**Figure 1.** Updated Occupational Therapy admissions checklist. A section dedicated to sexual health is included on the lower right portion of the page (see blue star).
Changes After Stroke

- Vision
- Weakness
- Talking
- Walking
- Mood
- Thinking
- Intimacy

Figure 2. Sample page from the supported conversation tool. Please email Candice.Fourie@westpark.org or Meiqi.Guo@uhn.ca if you would like a copy of the supported conversation tool in its entirety for your project. The Picture Communication Symbols ©1981–2015 by Mayer-Johnson LLC a Tobii Dynavox company. All Rights Reserved Worldwide. Used with permission. Boardmaker® is a trademark of Mayer-Johnson LLC.
Patient is transferred from acute care to 3EC for stroke rehab

Patient is assessed by nurse and hospitalist on day of admission

Patient is assessed independently by Physiotherapy, Occupational Therapy, Speech Language Pathology, Patient Care Coordinator, Pharmacy and Physical Medicine& Rehabilitation within 3 days of admission. Patient is screened for depression by a social worker within 1 week.

1

Weekend home passes

If home environment is safe

Patient undergoes 5-6 day/week therapy sessions with Physiotherapy Occupational Therapy and Speech Language Pathology. Patient is also seen by physicians 5 days/week.

2

If discharge issues or patient/family requests

Discharge date given to patient by charge nurse or therapist

3

Discharge assessments and home instructions by Physiotherapy, Occupational Therapy and Speech Language Pathology within 72 hours of discharge.

4

Patient is discharged with possible outpatient therapy

Pharmacist provides patient with prescription and explains medications

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Figure 3. Potential Time Points for Sexual Health Discussion. In PDSA Cycle 3, the team came to the consensus that the OTs and SLPs should choose the most opportune time based on individual patient needs. Examples may include 1) at the admission assessment, 2) during therapy sessions, 3) before a planned home pass, 4) before a family meeting, 5) when a discharge date has been chosen and communicated to the patient and 6) during discharge assessments.