

**Appendix B: Focus Group questions used to elicit answers to key research questions**

<b>How is communication strategy use worked on in therapy?</b>	<b>Focus group questions posed</b>
<b>Education Tasks</b>	<p>1. Just over half (53%) of questionnaire respondents said they provided tailored and or generic written and verbal information about the effects of aphasia on communication. What sort of information do you give to the person with aphasia or partner when you talk about communication strategies?</p> <p>2. 81% of SLTs said they provided tailored communication strategies for CP and or PwA in both written &amp; verbal formats. 43% said they provided generic communication strategies (in both written &amp; verbal formats). Does anyone have an example of the kind of communication strategy information they provide and how they provide it during a session?</p>
<b>Practice Tasks</b>	<p>4. Think back to when you have worked on communication strategies- can you describe how you have done any of these tasks?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Conversation Tasks</li> <li>- Picture Description Tasks</li> <li>- Barrier Tasks</li> </ul>
<b>Use of video</b>	<p>5. When working on communication strategies 70% of SLTs said they never use video with the PwA and 79% said they never use video with the CP. Can people give me one thought each on these statistics.</p>