



ESI Administration Checklist

ESI Assessor _____ Date: _____ Tape: _____

This checklist may be used to score the administration tapes for the ESI. To be certified to administer the ESI, the adult play partner should complete the administration steps to at least an 81% (13 out of 16) criterion level.

Setting up the ESI Administration Situation: Materials & Positioning

1. Adult play partner sets up each toy for child to play with (with other toys out-of-sight but within reach of administrator).
2. Each toy is arranged to attract child's attention.
3. Adult and child are positioned so they can see and reach toys.
4. Adult Play partner and child can have eye contact.
5. Child is positioned appropriately for his/her developmental level (head, neck and feet supported as needed).
6. Session is timed (2 min. for each toy).
7. Video camera is set up so that child can be seen for scoring.

ESI Assessment Administration: Play Situation

8. Adult play partner follows child's lead in play situation.
9. Adult play partner comments about what child is doing with toy.
10. Adult play partner describes what he/she is doing with toy to encourage child to play with the toy.
11. Adult play partner interacts in non-directive, friendly manner.

Ending ESI Session

12. Each toy presentation ends after 2 min. (repeated for all 3 toys).
13. Session ends exactly after 6 minutes.
14. Adult play partner lets child know that it is time to stop.
15. Adult play partner thanks child for playing.
16. Adult play partner cleans toys (may be reported).

Administration Accuracy = [(Total Number of Steps Completed Correctly/16 Steps) x 100] = _____% (Need 81%)

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