Assistive Technology Consideration Guide

| Student: | Grade: School: | |
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| Date: Participants: | Grade: School: | |
| Part I - Does the student have IEP goals areas? Check each relevant instructional | that require/may require assistive technolog | y solutions in any of these instructional |
| ☐ Writing | ☐ Listening | ☐ Computer Access |
| □ Spelling | ☐ Oral Communication | ☐ Environmental Controls |
| □ Reading | ☐ Activities of Daily Living | ☐ Other: |
| □ Math | ☐ Recreation, Leisure and Adaptive Play | |
| ☐ Study/Organizational Skills | ☐ Positioning, Seating, and Mobility | |
| Was one or more area identified? ☐ No – There were no areas identified Q ☐ Yes - Areas were identified | Consideration is complete | |
| | m accessible versions of printed educational n | naterial? |
| | m alternate reading supports ech, large print, braille, accessible text)? | □ Yes □ No |

If the team answered yes to either question, the student may benefit from accessible instructional material (AIM). The student may access AIM-VA materials after a division-appointed competent authority confirms the student as having a Print Disability due to one of the following: Low Vision/Blindness, Physical Disabilities, or Other Disabilities.

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Go to Part III.

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| Part III – Complete the following chart for each area identified above. | | | | | | |
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| Instructional area and/or task that is difficult | Briefly list strategies, accommodations, or assistive technology currently being used | | | | | |
| for the student | in general education, special education, community, work, and home settings. | | | | | |
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| Is the student able to complete tasks at his/her ability with any special strategies, accommodations or assistive technology already being used? Yes – Current strategies are adequate and documented in student's IEP. Consideration is complete. No – There have been changes in the student's functional or academic performance, or current strategies are NOT adequate and could require new assistive technology or a change in current AT (devices or services) provided – Go to Part IV Part IV – Complete the following section. | | | | | | |
| Describe AT devices or services to be tried or | modified | Responsible person(s)/provider(s) | Trials completed by when: | | | |
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| Complete this section following trial(s): | | |
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| Was trial(s) successful? (Yes/No) | Degrangible person(s)/provider(s) | Dy whon: |
| Describe action(s) to be taken | Responsible person(s)/provider(s) | By when: |
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All assistive technology(devices and services), including trials, needs to be documented.