

Appendix - 10Observation Guide for Dyadic Communication Pattern

	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>
1. <u>Dominant status and positive attitudes :</u>		
The spouse lends, teaches advises, instructs, is benevolent and encourages in this communication style.		
2. <u>Dominant status and negative attitudes :</u>		
The spouse is exploiting, computing, elevating, criticizing, attacking or threatening in his/her communication style.		
3. <u>Submissive status and negative attitudes :</u>		
It is communicated by being passively aggressive stubborn, skeptical, submissive or timid.		
4. <u>Submissive status and positive attitudes :</u>		
The spouse having this style will communicate it by helping in a positive way asking for direction cooperating, accepting and affiliating.		