

MASH risk assessment matrix

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Name of worker:

Agency:

Date completed:

Framework i number:

NHS number:

Agency involvement/contact with child and family

Reason for involvement/contact; services provided or actions carried out; dates; level of engagement from parent/carer; any patterns of repeated presentation or service request;

Child's circumstances:

Child's presentation; relationship with main carer; evidence of neglect, abuse, exploitation or trafficking; degree of vulnerability due to age, disability or learning difficulties; living with adults other than parents; emotional difficulties or self-harming behaviour;

Family's circumstances:

Family composition and relationship to child; quality of family relationships; evidence of domestic violence or family dysfunction; quality of housing; state of home; level of income; immigration status;

Parent/carer's circumstances:

Relationship with child; parenting capacity and ability to meet the child's needs; own presenting issues; attitude towards agencies; history of violence or offending;

Presence of risk factors:

Substance misuse; learning difficulties; mental health issues; domestic violence; criminal activity; presence of people who pose a risk to children;

Information from housing:

Name of landlord; status and stability of tenancy; rent arrears; housing history; reports of domestic violence or anti-social behaviour; information about the child

Information from education:

Name of school; educational history; exclusions; level of attendance and any truancy;

Information not to be shared

Please give details of any information that must not be shared with the family or other agencies