



Priority Order of Coding Categories

PRIORITY ORDER (HIGH TO LOW)	
1.	Negative Talk
2.	Direct Command
3.	Indirect Command
4.	Labeled Praise
5.	Unlabeled Praise
6.	Question
7.	Reflection
8.	Behavioral Description
9.	Neutral Talk

When something the parent says falls in **TWO** coding categories, use the category with the **HIGHER** priority

When you can't decide whether what the parent says falls in one coding category or another, use the category with the **LOWER** priority



