



Communication Device Trial (Adult)

Name:

DOB:

Dates of trial:

Support Team:

Current Communication profile:

Communication Device Trial (Details of Device& App)

To goal of the trial is to demonstrate that _____ communication is benefitted using the device/app by _____ and those communicating with him/her in all environments.

Information to note:

- Create opportunities for communication during the day by giving choices. Remember to ensure that you give a choice of 2 things and that the vocabulary is on the device for XXXX
- **Model, Model, Model!** Family, friends and others supporting _____ should use the device to model what they are saying... chat with _____ during routines to demonstrate to him how the app uses. Take the time to familiarise yourself with the device and layout.
- A Total Communication approach which includes all current communication systems in place (e.g. Lamh) should continue to be used throughout the introduction of the device
- The device and app should be used as much as possible in all environments; home, work, supported placements, hospital.



How To Use This Form:

Please note any use of the device/ app and record the symbols used during each activity. This form is designed to help capture the symbols the user chooses and words/ phrases used. Please add any additional observations in the 'comments' section e.g., noted a reduction in self-injurious behaviours today, spontaneously searched for the device in his bag at breakfast, didn't want to engage with the device today. All information is useful and welcome.

Communication Trial Goals

	Individual Goal & Plan	Week 1 Setting 1	Week 1 Setting 2	Week 2 Setting 1	Week 2 Setting 2
<p><u>Goal 1:</u></p> <p>Develop a SMART goal that can be targeted in all environments eg, requesting preferred items using Device.</p> <p>Remember to keep it realistic for a short trial period (typically 2 weeks). You can expand on these once the device is in place</p> <p><u>Comments:</u></p>	<p>Detail the specifics and actions for the user's environments here. Give examples of activities or times in routines that could be used for this goal.</p> <p>Eg, at dressing time/ mealtime</p>				

	Individual Goal & Plan	Week 1 Setting 1	Week 1 Setting 2	Week 2 Setting 1	Week 2 Setting 2
<u>Goal 2:</u>					
<u>Comments:</u>					

	Individual Goal & Plan	Week 1 Setting 1	Week 1 Setting 2	Week 2 Setting 1	Week 2 Setting 2
<p><u>Goal 3:</u></p> <p><u>Comments:</u></p>					



Additional Information

Please note any other activities or notes regarding yours or _____ use of the app outside of the above goals. You are encouraged to use the app as much as possible during this time and you may find more opportunities than outlined above.