

Assessment & Next Steps Templates

Analysis Definitions

Safety / Wellbeing / Success

Signs of Safety Assessment & Next Steps Plan

| What are we worried about? | What's working well? | What needs to happen? |
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| Harm | Existing Strengths | Safety Goals |
| Danger Statements | Existing Safety | |
| Complicating Factors | | Next steps |

Safety Scale on each Danger Statement and Safety Goal pairing



Thinking about the children in the family situation - child protection case:

What are we worried about?

HARM: Examples of the harmful behaviours that have/could cause hurt, pain, fear, anxiety, suffering, hunger, illness, injury, sexual abuse and the negative impact this is having on the children, young people

Complicating Factors: Things that are making it harder for family to make and sustain good changes.

DANGER STATEMENT: What professionals are worried will happen to the children, YP if nothing changes for the better, the worst things that could happen to them.

What's working well?

EXISTING STRENGTHS: Examples of how the parents, family members, safety networks are sorting the worries out, the good everyday care the children, young people have, what else everyone is doing to make good changes.

EXISTING SAFETY: Examples of how the parents, family members, safety networks have been stepping in to protect, care for the children when harmful behaviours are happening, the protective actions people are taking to keep the children, YP safe

What needs to happen?

SAFETY GOALS: The things the LA needs to see happening to be sure the children, YP will be safe and well cared for particularly when life gets hard, dangerous.

NEXT STEPS: The actions everyone is already taking and will continue to do, or new actions to achieve the safety goal

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Safety Scale on each Danger Statement and Safety Goal pairing

Signs of Wellbeing Assessment & Next Steps Plan

| What are we worried about? | What's working well? | What needs to happen? |
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| Wellbeing concerns | Existing Strengths | WELLBEING GOALS |
| Worry Statements | Existing Wellbeing | |
| Complicating Factors | | Next steps |

10 being achieving in all areas and 0 being struggling in all areas



Thinking about the child/young person in early help or CIN / C&S / EH situation:

| What are we worried about? | What's working well? | What needs to happen? |
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| <p>WELLBEING CONCERNS: Evidence of the children, YP unmet needs - struggles; problems; issues that is happening and causing a negative impact on their overall development.</p> <p>Complicating Factors: Things that happen in the family, network that gets in the way of the wellbeing concerns being sorted out, barriers to making good changes.</p> <p>WORRY STATEMENTS: What professionals are worried will happen to the children if nothing changes for the better, the worst things that could happen</p> | <p>EXISTING STRENGTHS: Examples of what the parents / family members / networks are doing to reduce the wellbeing concerns and make sure the children, YP get good care and it's having a good impact.</p> <p>EXISTING WELLBEING: Examples of what the parents / family members / networks are doing to step in and care / support the children, YP when parents / carers are struggling; or the children need extra support and it's having a good impact.</p> | <p>WELLBEING GOALS: The things the LA / Agency needs to see happening to be sure the children, YP needs will be met and they can reach their full potential; be supported particularly when life gets hard</p> <p>NEXT STEPS: The things everyone is already doing / need to do to help, support and enable the children, YP to achieve their wellbeing concerns and address the wellbeing concerns. So the LA/agency can end involvement.</p> |

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How everyone rates the seriousness of the situation 10 being child, YP achieving their wellbeing goals and 0 struggling in all areas of their life?

Signs of Success Assessment & Next Steps Plan

| What are we worried about? | What's working well? | What needs to happen? |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| Wellbeing Concerns | Existing Strengths | Success Goals |
| Worry Statements | Existing Success | |
| Complicating Factors | | Next steps |

10 being placement is stable and child, YP happy and settled and 0 being breaking down, not happy and unsettled



Thinking about the child/teenager in the care of the LA:

| What are we worried about? | What's working well? | What needs to happen? |
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| <p>WORRYING BEHAVIOURS: Evidence of the behaviours that are impacting on the child's, YP life and placement – negative impact.</p> <p>COMPLICATING FACTORS: Things that happen in the birth / foster / adoptive family that is making it harder to make good changes – barriers to good change.</p> <p>WORRY STATEMENT: What professionals are worried will happen to the children, YP if nothing changes for the better, the worst things that could happen?</p> | <p>EXISTING STRENGTHS: Examples of what birth & foster parents / family / networks are doing that is helping to reduce the worrying behaviours, good care, resources – having a good impact.</p> <p>EXISTING SUCCESS: Examples of how birth & foster parents / family / networks are stepping in to support the child, YP when everyone is struggling – good impact.</p> | <p>SUCCESS GOALS: The things the LA / Agency needs to see happening to be sure the child, YP will be safe, happy and settled in the placement so they can reach their full potential and be supported particularly when life gets hard</p> <p>NEXT STEPS: The things everyone is already doing / need to do to make sure the child, YP gets the care and support they need to achieve the success goals.</p> |



How everyone rates the seriousness of the situation 10 being placement is successful 0 being breaking down