ASQ & ASQ:SE-2

AGES AND STAGES QUESTIONNAIRE (ASQ)

- ASQ is a low-cost, reliable tool for screening infants and young children who may be at risk for developmental delays during the crucial first 5 years of life. The Ages & Stages Questionnaires® (ASQ) Third Edition is a questionnaire designed to help parents check their child's development. Activities discussed in each questionnaire reflect developmental milestones for each age group. Parents can use the results of the ASQ to help talk with pediatricians, teachers or other professionals if they have concerns about their child's development.

- The core of ASQ is a series of 21 questionnaires that correspond to age intervals from 1 – 66 months. Each questionnaire contains 30 simple questions for parents to answer about activities their child is (or is not) able to do in 5 domains. The answers are scored and help to determine whether the child's development is on schedule or whether the child should be referred for a developmental checkup with a professional.

EXAMPLE

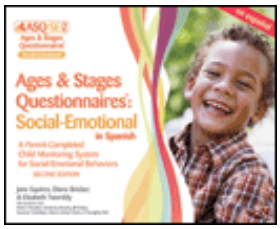
FOR A 16 MONTH QUESTIONNAIRE, COMMUNICATIONS SECTION:

1. Does your child point to, pat, or try to pick up pictures in a book?
2. Does your child say four or more words in addition to “mama” and “dada?”
3. When your child wants something, does she tell you by pointing to it?
4. When you ask your child to, does he go into another room to find a familiar toy or object? (You might ask, “Where is your ball?” or say “Bring me your coat,” or “Go get your blanket.”
5. Does your child imitate a two-word sentence? For example, when you say a two-word phrase, such as “Mama eat,” “Daddy play,” “Go home,” or “What’s this?”does your child say both words back to you? (Mark “yes” even if her words are difficult to understand.”
6. Does your child say eight or more words in addition to “mama” or “dada?”
   Options for answering are: yes, sometimes, not yet.

WEBSITE (DESCRIBES THE TOOL) : http://agesandstages.com/asq-products/asq-3/asq-3-at-a-glance/

WEBSITE (ALLOWS PARENTS TO TAKE ASQ ONLINE): https://asqoregon.com/whatisasq.php?lang=en

AGES & STAGES QUESTIONNAIRES® : SOCIAL EMOTIONAL (ASQ:SE-2)



- The *Ages & Stages Questionnaires® :Social Emotional-2 (ASQ:SE-2)* is a first level screening tool that is designed to identify children who may be at risk for social or emotional difficulties. The ASQ:SE-2 does not diagnose serious social or emotional disorders; rather it should be seen as first step aid in identifying young children who may benefit from more in-depth evaluation and/or preventive interventions designed to improve their social competence, emotional competence, or both. Behaviors discussed in each questionnaire reflect developmental milestones for each age group. Parents can use the results of the ASQ:SE-2 to help talk with pediatricians, teachers or other professionals if they have concerns about their child's social emotional development.

- The core of ASQ:SE-2 is a series of 9 questionnaires that correspond to age intervals from 1 – 72 months. Each questionnaire contains anywhere from 16 – 36 simple questions for parents to answer about their child's behavior and social interactions. The answers are scored and help to determine whether the child's development appears to be progressing as expected or whether the child should be referred for a professional evaluation.

EXAMPLE

FOR A 36 MONTH QUESTIONNAIRE, HERE ARE FIVE QUESTIONS:

1. Does your child look at you when you talk to her?
2. Does your child like to be hugged or cuddled?
3. Does your child talk or play with adults he knows well?
4. Does your child cling to you more than you expect?
5. When upset, can your child calm down within 15 minutes?

Options for answering are: often or always, sometimes, rarely or never.

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