## NICHQ Vanderbilt Assessment Scale—TEACHER Informant

Teacher's Name:		Class Time:	Class Name/Period:
Today's Date:	Child's Name:		Grade Level:

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Directions: Each rating should be considered in the context of what is appropriate for the age of the child you are rating and should reflect that child's behavior since the beginning of the school year. Please indicate the number of weeks or months you have been able to evaluate the behaviors: \_

Is this evaluation based on a time when the child 👘 🗌 was on medication 📋 was not on medication 🗍 not sure?

Symptoms	Never	Occasionally	Often	Very Often
1. Fails to give attention to details or makes careless mistakes in schoolwork	0	1	2	3
2. Has difficulty sustaining attention to tasks or activities	0	1	2	3
3. Does not seem to listen when spoken to directly	0	1	2	3
4. Does not follow through on instructions and fails to finish schoolwork (not due to oppositional behavior or failure to understand)	0	1	2	3
5. Has difficulty organizing tasks and activities	0	1	2	3
6. Avoids, dislikes, or is reluctant to engage in tasks that require sustained mental effort	0	1	2	3
7. Loses things necessary for tasks or activities (school assignments, pencils, or books)	0	1	2	3
8. Is easily distracted by extraneous stimuli	0	1	2	3
9. Is forgetful in daily activities	0	1	2	3
10. Fidgets with hands or feet or squirms in seat	0	1	2	3
11. Leaves seat in classroom or in other situations in which remaining seated is expected	0	1	2	3
12. Runs about or climbs excessively in situations in which remaining seated is expected	0	1	2	3
13. Has difficulty playing or engaging in leisure activities quietly	0	1	2	3
14. Is "on the go" or often acts as if "driven by a motor"	0	1	2	3
15. Talks excessively	0	1	2	• 3
16. Blurts out answers before questions have been completed	0	1	2	3
17. Has difficulty waiting in line	0	I	2	3
18. Interrupts or intrudes on others (eg, butts into conversations/games)	0	1	2	3
19. Loses temper	0	1	2	3
20. Actively defies or refuses to comply with adult's requests or rules	0	1	2	3
21. Is angry or resentful	0	1	2	3
22. Is spiteful and vindictive	0	1	2	3
23. Bullies, threatens, or intimidates others	0	1	2	3
24. Initiates physical fights	0	1	2	3
25. Lies to obtain goods for favors or to avoid obligations (eg, "cons" others)	0	1	2	3
26. Is physically cruel to people	0	1	2	3
27. Has stolen items of nontrivial value	0	1	2	3
28. Deliberately destroys others' property	0	1	2	3
29. Is fearful, anxious, or worried	0	1	2	3
30. Is self-conscious or easily embarrassed	0	1	2	3
31. Is afraid to try new things for fear of making mistakes	0	1	2	3

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# NICHQ Vanderbilt Assessment Scale—TEACHER Informant, continued

Teacher's Name: Class	Class Time:		Class Name/Period:			
Today's Date: Child's Name:		Grade I	.evel:			
Symptoms (continued)		Never	Occasionally	Often	Very Often	
32. Feels worthless or inferior		0	1	2	3	
33. Blames self for problems; feels guilty		0	1	2	3	
34. Feels lonely, unwanted, or unloved; complains that "no on	e loves him or	her"0	1	2	3	
35. Is sad, unhappy, or depressed		0	1	2	3	
				Somewhat		
Performance		Above		of a		
Academic Performance	Excellent	Average	Average	Problem	Problematic	
36. Reading	1	2	3	4	5	
37. Mathematics	1	2	3	4	5	
38. Written expression	1	2	3	4	5	
				Somewhat	<b>:</b>	
	F U	Above	<b>A</b>	of a Decision	Buchlomatic	
Classroom Behavioral Performance	Excellent	Average 2	Average 3	4	Problematic 5	
39. Relationship with peers	1	2	3	<u>4</u>	5	
40. Following directions 41. Disrupting class	1	2	3	4	5	
41. Disrupting class 42. Assignment completion	1	2	3	4	5	
43. Organizational skills	<u>+</u>	2	3	4	5	
Comments:						
Please return this form to:						
Mailing address:						
Fax number:						
For Office Use Only						
Total number of questions scored 2 or 3 in questions 1-9:						
Total number of questions scored 2 or 3 in questions 10–18:						
Total Symptom Score for questions 1–18:						
Total number of questions scored 2 or 3 in questions 19–28:						
Total number of questions scored 2 or 3 in questions 29–35:						
Total number of questions scored 2 or 5 in questions 25–55.						
Average Performance Score:						

