

E. Sessions and Learner Progress over the 8 week Program

Over the 8 week-period in which you and your learner meet, you will be looking for signs of progress:

- More confidence (the learner may share information about recent successful interactions)
- Ability to engage with ease in role plays that you rehearsed and reviewed
- Ability to try other interactions and new role plays
- Sharing of new workplace goals
- Growing awareness of their ability to predict interactions

Here is an example of a **beginning learner's** session content and her progress.

Session 1:

Practice in responding to personal information questions asked in the simplest form.

Practice in understanding numbers from 1 to 30 said rapidly (can write 14, 2, 4) when dictated.

Practice in listening to a very simple modeled description of rooms in a house and then selecting things to say about the same house. (This is the living room. It is next to the dining room. There are two sofas in the living room).

Practice in naming days of the week using a calendar (after modeling: today is Tuesday, yesterday was Monday, tomorrow is Wednesday).

Session 2:

Practice responding to personal information questions in simplest form. Practice in responding to slightly different phrasing of questions. (Basic: What is your name? Different: Name and last name, please.)

Practice on days of the week: Responding to questions on days of the week. (Today is Wednesday, what day was yesterday?)

Practice in saying and then writing figures in response to number dictation. (numbers 1 to 100)

Initial practice in asking for the location of the restroom in a store.

Session 5:

Practice in describing rooms in a house.

Practice in understanding numbers from 1 to 1500.

Continued practice on days of the week and months of the year.

Initial practice in setting up appointments for house cleaning (basic phrases and and roleplays)

Practice in personal information questions with complications.

Pointing to parts of the body with you tube videos.

Session 6:

Practice in interacting in a hospital /urgent care context.

Practice in phrases to explain health issues.

Role playing in health settings.

Practice on understanding number 1 to 10,000.

Review of phrases to set up appointments and role plays on setting up appointments.

Session 8:

Review of all role plays

Looking forward

Thanks and farewells