8. Telephoning

Is the person able to use the telephone to make / receive calls?

No

| Task | Is the person able to pick up the phone? | Is the person able to dial the phone? | Is the person able to talk on the phone? | Is the person able to be understood and understand? | Is the person able to hang up the phone? |
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| Why not? | - Limited upper extremity function - Phone too heavy - Doesn't have phone | - Can't remember numbers - Limited upper extremity function | - Can't speak - Can't hold phone - Emotional issus | - Difficulty speaking - Can't hear | - Limited upper extremity function - Phone too heavy - Tremor |
| Intervention? | ОТ | OT | SLP | SLP | OT |
| Solutions and Strategies | - Gooseneck holder and phone lock - Universal cuff attachment - Cell phone - Aide - Skype - Refer for assistance | - Voice dial - Picture phone - Operator - Aide - Skype | - AAC - Relay - Phone stand - Speaker phone - Skype - Refer for counseling | - AAC - Relay - Skype | - Gooseneck holder and phone lock - Cell phone - Skype |