

Tactual Profile - MDVI

Observation instrument for tactual functioning



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- Observation instrument for charting the tactual functioning
- MDVI (multiple disabled and visual impaired) persons with a severe visual and cognitive impairment.
- Cognitive development from 0-6 years of age

Domains and categories



- Tactual sensory functioning
- Tactual motor functioning
- Tactual perceptual functioning

Each domain is divided in three developmental age levels:

A : 0 – 2 years

B : 2 – 4 years

C : 4 – 6 years



Tactual sensory functioning

- Noticing
- Body awareness
- Touch sensitivity
- Proprioception



Tactual motor functioning



- Tactual Exploring
- Two-handedness



Tactual perceptual functioning

- Recognition
- Perception of detail
- Tactile-spatial relationships
- Figure-ground perception
- Tactual Language
- Touch strategy



Influential Factors on tactual perception and functioning



Client-variables:

- Motor Skills
- Consciousness
- Regulation of sensory stimuli
- Exploration style
- Attention
- Memory
- Executive functions

Stimulus-variables:

- Environmental factors
- Material properties
- Distracting factors



Practical situation where you first need info about tactual functioning.



- Video example when there is time left and when it is working.
- Thank you for your attention, take a info card when you leave.

- Questions ???



