



Waterloo-Wellington Regional Aphasia Program REFERRAL FORM

SELECT APHASIA PROGRAM LOCATION:

□Waterloo □Kitchener □Cambridge □Guelph □North/Centre Wellington □Unsure
NAME OF APPLICANT :
DATE OF BIRTH:/
ADDRESS: CITY: POSTAL CODE:
HOME PHONE: CELL PHONE:
NAME OF PHYSICIAN: PHONE NUMBER:
ASSISTANCE NEEDED FOR TOILETTING? No Yes* (*Applicant must bring someone to assist)
CONTACT PERSON (and relationship to applicant):
HOME PHONE: WORK/CELL PHONE:
●Applicant has provided consent to messages being left at above phone numbers: □Yes □ No
◆To arrange appointments, please contact: ☐ Applicant ☐ Contact Person
REFERRING PERSON: PHONE:
AGENCY: E-mail:
DATE OF STROKE/INJURY CAUSING APHASIA:/ DIAGNOSIS:
DD MM YY
HAS APPLICANT RECEIVED SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY (SLP) SERVICES? □Yes □No
LENGTH & FREQUENCY OF SLP THERAPY:
IS APPLICANT DISCHARGED FROM SLP SERVICES? Yes No DISCHARGE DATE:
OTHER AGENCIES INVOLVED:
RISKS ASSOCIATED WITH A HOME VISIT (e.g., pets, smoker)?

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PERTINENT COMMUNICATION INFORMATION (to be completed by person referring **or** SLP when available) BEFORE APHASIA: First Language: ______ Other Language(s): _____ CURRENT FUNCTIONING (comment): First Language: Other Language(s): ☐ Difficulty understanding: __basic/simple ideas & requests LISTENING COMPREHENSION: new, complex, lengthy material in a normal pace, group setting ☐ No difficulty or occasionally needs repetition/clarification Comments/Facilitation Strategies: ___ □ Non-fluent Aphasia: **EXPRESSION:** __unable to speak __has a repetitive word or phrase uses meaningful non-verbal expression (facial, gesture, draw, pointing) can say some words to convey his/her message can say some phrases/sentences __can speak in sentences which don't always make sense ☐ Fluent Aphasia: (though he/she knows what they want to say) substitutes words/difficulty finding the right word Comments/Facilitation Strategies: __ Single Words __ Phrases/Sentences Lengthier Material READING: ☐ Able to read some: ☐ No Difficulty reading WRITING: ☐ Never or rarely successful with writing ☐ Able to write single words or personal information ☐ Writes better than he/she talks ☐ No Difficulty VISION: ☐ Normal ☐ Glasses: wears daily for reading only VISUAL PERCEPTION/NEGLECT: ☐ No Difficulty ☐ Difficulty: _____ HEARING: ☐ Normal ☐ Reduced Hearing Aid(s): ☐ Yes □ No HANDEDNESS: Past: ☐ Right □ Left Present: ☐ Right ☐ Left DOES APPLICANT HAVE ANY FEEDING/SWALLOWING DIFFICULTY? ☐ Yes ☐ No BARRIERS TO GROUP PARTICIPATION (behaviour, attention, cognition, fatigue etc.): ______ DATE OF REFERRAL:

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