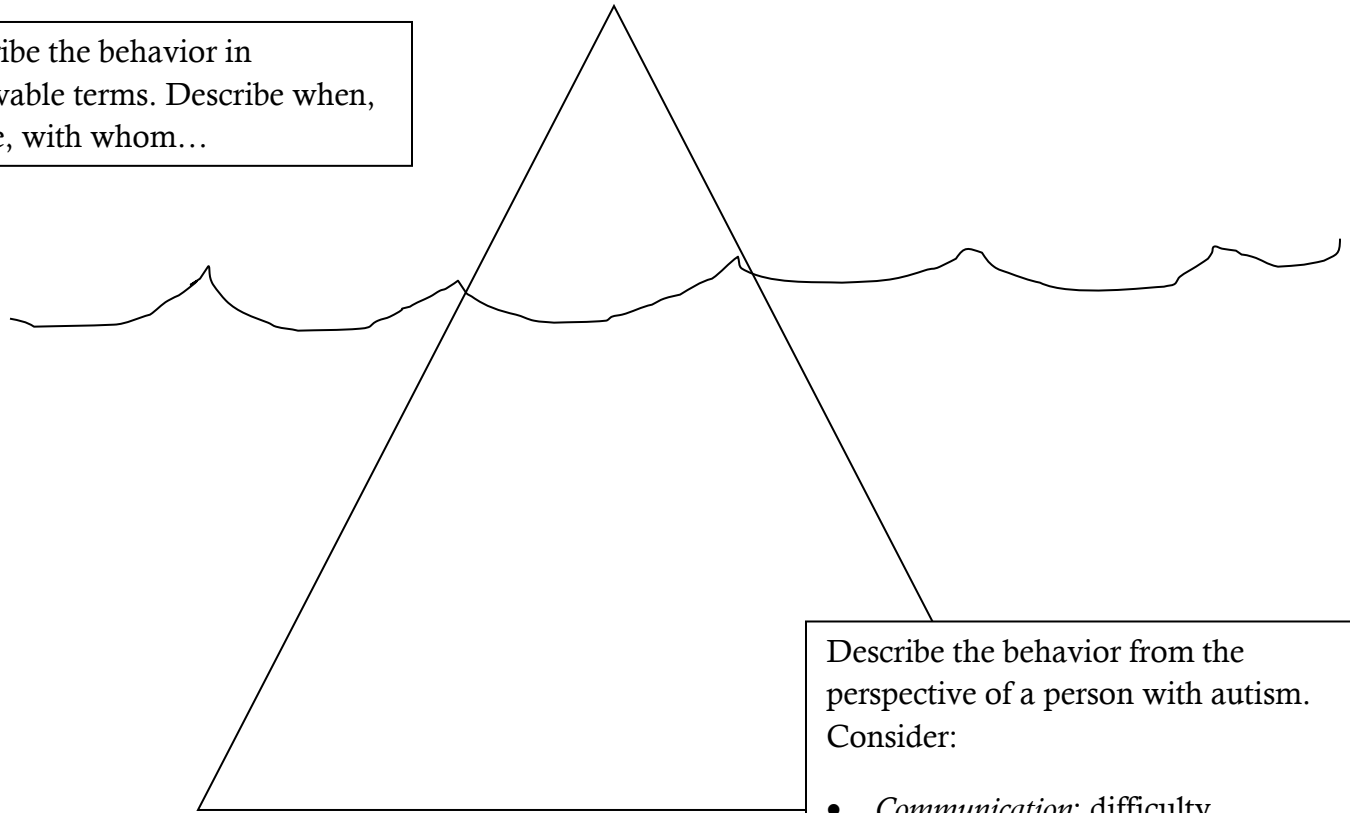


Understanding Behavior with the Iceberg

Describe the behavior in observable terms. Describe when, where, with whom...



- What is your idea about your child's behavior & why it's happening?
- Describe what structural components You'd like to implement with your child to help the behavior.
- Describe what new skills you'd like to work on with your child that could help the behavior (think of all previous sessions).

Describe the behavior from the perspective of a person with autism. Consider:

- *Communication*: difficulty understanding and processing, difficulty expressing message/ideas
- *Social relatedness*: difficulty interacting with others, sharing space & materials
- *Sensory processing*: difficulty processing environment (sounds, sights, etc.)
- *Difficulty with change*: may be rigid or have limited interests
- *Cognitive style*: difficulty organizing and attending to activities; difficulty generalizing skills