Get to Know More about Your Child’s Communication

Touch

My child is under-sensitive to touch and seeks it out by:

- wanting long hugs
- wrapping himself in blankets
- squeezing himself into tight places (e.g., behind the couch)
- insisting on wearing tight-fitting clothes
- lying flat on the floor
- bumping into people
- clapping his hands
- holding objects
- putting objects in his mouth
- grinding his teeth
- rarely crying when he gets hurt
- Other __________________________

My child shows he is over-sensitive to touch:

- He doesn’t like sticky things on his hands (e.g., playdough, mud and paint).
- He likes and dislikes certain clothing textures.
- He dislikes wearing hats and gloves.
- He dislikes getting his hair washed or cut.
- He dislikes crunchy, chewy foods.
- Other __________________________