutting, picking, etc.)
- ☒ Toileting issues, accidents
- ☐ Irritability/Moodiness
- ☐ Hallucinations

Comments:

Wears a pull-up. Able to toilet independently with reminders at school. Likes to have things in a specific way, ex: when matching or sorting- items need to be stacked exactly on top of each other. Has a very short attention span- wants to move quickly between activities- needs frequent redirection. His self-injury behaviors are minor. When he gets frustrated he will smack his head or his belly out of frustration.

Medical/Psychiatric History

Please list all diagnosis, surgeries, illnesses and or any significant medical history:

Diagnosis/Illness:

Autism

Age:

Date - Year:

2020

Professional making diagnosis:

School Diagnosis

Diagnosis/Illness:

Please list current medications and supplements:

Medication:

Please check all of the following that apply:

- ☐ Seizures
- ☐ Tic Disorder
- ☐ Staring spells
- ☐ Toe walking
- ☐ Hypertonia
- ☐ Hypotonia
- ☐ Microcephaly
- ☐ Macrocephaly
- ☐ Chronic stomach ache/pain/reflux
- ☐ Chronic constipation
- ☐ Chronic diarrhea
- ☐ Chronic ear infections
- ☐ Food allergy
- ☐ Environmental allergies
- ☐ Skin problems (e.g., rash, eczema)

Comments:

None.

Testing

Have the following tests been performed?

Chromosomal Microarray

☐ Yes ☐ No ☒ Unknown

Karyotype

☐ Yes ☐ No ☒ Unknown

Fragile X DNA

☐ Yes ☐ No ☒ Unknown

MRI of the brain

☐ Yes ☐ No ☒ Unknown

EEG

☐ Yes ☐ No ☒ Unknown

Sleep study

☐ Yes ☐ No ☒ Unknown

Lead blood level

☐ Yes ☐ No ☒ Unknown

Audiologic (hearing) exam

☐ Yes ☐ No ☒ Unknown

Vision screening

☐ Yes ☐ No ☒ Unknown

Academic testing

☐ Yes ☐ No ☒ Unknown

Intelligence testing

☐ Yes ☐ No ☒ Unknown

Comments:

He has been given the Vineland Adaptive Behavior Assessment and CARS2-ST. He was also given some informal speech and language assessments as well as some sensory processing assessments. His other assessments were observations.

Dietary/Nutrition/Metabolic

Please check all of the following that apply:

- ☐ Problem eater (Less than 10 foods)
- ☒ Picky eater (Less than 20 foods)
- ☐ Special Diet
- ☐ Pica (Eating/craving non-food items)
- ☒ Chewing or swallowing issues
- ☒ History of growth concerns - Overweight
- ☐ History of growth concerns - Underweight

Which beverages does the child drink regularly?

☒ Water ☒ Milk ☐ Juice/Sweetened beverages

Approximately how much **water** does the child drink per day?

(oz)

How often is **water** accessible?

☐ At meals/snack times ☒ Access to water available all day

Approximately how much **milk** does the child drink per day?

(oz)

Does child drink more than 24 oz **milk** per day?

☐ Yes ☐ No ☒ Unknown

How often is **milk** accessible?

☒ At meals/snack time ☐ Access to fluids available all day

Comments:

He will sometimes gag on his food making him throw up.

Sleep History

Rarely = never or 1 time/week; **Sometimes** = 2-4 times/week; **Usually** = 5 or more times/week

Does the child fall asleep within 20 minutes? If yes, how often?

☐ No ☐ Rarely ☐ Sometimes ☐ Usually ☒ Unsure

Does the child awaken more than once during the night? If yes, how often?

☐ No ☐ Rarely ☐ Sometimes ☐ Usually ☒ Unsure

Comments:

Trauma/Abuse History

| | No | Yes | Suspected |
|----------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Trauma/Abuse History | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Physical Abuse | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |
| Sexual Abuse | <input checked="" type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> | <input type="radio"/> |

Comments:

Social History

Child resides with:

Biological Parents

Has legal custody of the child:

Both parents

Biological parents are:

Married

How many people live in the home *not* including the child?