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# NICHQ Vanderbilt Assessment Follow-up—TEACHER Informant

Teacher's Name: C	Class Time:	Class Name/Period:
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Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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Directions: Each rating should be considered in the context of what is appropriate for the age of the child you are rating and should reflect that child's behavior since the last assessment scale was filled out. Please indicate the number of weeks or months you have been able to evaluate the behaviors: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Grade Level: \_\_\_\_\_

□ was on medication □ was not on medication □ not sure? Is this evaluation based on a time when the child

Symptoms	Never	Occasionally	Often	Very Often
1. Does not pay attention to details or makes careless mistakes with, for example, homework	0	1	2	3
2. Has difficulty keeping attention to what needs to be done	0	1	2	3
3. Does not seem to listen when spoken to directly	0	1	2	3
4. Does not follow through when given directions and fails to finish activities (not due to refusal or failure to understand)	0	1	2	3
5. Has difficulty organizing tasks and activities	0	1	2	3
6. Avoids, dislikes, or does not want to start tasks that require ongoing mental effort	0	1	2.	3
7. Loses things necessary for tasks or activities (toys, assignments, pencils, or books)	0	1	2	3
8. Is easily distracted by noises or other stimuli	0	1	2	3
9. Is forgetful in daily activities	0	1	2	3
10. Fidgets with hands or feet or squirms in seat	0	1	2	3
11. Leaves seat when remaining seated is expected	0	Ι	2	3
12. Runs about or climbs too much when remaining seated is expected	0	1	2	3
13. Has difficulty playing or beginning quiet play activities	0	1	2	3
14. Is "on the go" or often acts as if "driven by a motor"	0	1	2	3
15. Talks too much	0	1	2	3
16. Blurts out answers before questions have been completed	0	1	2	3
17. Has difficulty waiting his or her turn	0	1	2	3
18. Interrupts or intrudes in on others' conversations and/or activities	0	1	2	3

		Above		Somewhat of a	:
Performance	Excellent	Average	Average	Problem	Problematic
19. Reading	1	2	3	4	5
20. Mathematics	1	2	3	4	5
21. Written expression	1	2	3	4	5
22. Relationship with peers	1	2	3	4	5
23. Following direction	1	2	3	4	5
24. Disrupting class	1	2	3	4	5
25. Assignment completion	1	2	3	4	5
26. Organizational skills	1	2	3	4	5

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Teacher's Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Class Time: \_\_\_\_\_ Class Name/Period: \_\_\_\_\_\_

Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade Level: \_\_\_\_\_ .... 

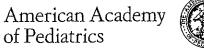
Side Effects: Has the child experienced any of the following side	Are these side effects currently a problem?			
effects or problems in the past week?	None	Mild	Moderate	Severe
Headache				
Stomachache				***
Change of appetite—explain below				
Trouble sleeping	•			
Irritability in the late morning, late afternoon, or evening-explain below				
Socially withdrawn—decreased interaction with others				
Extreme sadness or unusual crying				
Dull, tired, listless behavior				
Tremors/feeling shaky				
Repetitive movements, tics, jerking, twitching, eye blinking—explain below				
Picking at skin or fingers, nail biting, lip or cheek chewing—explain below				
Sees or hears things that aren't there				

### Explain/Comments:

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Total Symptom Score for questions 1–18:	
Average Performance Score:	•

Please return this form to:		
Mailing address:		
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