



## HANDOUT – Checklist of Family-Centered Practices and the IFSP

IFSP	Practice	Present?	Suggestions for Improvement
All sections	Information is written in clear language that is jargon free and easily understandable.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
All sections	Language used is respectful, positive and free from judgment.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Sections II & IV	IFSP includes information about child and family strengths and values.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Sections II & IV	Cultural values and beliefs are acknowledged and respected.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
All sections	Family priorities, resource and concerns are reflected throughout the IFSP.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Section IIb	Information about the family's daily routines and activities are reflective of that specific family.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Section IIc	The narrative of the IFSP documents the child's strengths as well as areas of delay.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Section IV	Outcomes and goals are individualized to specific family priorities, activities, and routines.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Section IV	Outcomes and goals include specific information about the child's interests.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Section IV	Outcomes and goals address functional activities important to the family.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Section IV	Services address outcomes and family concerns, priorities and needs.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Section II, VIII, & IX	Parent/guardian signs as assessment participant and gives permission for IFSP implementation.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Section IX	No changes have been made to the IFSP without parental permission.	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	