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Who lives in the home with the child?

Relationship (1/2 sib, step-parent, etc.):

Brother

Age:

12

(yrs) (mos)

Gender:

Male

Relationship:

Sister

Age:

High Schooler

(yrs) (mos)

Gender:

Female

Relationship:

Mom

Age:

(yrs) (mos)

Gender:

Relationship:

Dad

Age:

(yrs) (mos)

Gender:

List other significant caregivers that live outside the home (e.g., family, friends, grandparents, neighbor):

Comments:

Brother also has a diagnoses of Autism

Family History

Condition/Disorder

| | Mom | Dad | Brother | Sister |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Genetic Disorders | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Autism Spectrum Disorder | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Intellectual Disability | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Learning Disability | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Seizure Disorder (e.g., epilepsy) | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Mental Health Concerns (e.g., Depression, Anxiety Disorder, Bipolar) | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Childhood deaths | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Birth defects | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Dysmorphology | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Substance abuse | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Comments:

Child Care or Educational History

What is the child's current child care or educational placement? (Please check all that apply)

- ☐ Parents provide full time child care at home
- ☐ In-home child care (other caregiver)
- ☐ In-home day care
- ☐ Day care center
- ☐ Preschool
- ☐ Head Start or Early Head Start
- ☐ Homeschool

- ☐ 1st Steps
- ☒ Public School
- ☐ Private School

Does the child participate in either of the following?

- ☐ Early Intervention Services (First Steps or Birth-3 Program)
- ☐ Early Childhood Special Education (ECSE)

If the child attends child care or school outside the home, what is the typical schedule?

- ☒ Full Day
- ☐ Part Day

Does the child have an IEP or 504 plan?

- ☒ Yes
- ☐ No

What services and how many minutes does the child receive?

Language Therapy: 60 minutes/week
OT: 30 minutes/week
Speech: 30 minutes per week

Specialized Instruction in Reading Skills: 333 mins/week
Specialized instruction for Math skills : 332 mins/week
Specialized Instruction for Behavior Skills: 320 mins/week
Specialized Instruction in Adaptive Behavior Skills: 320 mins/week

Paraprofessional Support: 625 mins/week

Under what category is the child eligible for services?

- ☒ Autism
- ☐ Deaf-blindness
- ☐ Emotional Disturbance
- ☐ Hearing Impaired/Deafness
- ☐ Intellectual Disability
- ☐ Multiple Disabilities
- ☐ Orthopedic Impairment
- ☐ Other Health Impairment
- ☐ Specific Learning Disability
- ☐ Speech/Language Impairment
- ☐ Traumatic Brain Injury
- ☐ Visual Impairment/ Blindness
- ☐ Young Child with a Developmental Delay (YCDD)

Comments:

Outside Resources

Resources:

- ☐ Bureau of Special Health Care Needs
- ☐ Behavioral Therapy/ABA
- ☐ Easter Seals
- ☐ Division of Family Services (DFS)

- ☐ Physical Therapy (PT)
- ☐ Parents as Teachers (PAT)
- ☐ WIC
- ☐ Counseling
- ☐ Regional Center (Dept. of Mental Health)
- ☐ Speech Language Therapy (SLT)
- ☐ Psychiatric Services
- ☐ First Steps
- ☐ Occupational Therapy (OT)
- ☐ Social Security Disability (SSI)
- ☐ None of the above
- ☐ Other

Comments

Social Communication

A1. Deficits in social-emotional reciprocity. (Click all that apply)

- ☐ Unusual social initiations (e.g., intrusive touching, licking or others)
- ☐ Use of others as tools (e.g. child uses your hand to initiate a task)
- ☐ Failure to respond when name called or when spoken directly to
- ☒ Does not initiate conversations
- ☒ Lack of showing or pointing out objects of interest to other people
- ☐ Lack of responsive social smile
- ☒ Failure to share enjoyment, excitement or achievements with others
- ☐ Does not show pleasure in social interactions
- ☒ Failure to offer comfort to others
- ☒ Only initiates to get help

