

**CALIFORNIA**  
**SDM® FAMILY RISK REASSESSMENT FOR IN-HOME CASES**

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Case Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Case #: \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  
County Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Worker Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Worker ID#: \_\_\_\_\_

**The first four items are scored based on conditions that were present at the time of the referral that resulted in the case opening. Unless new information has been learned about those conditions, these should be scored the same as on the initial risk assessment.**

- | <b>R1. Number of prior neglect or abuse CPS investigations</b>                                    | <b>Score</b> |
|---|--------------|
| <input type="radio"/> a. None .....   | 0            |
| <input type="radio"/> b. One or two .....   | 1            |
| <input type="radio"/> c. Three or more .....  | 2            |
| _____   | _____        |
| <b>R2. Household has previously had an open CPS case (voluntary/court ordered)</b>                |              |
| <input type="radio"/> a. No .....   | 0            |
| <input type="radio"/> b. Yes .....  | 1            |
| _____   | _____        |
| <b>R3. Primary caregiver has a history of abuse and/or neglect as a child</b>                     |              |
| <input type="radio"/> a. No .....   | 0            |
| <input type="radio"/> b. Yes .....  | 1            |
| _____   | _____        |
| <b>R4. Characteristics of children in the household</b>   |              |
| <input type="radio"/> a. Not applicable .....   | 0            |
| <input type="radio"/> b. One or more present ( <i>select all applicable for any child</i> ) ..... | 1            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Developmental disability   |              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Learning disability  |              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Physical disability  |              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Medically fragile or failure to thrive                                   |              |
| _____   | _____        |

**The following case observations pertain to the period since the last assessment/reassessment.**

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| <b>R5. New investigation of abuse or neglect since the initial risk assessment or the last reassessment</b>               |       |
| <input type="radio"/> a. No .....   | 0     |
| <input type="radio"/> b. Yes .....  | 2     |
| _____   | _____ |
| <b>R6. Primary/secondary caregiver alcohol and/or drug use since the last assessment/reassessment (<i>select one</i>)</b> |       |
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| <input type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/> a. No history of alcohol or drug abuse .....                                  | 0     |
| <input type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/> b. No current alcohol or drug abuse; no intervention needed .....             | 0     |
| <input type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/> c. Yes, alcohol or drug abuse; problem is being addressed .....               | 0     |
| <input type="radio"/> <input type="radio"/> d. Yes, alcohol or drug abuse; problem is <u>not</u> being addressed .....    | 1     |
| _____   | _____ |
| <b>R7. Adult relationships in the home</b>  |       |
| <input type="radio"/> a. None applicable .....  | 0     |
| <input type="radio"/> b. Yes ( <i>select all that apply</i> ) .....   | 1     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Harmful/tumultuous relationships   |       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Domestic violence  |       |
| _____   | _____ |
| <b>R8. Primary caregiver mental health since the last assessment/reassessment (<i>select one</i>)</b>                     |       |
| <input type="radio"/> a. No history of mental health problem .....  | 0     |
| <input type="radio"/> b. No current mental health problem; no intervention needed .....                                   | 0     |
| <input type="radio"/> c. Yes, mental health problem; problem is being addressed .....                                     | 0     |
| <input type="radio"/> d. Yes, mental health problem; problem is <u>not</u> being addressed .....                          | 1     |
| _____   | _____ |
| <b>R9. Primary caregiver provides physical care of the child that is:</b>   |       |
| <input type="radio"/> a. Consistent with child needs .....  | 0     |
| <input type="radio"/> b. Not consistent with child needs .....  | 1     |
| _____   | _____ |

**R10. Caregiver's progress with case plan objectives (as indicated by behavioral change)**

**Score**

(score based on the caregiver demonstrating the least progress)

P S

- a. Demonstrates new skills and behaviors consistent with all family case plan objectives and is actively engaged to maintain objectives.....0
- b. Demonstrates some new skills and behaviors consistent with family case plan objectives and is actively engaged in activities to achieve objectives.....0
- c. Minimally demonstrates new skills and behaviors consistent with case plan objectives and/or has been inconsistently engaged in obtaining the objectives specified in the case plan.....0
- d. Does not demonstrate new skills and behaviors consistent with case plan objectives and/or refuses engagement .....1
- No secondary caregiver

**TOTAL SCORE** \_\_\_\_\_

**SCORED RISK LEVEL.** Assign the family's risk level based on the following chart.

Score	Risk Level
0-1	<input type="radio"/> Low
2-4	<input type="radio"/> Moderate
5-7	<input type="radio"/> High
8+	<input type="radio"/> Very High

**OVERRIDES**

**Policy Overrides.** Select yes if condition is applicable in the current review period. If any condition is applicable, override final risk level to very high.

- Yes  No 1. Sexual abuse case AND the perpetrator is likely to have access to the child.
- Yes  No 2. Non-accidental injury to a child under age 2.
- Yes  No 3. Severe non-accidental injury.
- Yes  No 4. Caregiver action or inaction resulted in death of a child due to abuse or neglect.

**Discretionary Override.** If a discretionary override is made, select yes, select override risk level, and indicate the reason. Risk level may be overridden one level higher or lower.

- Yes  No 5. If yes, override risk level (select one):  Low  Moderate  High  Very High

Discretionary override reason: \_\_\_\_\_

Supervisor's Review/Approval of Discretionary Override: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

**FINAL RISK LEVEL** (select final level assigned):  Low  Moderate  High  Very High

**RECOMMENDED DECISION**

Final Risk Level	Recommendation
Low	Close*
Moderate	Close*
High	Continue Services
Very High	Continue Services

\*Unless there are unresolved safety threats.

**PLANNED ACTION**

- Continue Services
- Close **Note: A closing safety assessment is required.**

If recommended decision and planned action do not match, explain why:

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