

APPENDIX

3-8

Sample Assessment Outlines

Phone Screening (5 minutes)

1. Interview about needs
 - Where and when client speaks English
 - Any significant personal/professional problems related to accent
 - Goals
2. Spontaneous language sample. This may be unnecessary if the client has had enough opportunities to speak at length during the interview. Otherwise use a basic prompt, such as, “tell me about yourself, family, job, hobbies,” etc.

Mini Assessment (15 minutes)

1. Short interview
 - Where and when client speaks English
 - Any significant personal/professional problems related to accent
 - Goals
2. Diagnostic passage (50–200 words)
 - “Please Call Stella,” “Comma Gets a Cure,” “Rainbow Passage,” ACT Diagnostic passage, etc.
3. Short segmental assessment of words
 - 10–15 words (see sample screener)
4. Spontaneous speech sample

Standard Assessment (45 minutes–1 hour)

1. Interview
 - Where and when client speaks English

- Any significant personal/professional problems related to accent
 - Questions about personal and professional life
 - Goals
2. Diagnostic passage (50–200 words)
 - Please Call Stella, Comma Gets a Cure, Rainbow Passage, ACT diagnostic passage, etc.
 3. Segmental assessment of all consonant and vowel phonemes
 - 15–30 words and sentences (see sample)
 4. Spontaneous speech sample
 - Prompts related to personal/professional life
 5. Role play
 6. Questionnaire

Full Assessment (1–2 hours)

1. Interview
 - Where and when client speaks English
 - Any significant personal/professional problems related to accent
 - Questions about personal and professional life
 - Goals
2. Diagnostic passage (50–200 words)
 - “Please Call Stella,” “Comma Gets a Cure,” “Rainbow Passage,” ACT diagnostic passage, etc.
3. Segmental assessment of all consonant and vowel phonemes
 - 15–30 words and sentences (see sample)
4. Listening discrimination with minimal pairs
5. Spontaneous speech sample
 - Speaking prompt
 - Picture description
6. Structured intonation assessment
7. Role play
8. Questionnaire
9. Grammar/vocabulary assessment
10. Writing sample
 - Use a writing prompt or have a client bring in samples