A2. Deficits in nonverbal communicative behaviors used for social interaction (check all that apply)

- ☒ Impairments in social use of eye contact
- ☒ Impairment in the use and understanding of body postures (e.g. facing away from listener)
- ☒ Impairment in the use and understanding of gestures (e.g. pointing, waving, nodding head)
- ☒ Abnormal volume, pitch, intonation, rate, rhythm, stress, prosody or volume in speech
- ☒ Lack of coordinated verbal and nonverbal communication (e.g. inability to coordinate eye contact or body language with words)

A3. Deficits in developing, maintaining, and understanding relationships

- ☒ Inability to take another person's perspective (4 years or older)
- ☒ Does not notice another person's lack of interest in an activity
- ☐ Lack of response to contextual cues (e.g. social cues from others indicating a change in behavior is implicitly requested)
- ☒ Inappropriate expressions of emotion (laughing or smiling out of context)
- ☒ Lack of imaginative play with peers
- ☒ Does not try to establish friendships
- ☒ Lack of cooperative play (over 24 months of age)
- ☒ Lack of interest in peers
- ☒ Withdrawn; aloof; in own world
- ☒ Prefers solitary activities

Restricted/Repetitive Behavior

B1. Stereotyped or repetitive motor movements, use of objects, or speech

- ☐ Lining up toys
- ☒ Nonfunctional play with objects (Examples: dropping items repetitively, holding objects for long periods of time without purpose)
- ☐ Repetitively turns on/off lights
- ☒ Echolalia
- ☐ Idiosyncratic phrases (Example: "crunchy water" for ice)
- ☒ Hand flapping
- ☐ Rocking
- ☐ Flicking fingers in front of eyes
- ☐ Opening/closing doors
- ☐ Spinning
- ☐ Unusually formal language (Example: little professor talk)
- ☐ Jargon or gibberish past developmental age of 24 months
- ☐ Use of "rote" language
- ☐ Pronoun reversal and/or refers to self by own name
- ☒ Repetitive vocalizations (Examples: unusual squealing, repetitive humming)
- ☐ Abnormal posture (Examples: toe walking, intense full body posturing)
- ☐ Excessive teeth grinding
- ☐ Repetitive picking

B2. Insistence on sameness, inflexible adherence to routines, or ritualized patterns of verbal or nonverbal behavior

- ☐ Difficulty with transition
- ☐ Unusual routines
- ☐ Repetitive questioning about a particular topic
- ☐ Extreme distress with small changes
- ☐ Rigid thinking patterns (Examples: inability to understand humor or nonliteral aspects of speech such as irony)
- ☐ Greeting rituals or other verbal rituals
- ☒ Compulsions (Example: must turn in a circle three times before entering a room)
- ☐ Need to take some route or eat same food every day

B3. Highly restricted, fixated interests that are abnormal in intensity or focus

- ☐ Strong attachment to or preoccupation with unusual objects (Examples: fans, elevators)
- ☐ Excessively circumscribed or perseverative interests (Examples: dinosaurs, alphabet, shapes)
- ☐ Being overly perfectionistic
- ☐ Excessive focus on nonrelevant or nonfunctional parts of objects (Example: overly focused on wheels on car)
- ☐ Attachment to unusual inanimate object (Example: measuring cup or ring from canning jar)
- ☐ Unusual fears (Example: people wearing earrings or hats)

B4. Hyper- or hypo-reactivity to sensory input or unusual interest in sensory aspects of the environment

- ☐ Apparent indifference to pain/temperature
- ☐ Adverse response to specific sounds or textures (Examples: tactile defensiveness, significant aversion to nail cutting)
- ☐ Excessive smelling, licking or touching of objects
- ☐ Visual fascination with lights or movement (Examples: close visual inspection of objects or self for no clear purpose)
- ☐ Excessive movement, seeking behavior

Additional Comments

Proposed Recommendations:

Based on my assessment, the following recommendations are proposed for the child:

1)

2)

3)

4)

5)

6)

Complete?

Complete ▼