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CONSULTATION REPORT

PATIENT NAME: SHARPE, ALEXIS

UNIT NO: M000283349
DATE OF BIRTH: 02/10/2007

ADMISSION DATE:

ROOM #/BED: SPEECH REPORT #: 1115-0183

DICTATED BY: JENNIFER FREIWALD, SPEECH STUDENT

DATE OF CONCULTATION: 14/07/2014

CONSULTANT: KIMBERLY RULE MS

ATTENDING: MAHMOUD M YASSIN MD

TYPE OF CONSULTATION: PEDIATRIC OUTPATIENT SPEECH AND LANGUAGE

DIAGNOSIS: Speech Disturbance, ICD-9 Code: 784.59

HISTORY: Alexis is a 4-year 9-month-old female who was seen for an outpatient speech and language evaluation secondary to frequent phoneme distortions and substitutions. She was accompanied by her grandmother/legal guardian. Limited history was reported by caregiver. Alexis currently communicates via verbal means, without reported consequences at this time. Family's stated goal for therapy is for the patient to be understood by others.

BIRTH HISTORY: Birth history is positive for prematurity. Details regarding medical status at that time is unknown. The length of pregnancy was 31. Birth weight was 3 pounds. Total hospital stay was 31 days.

MEDICAL HISTORY: Unremarkable. Child's overall health is reportedly good.

HEARING: Acuity appears within functional limits as per caregiver report.

DEVELOPMENTAL HISTORY: Developmental milestones were reported age appropriate. Caregiver reports the following: Alexis sat up alone at 5 months, crawled at unknown, walked at 10-1/2 months, toilet trained at 2 years, dressed self at 2 years, and fed at 1 year of age.

FEEDING HISTORY: All solid and liquid consistency are reported tolerated without signs or symptoms of distress.

SPEECH-LANGUAGE HISTORY: According to her caregiver, Alexis babbled at 7 months. Additional age ranges regarding speech milestones was not reported. At this time, family reports that patient's language skills are adequate yet she continues to present with articulation difficulties. Alexis is reportedly understood by others 75% of the time and understood by family 98% of the time.

EVALUATION RESULTS:

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Cognition/Behavior: Alexis was observed quietly waiting in the waiting room. She easily separated from her grandmother. Attention appeared age appropriate, as she was cooperative and able to participate throughout formal testing.

Oral-Motor: Structures and functions were within functional limits for speech and vegetative purposes.

Voice: Judged to be hoarse. Patient was unable to sustain /ah/. Caregiver reports hoarse quality was secondary to cold. Further evaluation warranted if hoarseness persists.

Fluency: Rate and fluency of speech were within functional limits at the conversational level.

Articulation: The Goldman Fristoe Test of Articulation-2 was administered. The following scores were

obtained.
Raw score- 30
Standard Score-78
Percentile Rank- 8
Age Equivalent- 2 years 9 mo

Age Equivalent- 2 years 9 months Interpretation- Below Age Expectations

Errors at the word level consisted of:

Initial: p/z, w/y, b/v, w/r, s/sh, d/th voiceless, sh/j, w/l, s/ch

Medial: t/ch, sh/j, w/l, t/s

Final omission /i, omission/k, f/th voiceless

Blends: p/tr, p/sp, pw/pl, pw/kr, pw/kl, pw/gl, pw/fr, fw/fl, bw/bl, omission/sw, p/gr, fr/dr, pw/br, d/ft, sw/fl.

Intelligibility was deemed good in known contexts to this trained listener at the conversational level yet decreased moderately when context was unknown. In connected speech, the patient was noted to use the following phonological processes: weak syllable deletion, gliding, and stopping. Additionally, she dentalized s/z which resulted in a frontal lisp.

LANGUAGE: The PLS4 Screening Test was administered to determine whether receptive/expressive language skills are within functional limits and to rule out need for further assessment in these areas. Alexis obtained 4/5 correct on this screening test. A score of 4 or more is considered a passing score, therefore no additional language testing is warranted at this time.

SUMMARY: Alexis is a 4-year 9-month-old girl whom presents with a moderate speech disorder characterized by the use of phonological processes as well as multiple phonome distortions and omissions. These deficits result in poor socialization with peers. Due to patient's age, potential for improvement is indicated and therapy is recommended to achieve long-term goal stated below.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

- 1. Speech and language therapy 1 time per week for 6 months.
- 2. The following referral is also recommended: ENT if hoarseness persists.

LONG-TERM GOAL: The patient will produce speech that is judged to be intelligible 80% of the time to all listeners.

