## Recording Behavior (A-B-C)

Use this form for behaviors that don't happen very often, and you can notice the Antecedents and Consequences

## **Challenging Routine:**

## **Challenging Behavior:**

Date	Antecedent (What happened just before the behavior?)	Behavior Strength Counting (one / per line) Timing (ex: 15 seconds) Rating (1=mild, 3=severe)	Consequence (What happened just after the behavior?)	Did behavior stop/decrease right after the consequence?
2/10/11	(Example) Was told to turn off TV	Tantrum (rating = 2)	Repeated instruction	Yes No
				Yes No

Some Common Antecedents:	Some Common Consequences:	
<ul> <li>New or repeated demand or instruction</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Demand stops or ends (gets out of doing a task)</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Correction (about child's behavior or mistake)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Corrections stop or Corrections repeated</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Taking something away (or threaten to)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Getting back or keeping what was taken</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Can't have something he wants</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Getting the thing he wanted</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Adult busy (not paying attention to child)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Adult starts paying attention to child</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Peers not paying attention to child</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Peers start paying attention to child</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Adults/peers start paying attention or come closer</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Adults/peers leave child alone</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Loud or sudden noise or movements</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Noise or movements end or child is removed</li> </ul>	