Additional Communication Competencies Data Sheet

Student:

Operational Competency

Initial of Data Collector	Setting	Operational Competency Examples: Access with keyboard - size, keyguard; Access with switch, etc.; Adjust volume; Turn/wake up device; Program vocabulary; Charge	Present and observed	Emerging (requires prompting etc)	Not present

Social Competency

Initial of Data Collector	Setting	Social Competency Examples: Uses device to initiate/terminate conversation appropriately; Gains and maintains partner attention appropriately; Shifts topics; Shifts communication style; Uses in various communication environments/platforms	Present and observed	Emerging (requires prompting etc)	Not present

Strategic Competency

Initial of Data Collector	Setting	Strategic Competency Examples: Is aware if the communication partner is not understanding; Uses repair strategies as needed; Independently uses an introduction strategy; Plans ahead to contribute effectively in a conversation (e.g., compose and store messages for the doctor before appointment).	Present and observed	Emerging (requires prompting etc)	Not present

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