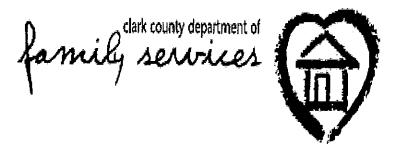


QUARTER 5 PIP 1.1.3 (A) CLARK COUNTY



CLARK COUNTY CFSR
PROGRAM PERFORMANCE IMPROVEMENT
QUARTER 5 REPORT

Primary Strategy: 1 Strengthen and reinforce safety practices throughout the life of the case Goal: 1 Continue the development of Nevada's safety assessment model to include assessment of children in out-of-home care and at specific milestones throughout the life of the case			Applicable CFSR Outcomes or Systemic Factors: Safety Outcome 1 and 2		
			Applicable CFSR Items: 2, 4		
Action Steps and Benchmarks	Person Responsible	Evidence of Completion	Quarter Due	Quarter Completed	

Clark County delivered the NRCCPS ACTION for Child Protection safety model to new hires January 16, 2012 through January 20, 2012. These trainings address the safety throughout the life of the case concepts focusing on safety planning in all lifecycle areas of the case, such as permanency and safety within foster care. These trainings include instruction on using the Clark County safety assessment instruments submitted in Quarter 1 and Quarter 4. There will be another presentation of this model in April-May 2012 to another set of newly hired case managers and supervisors. See Appendix B for the educational objectives of this safety training and Appendix C for the "Clark County DFS CPS Investigation: A Social Child Safety Intervention" training table of contents. The most recent revised version of the Safety Intervention model presented by NRCCPS will be implemented in summer 2012.

Clark County- Division of Child and Family Services (DCFS)

Safety Framework (SAFE) Implementation Meeting: Preparation and Discussion for Competency Development and Model Installation

March 6, 2012

Meeting Purpose:

- Establish and communicate a vision for implementation
- Provide input in the design of installation of intervention approach
- Develop strategic plan for implementation
- Identify and respond to barriers for implementation
- Determine methods for supporting implementation
- Establish plan to communicate with implementation purveyors

Agenda/ Meeting Objectives (9am-4pm):

- Introductions
- Confirm objectives of meeting
- Discuss Clark Counties interest in SAFE
- Discuss Current practice
- Review current status of safety framework implementation and plans for complete installation for sustaining SAFE in Washoe and Rural Region
- Discuss stages of implementation relative to Clark interest in SAFE
- Discuss roles (State, Clark, Washoe, NRCCPS, ACTION)
- Discuss next steps and timeline

CPS Investigation A social-child safety intervention

Educational Objectives

At the conclusion of the training the participant will be able to:

- Describe the CPS investigation as a social intervention and as the first part of a social intervention system.
- Differentiate between maltreatment, risk of maltreatment and safety, and understand how these concepts apply during investigation.
- Identify the purposes, decisions and functions of investigation and describe how investigation fits within the CPS intervention process.
- Establish an Information Collection Protocol, and identify pertinent areas of Information Collection.
- Justify decision-making and selecting the most appropriate roles of interventions (safety planning).

Nevada Division of Child and Family Services

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