

## COMPLETING THE RISK ASSESSMENT (Short), FORM PPS 2030C

The Risk Assessment (short) should be completed to assess the risk of future maltreatment. Complete this form only for child abuse/neglect cases.

The Risk Assessment (short) may be used if:

- the child is assessed as "Safe" and
- the report of abuse or neglect is unsubstantiated,
- the report of abuse or neglect is substantiated and the perpetrator access to the child is **highly improbable**
- OR services are not being recommended
- AND all children in the home are 6 years of age or over.

It is the expectation that all risk factors are considered (as stated in the full Risk Assessment Form), however, completion of the full Risk Assessment is not required.

- **CASE NAME:** Use the same case name as on page 1, Section II, #1 of form PPS 1000.
- **CASE NUMBER:** Use the same case number as on page 1 of form PPS 1001.
- **EVENT NUMBER:** Use the same event number as on page 1 of form PPS 1001.
- **SOCIAL WORKER:** Enter the name of the assigned worker from form PPS 1002, page 2, Section III.
- **DATE OF ASSIGNMENT:** Enter the date of case acceptance from form PPS 1002, page 1.

### Section I: RISK FACTORS (ABUSE/NEGLECT CASES ONLY)

Indicate if any of the risk factors listed are present within the family. If other risk factors from the full risk assessment are identified, describe under other.

### Section II: NARRATIVE

Describe each risk factor identified in section I and how it affects the safety of the child. Describe the use of family strengths and resources to reduce or control the risk.

### Section III: RISK CONCLUSION

Risk conclusion is determined through the assessment of risk factors identified for children and caregivers in the home and the family strengths and resources to control the risk.

Conclusion choices include:

**No significant risk:** There were no significant risk factors identified.

**Risk controlled:** Significant risk factors were identified; but family strengths or available resources are sufficient to provide for the child(ren)'s safety.

**Risk present:** Risk factors were identified and there are NOT sufficient family strengths and available resources to provide for the child(ren)'s safety without agency intervention. If risk is present a full risk assessment (PPS 2030D) should be completed.

(This form supersedes CFS 2030C Instructions REV 07/2005)

