



Therapy Kids

Development in Play Occupations- Birth to 6 months

Type of Play

Exploratory Play focused on sensorimotor skills

Social play focused on attachment and bonding with parents

Performance Skills

Sensory Organization

1. Quiets when picked up or held
2. Shows pleasure when touched
3. Cuddles
4. Listens to voices
5. Uses hands and mouth for exploration of objects

Fine Motor Manipulation

6. Follows a moving person or an object with eyes
7. Develops an accurate reach to objects

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8. Secures object with hand and brings to mouth
 9. Transfers objects from hand to hand
 10. Plays with hands at midline

Gross Motor & Mobility

11. Lifts head and raises trunk with laying on stomach
12. Sits propped on hands
13. Rolls from place to place

Cognitive

14. Repeats actions for experiences
15. Uses hands and mouth to explore objects
16. Searches with eyes for sounds
17. Bangs objects on a table
18. Begins to integrate information from multiple sensory systems

Social

19. Coos, squeals, smiles, laughs
20. Expresses discomfort by crying
21. Communicates simple emotions by facial expressions