SELF-AWARENESS



The ability to assess one's own abilities and limitations. Individuals with brain injury may not recognize changes in behavior or personality.

LOOK FOR:

- Difficulty recognizing a problem while it is happening
- Difficulty understanding why rehabilitation therapies are needed
- Difficulty putting goals and strategies into action
- Difficulty generalizing knowledge from one situation to another
- Difficulty monitoring your progress
- Not following recommendations of providers



SELF AWARENESS ACCOMMODATIONS

- Learn how to use safe "supported risk taking" techniques from providers
- Work with providers to develop effective problem solving techniques
- Ask for realistic feedback from members of your support system
- Use a memory notebook, video reviews, or device (e.g.,cellphone) to track progress and setbacks
- Consider participating in individual therapy to help you process the changes in your life

ADJUSTMENTS AND CHANGE TAKE TIME!



