

# Case Risk Assessment



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*This risk assessment should **only be completed if there are concerns that there may be risks to worker safety when working with a family**. A decision to carry out a risk assessment should be taken following the completion of the child and family assessment/early help assessment or at any point where risks are identified. The risk assessment should be carried out jointly by the allocated worker and their manager/supervisor.*

Name of family

Address

### Part 1: Type of Risk

*Please select only the risks that have been identified during assessment and indicate the level of risk. The risk assessment should consider the risks to professionals visiting the family from everyone living in the household including young people and older children. Where no risk is posed, please indicate this.*

#### Type of Risk

Type of Risk	Level of risk
Verbal abuse	High risk

### Details of risk identified in this assessment

*Please give a detailed description of the type of risk and the level of risk involved to workers.*

### History of threats and violence against professionals

*Please give details of the nature of the threat or any incidents of violence, stating when they occurred, by whom, and why, and against which professionals. Has anyone else in the professional network raised concerns about working with this family?*

### Part 2: Response to risk

*This section is to be completed by the manager to record what action will be taken to eliminate, reduce or control the risks identified in the assessment.*

#### Overall measure of risk

Low risk

Medium risk

High risk

### Measures to be put in place

- Providing lone working training for staff
- Visiting homes in pairs or with colleague/supervisor/manager/ other professional
- Providing equipment to monitor whereabouts or enable workers to raise the alarm e.g. panic alarm, pager
- Seeing parents, children or young people at Camden offices
- Agreed process to raise the alarm during visits
- Agreed reporting back/calling in process following visits
- Worker to advise other involved professionals of potential risk
- Checking with keyworkers from adult services with regards to the parent's state, ie mental health prior to visits/meetings
- Agreeing with family the conditions under which home visits will take place

### Are there any differences of opinion as to the nature and level of the risks identified?

- Yes  No

If yes, what action will be taken to resolve this, i.e.; mediation?

### Views of worker

#### Do you feel confident that all risks have been addressed and that adequate safety measures are in place?

- Yes  No

If not, please state why and what further action you feel needs to be taken?

Worker

Has not been verified

Manager/Supervisor

Has not been verified

Date of risk assessment

Date of review

If risks have been identified then please add a warning note to the person's file stating: **Risk assessment completed** (No other details should be given)

To record a warning note you need to be on the Person Summary screen, move your mouse over Personal Details then click on Notes, click on Add, select a Type of Note of Warning, enter the bolded text above then click on Save