Short-term goals:

1. The patient will produce three-syllable words with 80% accuracy and minimal cues.

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2. The patient will produce continuant sounds in single words 80% of the time with minimal cues.

Thank you for this referral.

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CONSULTATION REPORT

PATIENT NAME: SHARPE, KAYLA

UNIT NO: M000283834

DATE OF BIRTH: 02/10/2007

ADMISSION DATE:

ROOM #/BED: SPEECH REPORT #: 1115-0177

DATE OF CONSULTATION: 11/07/11

CONSULTANT: KIMBERLY RULE MS

DICTATED BY: JENNIFER FREIWALD, SPEECH STUDENT

ATTENDING: MAHMOUD M YASSIN, MD

TYPE OF CONSULTATION: Speech and Hearing consultation.

REASON FOR CONSULTATION: Pediatric outpatient speech and language evaluation.

DIAGNOSIS: SPEECH DISTURBANCE ICD-9 CODE: 784.59

HISTORY: The patient is a 4 year 9 month old female, who was seen for an outpatient speech and language evaluation secondary to frequent phoneme distortions and substitutions. She was accompanied by her grandmother/legal guardian. Full history was limited. The patient currently communicates via verbal means with no reported consequences noted at this time. Family's stated goals for therapy is for the child to be understood by others.

BIRTH HISTORY: Birth history is remarkable for prematurity; The length of pregnancy was 31 weeks. Details regarding medical status at that time was not provided however the total hospital stay was 43 days. Birth weight was 2 pounds 15 ounces.

PAST MEDICAL HISTORY: Reportedly unremarkable. Child's overall health is reportedly good. Hearing acuity was formally assessed and deemed within functional limits as per caregiver report.

DEVELOPMENTAL HISTORY: Developmental milestones were reported age appropriate. Caregiver reports the following: The patient sat up alone at 5 months, walked at 10-1/2 months, toilet trained at 2 years, dressed self at 2 years, and first fed self at 1 year.

FEEDING HISTORY: All solid and liquid consistencies are reported tolerated without signs and symptoms of distress.

SPEECH/LANGUAGE HISTORY: According to the caregiver, the patient babbled at 7 months. Additional age range regarding speech milestones were not reported, however, family reports that the patient's language skills are adequate but she continues to present with articulation difficulties. The patient is reportedly understood by others 50% of the time and understood by family 85% of the time.

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EVALUATION RESULTS:

Cognition/Behavior: The patient was observed quietly sitting in the waiting room. She

separated easily from her grandmother. Attention appeared age appropriate. She was cooperative and able to participate

throughout formal testing.

Voice: Vocal quality was judged to be slightly nasal, yet within functional

limits.

Articulation: The Goldman-Fristoe Test of Articulation-2 was administered.

The following scores were obtained:

Raw score- 41 Percentile Rank- 4

Age equivalent-less than 2.

Interpretation: Below age expectations

Errors at the word level consisted of:

Initial: D\K, D\SH, W\Z, D\S, B\V, W\L, D\CH, B\F, D\J, B/P Medial: B\F, B\V, D\Z, omission\D, omission\CH, omission\TH

(voiceless), D\J, W\L

Final: P\F, omission\S, omission\J, omission\TH (voiceless),

omission\Z, omission\SH, W\SL, B\SP, omission\CH

Blends: K\TR, B\SP, omission\SW, BW\BL, W\SL, BW\BR, BW\FR, DW\KL, omission\KR, BW\GL, W\FL, DW\DR, B\GR,

DW\KR, W\SL, D/ST.

Patient's overall intelligibility was judged to be fair to this trained listener in known contexts. Patient also used the phonological processes of: weak syllable deletion, gliding, final consonant

deletion, stopping and fronting.

Language: The PLS4 screening test was administered to determine the

need for further assessment of receptive and expressive language skills. Patient obtained 4/5 correct. A score of 4 or more is considered a passing score, therefore no further

assessment is warranted at this time.

SUMMARY: The patient is a 4 year 9 month old girl, who presents with a moderate speech disorder characterized by the use of multiple phonological processes, substitutions and omissions. These deficits result in poor socialization with peers and family. Due to the patient's age, potential for improvement is indicated and therapy is recommended to achieve long-term goal stated below.

RECOMMENDATIONS: Speech therapy one time per week for six months with goals below.

LONG TERM GOAL: The patient will produce speech that is judged to be intelligible 80% of the time to all listeners.

SHORT TERM GOAL:

1. The patient will produce final consonants in single words 80% of the time with visual cues.

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2. The patient will produce velars (K/G) 80% of the time in isolation with minimal verbal cues.

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