Needs Assessment 5: Designing Supportive Environments

	Skills and Indicators	Consistently	Occasionally	Seldom	Observations/Evidend
En	sures smooth transitions	3	2	1	
	Structures transitions so children do not have to spend excessive time waiting with nothing to do				
	Teaches children the expectations associated with transitions				
	Provides warnings to children prior to transitions				
	Individualizes the warnings prior to transitions so that all children understand them				
Giv	ving Directions	3	2	1	
	Gains child's attention before giving directions				
	Minimizes the number of directions				
	Individualizes the way directions are given				
	Gives clear directions				
	Gives directions that are positive				
	Gives children time to respond to directions				
	Gives children choices and options when appropriate				
	Follows through with positive acknowledgments of children's behavior				

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