

operant conditioning

Learner Self-Assessment

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↓ behavior
Antecedent

1. Name at least two different behavioral techniques used during feeding therapy.

Differential attention - giving attention to appropriate behavior + ignoring not appropriate behavior
- been shown to (+) impact calories, etc.

parent training + nutritional education - increase appropriate
manual guidance

2. Describe the undesirable behaviors that at least two of the behavioral techniques reviewed are used to correct.

3. Differentiate between operant conditioning and systematic desensitization approaches for remediation of feeding and swallowing problems

reinforcement + rewards

systematic desensitization

- SOS approach uses this
- improving willingness of child to interact w/ food
- parent approach
- using a hierarchy
- playing w/ a purpose

Behaviors

- Adaptive - feeding is an adaptive behavior
- Maladaptive