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Social Communication and Relationship Development Skills Observation/Assessment and Intervention Planning

Child or Adult's Name:	DOB

Family or Staff Concerns:

Observation Date	+/-	Cued ✓	Comments	
Awareness of Others				
Does things for play without any interaction with another				
Reacts when sees you: Recognition				
Engagement (connecting to another person)				
Anticipatory excitement				
Receptive Socialization				
Attunement (Awareness of changes in another person)				
Responds/reacts to changes in another (Social responsiveness)				
Reacts to your coming and going: attends to your movement				
Looks to the direction in which you point				
Responds to name				
Displays stranger anxiety				
Looks at the face of another to get information				
Responds to your cues: verbal, non-verbal, gestural, facial expression, tone of voice (list on back)				

Responds to facial expressions	
Shifts attention at the lead of another	
Looks where you are looking	
Looks at something together and then references each other (joint attention)	
Expressive Socialization	
Orients the body towards the speaker	
Initiates communication	
Gains your attention	
Uses space to indicate communicative intent	
Uses physical touch to communicate	
Uses different sounds/movements for different messages	
Uses and responds to gestures	
Gazes at you	
Uses gaze to communicate	
Has a social smile	
Directs speech or sounds towards the face of a communicative partner	
Uses facial expressions to send a message to another	
Responds differently to different people	
Reciprocal Skills	
Requires gross motor activity for communication/play	
Imitates your actions	
Wants you to imitate	
Gives things to you	
Takes things from you	

Initiates play		
Says/does nice things to you or for you		
Enjoys social play with touch		
Anticipates a social routine		
Demonstrates working memory (retains information while doing something else)		

Other Notes:

Priorities for Support and Intervention:

Activities/Strategies to Address Priorities: