

Selected Functional Communication Assessments

Tool	Population	Description
Revised Edinburgh	Adults with speech,	Assesses functional
Functional	language, and cognitive-	communication via both verbal
Communication Profile	communication	and non-verbal modalities
(REFCP; Wirz et al.,	impairments.	
1990)		
ASHA Functional	Adults with speech,	Assesses functional
Assessment of	language, and cognitive-	communication via both verbal
Communication Skills	communication	and non-verbal modalities
(ASHA FACS; Fratalli et	impairments.	
al., 1995)		



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Functional Communication	Children three years old	Assesses an overall inventory of
Profile - Revised (FCP-R;	through adult	the individual's communication
Kleiman, 2003)	communication	abilities, mode of
	impairments	communication, and degree of
		independence
FLACC (Face, Legs,	Two months and seven	Assessment of nonverbal
Activity, Cry, Consolability)	years or individuals that	communication within the context
Pain Scale (Voepel-Lewis	are unable to communicate	of pain
et al., 1997)	their pain	
Communication	Adults with acquired	Assessment of Nonverbal
Effectiveness Index (CETI;	communication	Communication
Lomas et al., 1989)	impairments	