Concise Nicespeechlady.com Caregiver Perception Assessment: Receptive Language, Version 2 (C-NCPA: Receptive Language2)

Instructions: Please answer questions below:

DEFINITIONS:
Basic communication = speaking in single words or few words at a time.
Moderately-advanced communication = speaking in sentences, mostly about simple ideas.
Complex communication = long sentences, uncommon words.

About Receptive Language:

1. When the patient can’t understand others, the patient lets the speaker know (if not applicable because the patient always understands others, indicate “always”).
   NEVER (1) OCCASIONALLY (2) SOMETIMES (3) MOSTLY (4) ALWAYS (5)

2. Basic communication is understood by the patient.
   NEVER (1) OCCASIONALLY (2) SOMETIMES (3) MOSTLY (4) ALWAYS (5)

3. Moderately-advanced communication is understood by the patient.
   NEVER (1) OCCASIONALLY (2) SOMETIMES (3) MOSTLY (4) ALWAYS (5)

4. Complex communication is understood by the patient.
   NEVER (1) OCCASIONALLY (2) SOMETIMES (3) MOSTLY (4) ALWAYS (5)

5. Speech pathology home program practice is conducted at least 10 days out of every two-week period.
   NEVER (1) OCCASIONALLY (2) SOMETIMES (3) MOSTLY (4) ALWAYS (5)

6. When others ask yes and no questions, the patient answers correctly.
   NEVER (1) OCCASIONALLY (2) SOMETIMES (3) MOSTLY (4) ALWAYS (5)

7. When others communicate directions to the patient, the patient follows them.
   NEVER (1) OCCASIONALLY (2) SOMETIMES (3) MOSTLY (4) ALWAYS (5)

8. The patient understands what others say to them.
   NEVER (1) OCCASIONALLY (2) SOMETIMES (3) MOSTLY (4) ALWAYS (5)
9. The patient’s skills in understanding others’ communications are functional, so they would not be a barrier to social interactions.

NEVER (1)  OCCASIONALLY (2)  SOMETIMES (3)  MOSTLY (4)  ALWAYS (5)

10. The patient is moving forward in understanding and following the communications of others.

NEVER (1)  OCCASIONALLY (2)  SOMETIMES (3)  MOSTLY (4)  ALWAYS (5)

SCORE = _____/50

New discussion items _______________________________________________________________________

Level of Assistance Provided (reading items, caregiver input, etc.):
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Scoring Projection Data — Patient’s Receptive Language Skills (through Caregiver Perception) are Projected to be Rated as:

10 — 17 = profound involvement/total assistance required
18 — 25 = severe involvement/maximum assistance required
26 — 32 = moderate involvement/moderate cues required
33 — 37 = mild involvement/minimum cues required
38 — 44 = WFLs with independent use of strategies
45 — 50 = WNLs with independent use of strategies

NOTE TO THE SLP: This perspective-ranking measures describe the patient’s strengths and possible areas to address in treatment. These are not norm-referenced measures (levels are rough estimates of functioning by reporting, only, and are more descriptive in nature than evaluative). These measures should always accompany direct observational evaluation measures and testing tool administration by the clinician (norm-referenced, if possible), and should not stand alone as evaluative.