

Pre-IDA: Preparing for interview

APS Worker Name	Date
Client Name	Primary Language Spoken

Identified Risk:

What wording will you use to describe this risk to the client?

Interview Instructions: Use the risk identified in the Pre-IDA for IDA Steps 1, 2, & 3

IDA Step 1 - Assessing the Risk in General (Understanding)

Do you think the client understands the risk in general? (check one)

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ Maybe
- ☐ No (If No, stop the interview and speak with your supervisor)

What did the client say that brought you to this judgment? Does the client understand that other people confront the identified risk? Can the client explain what could happen if risk is not addressed? Record the client's own words as closely as possible.

Describe the client's emotions, reactions, non-verbal gestures:

IDA Step 2 - Insight into the Risk on a Personal Level (Appreciation)

Do you think the client has insight that he/she could personally be experiencing this risk? (check one)

- ☐ Yes
☐ Maybe
☐ No

What did the client say that brought you to this judgment? Does the client think he/she is experiencing the risk? Can the client explain why or share their thoughts on experience of this risk? *Record the client's own words as closely as possible:*

Describe the client's emotions, reactions, non-verbal gestures:

IDA Step 3 - Ability to Weigh Advantages/Disadvantages of a Plan for Addressing Risk (Reasoning)

Does the client have the ability to weigh the advantages/disadvantages of a plan to address the risk (check one)

- ☐ Yes
☐ Maybe
☐ No

What did the client say that brought you to this judgment? Does the client have a plan to address risk? If not, how does he/she respond to a suggested plan to address risk? Does the client have the ability to weigh **advantages and disadvantages** of a plan to address the risk? *Record the client's own words as closely as possible:*

Describe the client's emotions, reactions, non-verbal gestures:

Post-IDA: Next Steps

Were there any barriers to completing the IDA (hearing or speech problems, language comprehension, other)?

- ☐ Yes
☐ Maybe
☐ No Describe the barriers: _____

Next Steps (check all that apply)

- ☐ Discuss client's decisional ability with supervisor
☐ Consider referral for professional capacity evaluation

☐ Other (describe below)
