

Case Name: _____ Case #: _____ Event #: _____

CPS Specialist: _____ Date of Assessment: _____

INSTRUCTIONS: Ongoing risk and safety assessments shall be completed at the following points in time for family services cases (Select one):

a change in family condition causing concern for the child's risk and safety;

case closure;

a change in visitation; or,

upon reunification;

ONGOING SAFETY ASSESSMENT

INSTRUCTIONS: Identify safety threats that exist for any child(ren) in the home. Safety threats marked "yes" shall have corresponding narrative specifying which child is affected by that safety threat. (See below for instructions on narrative)

Safety Threats:	Yes	No
1. Plausible threat/likelihood of serious physical harm;	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Sexual abuse is suspected or substantiated and the (alleged) perpetrator continues to have access to the child;	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Caregiver actions or omissions have caused or are likely to cause serious impairment of a child's social, emotional, or intellectual functioning.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Caregiver is unwilling, or unable, to meet child's needs for food, clothing, or shelter including where living conditions are hazardous and imminently threatening;	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Caregiver is unable or refuses to seek treatment for a child's medical condition, or to administer prescribed treatment for a diagnosed medical condition that poses a serious threat to the child's physical health;	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Caregiver has not, cannot or will not provide supervision necessary to protect child from potentially serious harm;	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Caregiver has given up or deserted a child with stated or apparent intention to not resume the relationship.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Check one:

Safety threats are not identified.

Safety threats are identified; and protective actions have occurred. See Safety/Harm Description and Protective Action Response. (The safety plan may be referenced for safety response taken. Attach Safety Plan if applicable)

INSTRUCTIONS: Narrative shall: 1) Describe the frequency of the incident; context of the situation; and conditions or circumstances surrounding the abuse/neglect or family situation. The narrative may include other safety factors if they apply. 2) Describe reasonable efforts to prevent out of home placement and/or protective action taken to protect the child considering actions taken by the family or others; and resources available to the family. If no protective action (reasonable efforts) can be developed to protect the child, explain below.

Safety/Harm Description and Protective Action Response

ONGOING RISK ASSESSMENT

INSTRUCTIONS: Assess the child(ren)'s risk in the four categories below, and any other risk factors identified. Document in each category, the risk factors present and how it affects the child's safety.

Parent or Caregiver Factors Present: Including, but not limited to: personality characteristics and psychological well-being (low self-esteem, depression, etc.); history of abuse; substance abuse; and attitudes and knowledge about the child's behavior and/or child development.

Family Factors: Including, but not limited to: Family structure (single parent household, chaotic, people in and out of the home, etc.); marital conflict, domestic violence; stress (loss of job, etc.); and parent-child interaction.

Child Factors: Including but not limited to: age; disability; provocative; defenseless; non-assertive or withdrawn; illness; invisible.

Environmental Factors: Including but not limited to: poverty and unemployment; social isolation and social support; and violent communities.

Check One:

- Risk factors are not identified.
- Risk factors are identified. Describe in Mitigating Factors, the family's ability to use strengths and resources to manage the risk factors present.

Mitigating Factors

