

Essential Components of Appropriate Developmental Screening

In your group, discuss whether your screening tool is appropriate according to these guidelines.

<p>Development, Standardization and Technical Characteristics</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• reliable and valid; scores of approximately 0.70 or above• age and population designed for use(s) of the tool	<p>Comprehensive across Domains</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• addresses integration of hearing/vision screening
<p>Understanding and Using Data</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• obtaining and interpreting results	<p>User Friendly</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• time to administer• ease of administration• cost
<p>Culturally Sensitive</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• language formats• content; ability to screen children from different cultures• normative scores for diverse populations	<p>Training and Administration</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• presence of training materials or availability of training workshops• recommendations for trained staff, the importance of standardization, facility, materials, etc.
<p>Parents as Partners</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• information <i>exchange</i> with families	<p>Other observations to share:</p>