BRIEF®2 PARENT FORM

Date of birth _____

Child's name _____ Gender _____ Age _____ Grade _____

Rater's name _____ Relationship to child _____ Today's date _____

	N = Never S = Sometimes O = Often			
1.	Is fidgety	N	S	O
2.	Resists or has trouble accepting a different way to solve a problem with schoolwork, friends, tasks, etc.	N	S	O
3.	When given three things to do, remembers only the first or last	N	S	O
4.	Is unaware of how his/her behavior affects or bothers others	N	S	O
5.	Work is sloppy	N	S	O
6.	Has explosive, angry outbursts	N	S	O
7.	Does not plan ahead for school assignments	N	S	O
8.	Cannot find things in room or school desk	N	S	O
9.	Is not a self-starter	N	S	O
10.	Does not think before doing (is impulsive)	N	S	O
11.	Has trouble getting used to new situations (classes, groups, friends, etc.)	N	S	O
12.	Has a short attention span	N	S	O
13.	Has poor understanding of own strengths and weaknesses	N	S	O
14.	Has outbursts for little reason	N	S	O
15.	Gets caught up in details and misses the big picture	N	S	O
16.	Gets out of control more than friends	N	S	O
17.	Gets stuck on one topic or activity	N	S	O
18.	Forgets his/her name	N	S	O
19.	Has trouble with chores or tasks that have more than one step	N	S	O
20.	Does not realize that certain actions bother others	N	S	O
21.	Written work is poorly organized	N	S	O
22.	Small events trigger big reactions	N	S	O
23.	Has good ideas but does not get job done (lacks follow-through)	N	S	O
24.	Talks at the wrong time	N	S	O
25.	Has trouble finishing tasks (chores, homework, etc.)	N	S	O
26.	Does not notice when his/her behavior causes negative reactions	N	S	O
27.	Reacts more strongly to situations than other children	N	S	O
28.	Has trouble remembering things, even for a few minutes	N	S	O
29.	Makes careless errors	N	S	O
30.	Gets out of seat at the wrong times	N	S	O
31.	Becomes upset with new situations	N	S	O
32.	Has trouble concentrating on tasks, schoolwork, etc.	N	S	O

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33.	Has poor handwriting	N	S	O
34.	Mood changes frequently	N	S	O
35.	Has good ideas but cannot get them on paper	N	S	O
36.	Has trouble counting to three	N	S	O
37.	Leaves messes that others have to clean up	N	S	O
38.	Needs to be told to begin a task even when willing	N	S	O
39.	Acts too wild or "out of control"	N	S	O
40.	Thinks too much about the same topic	N	S	O
41.	Forgets what he/she was doing	N	S	O
42.	Does not check work for mistakes	N	S	O
43.	Angry or tearful outbursts are intense but end suddenly	N	S	O
44.	Becomes overwhelmed by large assignments	N	S	O
45.	Loses lunch box, lunch money, permission slips, homework, etc.	N	S	O
46.	Needs help from an adult to stay on task	N	S	O
47.	Forgets to hand in homework, even when completed	N	S	O
48.	Has trouble putting the brakes on his/her actions	N	S	O
49.	Resists change of routine, foods, places, etc.	N	S	O
50.	Has trouble getting started on homework or tasks	N	S	O
51.	Mood is easily influenced by the situation	N	S	O
52.	Underestimates time needed to finish tasks	N	S	O
53.	Does not bring home homework, assignment sheets, materials, etc.	N	S	O
54.	Cannot find the front door of home	N	S	O
55.	Does not take initiative	N	S	O
56.	Becomes upset too easily	N	S	O
57.	Starts assignments or tasks at the last minute	N	S	O
58.	Has trouble moving from one activity to another	N	S	O
59.	Has trouble carrying out the actions needed to reach goals (saving money for special item, studying to get a good grade, etc.)	N	S	O
60.	Is disturbed by change of teacher or class	N	S	O
61.	Has trouble organizing activities with friends	N	S	O
62.	Becomes too silly	N	S	O
63.	Leaves a trail of belongings wherever he/she goes	N	S	O