



ALS CLINIC INTAKE INFORMATION FOR AAC

The AAC evaluation may include several visits. Additional therapy/intervention may be recommended. The person being referred should answer these questions, if possible. In addition, other team members, should provide input.

A: PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name: _____ Today's Date: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Age: _____ Sex: _____ Height: _____ Weight: _____

Right handed Left handed

Diagnosis (circle): ALS-Bulbar ALS-Spinal ALS-Mixed ALS-unknown

Onset of ALS Diagnosis: _____

Do you currently have or have you previously had any of the diseases listed below?

Yes No

If yes, when diagnosed

- High blood pressure _____
- Diabetes _____
- Heart Disease _____
- Lung Disease _____
- Stomach Disorders (ulcer, etc.) _____
- Liver Disorders (hepatitis, etc.) _____
- HIV positive _____
- Kidney and Bladder Control _____
- Glands (thyroid, etc.) _____
- Skin Disease _____
- Cancer _____
- Fainting Spells _____
- Vision Problems (not glasses) _____
- Hearing Problems _____
- Depression _____
- Other Physical or Mental Health Diagnosis _____

Do you have any allergies? Yes No If yes, please list _____

Are you currently taking any medications? Yes No If yes, please list _____

Non-Prescription Medications & Supplements: _____

Referring Physician: _____

To Be Completed By Prairie Rehabilitation Services

Primary Communication Partner/s: _____

Hearing Status: _____

Communication Partner's Hearing Status: _____

Typical Communication Needs (circle all that apply):

person-to-person	teaching	to/with children
public speaking	small groups	telephone
email	internet	VOIP (etc.)
cell phone	text-messaging	Instant messaging

Current communication technology:

telephone (describe): _____
cell phone
computer
current software (list): _____

wired or wireless?

What is your present problem with communication? Unintelligible Fatigue Frustration

Please list your goals for this evaluation: _____

Please list any alternative communication strategies previously tried:

gestures	P/C symbols
writing	sign language
mouthings	speech generating device
words	
eye gaze	

Physical Status (please check):

A: Positioning/Mobility	(Please circle)	(Please complete)
_____ wheelchair	Power / Manual	Hours per day: _____
_____ walking	Alone / Assisted	Hours per day: _____
_____ modified diet		
_____ feeding tube when? _____	Yes / No	Hours per day: _____
_____ Splint _____	Yes / No	Hours per day: _____
_____ Casts	Yes / No	Hours per day: _____
_____ Glasses	Yes / No	Hours per day: _____
_____ Hearing Aides	Yes / No	Hours per day: _____

B. Motor Screening? Or just put a +, -
Can the person do the following:

_____ Move head left	_____ Move a single finger? (which?) _____
_____ Move head right	_____ Move lips
_____ Move head up	_____ Move jaw
_____ Move head down	_____ Move tongue
_____ Move eyes up on command	_____ Move shoulder
_____ Move eyes down on command	_____ Move foot
_____ Follow objects up with eyes	_____ Move eyebrows / forehead
_____ Follow objects down with eyes	
_____ Other:	

C. Comprehension: (Please check all that apply):

- _____ Follows one-step directions
- _____ Follows two-step directions
- _____ Follows three-step directions
- _____ Follows directions accurately
- _____ Makes choices