Decision Tree for Summary Rating Discussions

Does the child function in ways that would be considered age-appropriate with regard to this indicator?

Yes (consider rating T,E,A,M)

No (consider rating I,N,G)

Is the child’s functioning age-appropriate across all or almost all settings and situations?

Yes

No

Does anyone have concerns about the child’s functioning with regard to the indicator area?

No

Yes

Child uses age-appropriate skills some of the time across settings and situations. There is a mix of appropriate and not appropriate behaviors and skills.

Rating = T

Child rarely uses age-appropriate skills. There is much more behavior that is not age-appropriate than age-appropriate.

Rating = A

To what extent is the child using age-appropriate skills across settings and situations?

Yes

No

Child uses foundational skills across settings and situations most or all of the time.

Rating = I

Child rarely uses foundational skills across settings and situations.

Rating = N

To what extent is the child using immediate foundational skills across settings and situations?

Yes

No

Rating = G

Does the child use any immediate foundational skills related to this indicator upon which to build age-appropriate functioning across settings and situations?