FAMILY HELP TRUST

Safer Families Referral Form

Referrer details	
Date	
Referrer Name	
Agency	
Phone	
Email	
NOTE: Safer Families is a voluntary service; therefore, a conversation with the client must take place prior to making a referral, and client consent must be obtained.	

Client signature		Client signature date	

Referred child / children (There must be at least one child under the age of five years)			
	Target child (youngest or unborn)	Child two	Child three
Name of child			
Gender			
Date of birth			
Ethnicity			
Iwi			
NHI number			

Details of any other children in the house				
	Child one	Child two	Child three	Child four
Name				
Relationship to child				
Gender				
Date of birth				
Ethnicity				
Iwi				

Parents / caregivers / significant adult contact details			
	Adult one	Adult two	Adult three
Name			
Relationship to child			
Date of birth			
Address			
Contact details			
Ethnicity			
Iwi			

Please indicate any current Oranga Tamariki involvement	**Yes**	**No**	
Report of concern made		Being assessed	
OT intervention		Unknown	

Oranga Tamariki Social Worker	
Name	
Contact details	

Other agencies involved		
Agency	Role	Contact details

ISR and family violence history if known		
Date	Agency involved	Details of incident

In order to accept a referral and create an appropriate plan with the whānau we require all relevant information please. Please send copy of any relevant reports with the referral.	
Type of report	Attached

Please detail any concerns you have for the children/ whānau and reasons for referring to FHT:

What are you most worried about?

Please detail any needs of the child that require specialist follow up and monitoring (e.g. sight, hearing, developmental delay, etc.)

What are you expecting from Family Help Trust?

Safety issues for professionals visiting the home (please specify)	
Weapons	
Threatening or violent behaviour	
Gang involvement	
Other (specify)	
Any further details of safety risk	

RISK SCREEN

Please indicate the rating that applies for each.

Any questions regarding this risk screen, please contact the Practice Manager at Family Help Trust *(christy@familyhelptrust.org.nz or 0212234447)*

SAFE AND SECURE

	Never	Unlikely	Rarely	Sometimes	Often
1. Child is subjected to or exposed to physical abuse or punishment	0	1	2	3	4
2. Child is exposed to psychological abuse or punishment	0	1	2	3	4
3. Child experiences bullying (home, day-care, elsewhere)	0	1	2	3	4
Comments:					**Total:**

CAREGIVER RELATED RISK

	Never	Unlikely	Rarely	Sometimes	Often
4. Caregiver experiences physical or psychological violence	0	1	2	3	4
5. Caregiver has mental health/depression issues or history	0	1	2	3	4
6. Impact of trauma on caregiver	0	1	2	3	4
7. Caregiver resorts to alcohol/drugs to cope	0	1	2	3	4
8. Caregiver response to challenging child behaviour is stressed or agitated	0	1	2	3	4

	No	Yes
9. Caregiver has cognitive impairment/ intellectual disability that impacts on safe parenting	0	4
10. Caregiver is frequently avoidant of informal or formal social supports	0	4
11. Caregiver has significant history of criminal offending	0	4
12. Caregiver had recent self-harm or suicidal ideation	0	4
13. Caregiver had significant Oranga Tamariki experience as a child	0	4
Comments:		**Total:**

HEALTH

	Normal	Minor under development	Some under development	Significant under development	Severe

14. Child physical and motor development and functioning are age-appropriate	0	1	2	3	4
	Regularly & full	Usually	Sometimes	No but enrolled	No not enrolled
15. Child receives appropriate primary healthcare services	0	1	2	3	4
Comments:					**Total:**

HAVE WHAT THEY NEED					
	0 in past 12 months	1 in past 12 months	2 in past 12 months	3 in past 12 months	>3 in past 12 months
16. Household instability and moves	0	1	2	3	4
	None	Minor	Some	Significant	Severe
17. Other reported housing problems or household issues	0	1	2	3	4
18. Household material hardship	0	1	2	3	4
19. Diet inadequacies	0	1	2	3	4
Comments:					**Total:**

HAPPY LOVED AND NURTURED					
	Always	Usually	Often	Sometimes	Rarely
20. Child is happy in relationships with caregiver and whānau	0	1	2	3	4
21. Caregiver interacts, talks and plays with child	0	1	2	3	4
22. Caregiver provides positive affection and praise	0	1	2	3	4
23. Caregiver provides appropriate and adequate supervision	0	1	2	3	4
Comments:					**Total:**

LEARNING AND DEVELOPMENT					
	Normal development	Minor under development	Some under development	Significant under development	Severe under development
24. Child social development, skills and functioning are age-appropriate	0	1	2	3	4
25. Child cognitive and language development is age-appropriate	0	1	2	3	4
Comments:					**Total:**
				(Maximum 100) Overall total:	

PLEASE EMAIL COMPLETED FORM TO FHT PRACTICE MANAGER (christy@familyhelptrust.org.nz)