PARENT / CARE GIVER INTERVIEW FORM

2018
PARENT INTERVIEW FORM

CAREGIVER INFORMATION
Please fill out this form to the best of your knowledge. The information you provide here is private and confidential.

Child's name: ____________________________________________________________

Caregiver name: _________________________________________________________

Date of Birth: __________________________ Relationship to child: ___________________

Phone: __________________________

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Date of Birth: __________________________ Relationship to child: ___________________

Phone: __________________________

Address: __________________________ Zip Code__________________________

FAMILY INFORMATION

1. Biological parent's present marital status:

   □ Never married  □ Married  □ Divorced  □ Separated

2. Who is the custodial parent and/or primary caregiver?

   □ Mother  □ Father  □ Both  □ Other

3. Has your child been in counseling?

   □ Yes  □ No

   If yes, when and with whom: ____________________________________________
4. Does anyone in your home smoke?
   □ Yes     □ No How many?

5. Has your family ever experienced a serious fire or burn injury?
   □ Yes     □ No

6. Where are matches/lighters generally kept in your home?

7. How did your child get the materials used in this incident?
   □ Found it easily    □ Went out of the way to acquire

8. Do you believe this fire play/firesetting was intentional?
   □ Yes     □ No
   If yes, explain________________________________________________________________________

9. Do you believe your child was attempting to do harm or destroy property?
   □ Yes     □ No

10. Has your child expressed an interest/fascination in fire?
    □ Yes     □ No
    If yes, explain________________________________________________________________________

11. Do you believe your child was pressured or coerced into fire play/firesetting by peers?
    □ Yes     □ No
    If yes, explain________________________________________________________________________

12. Within the last 6 months has there been an event in your child's life that could have contributed to this behavior?     □ Yes     □ No If yes, check those that apply:

    □ Family problems    □ Parent/child conflict    □ Family moved
    □ Death    □ Problem at school    □ Angry at self or another
    □ Trauma    □ Other
13. What was your child's behavior after this fire play/firesetting incident?

- [ ] Denied or lied about involvement
- [ ] Hid
- [ ] Did nothing
- [ ] Extinguished the fire
- [ ] Sought help
- [ ] Other

14. Does the fire play/firesetting appear to be an attempt to get attention by your child?

- [ ] Yes
- [ ] No
- [ ] Not sure

15. Please check any of the behaviors that apply or are demonstrated by this child:

- [ ] Jealousy
- [ ] Stealing
- [ ] Bedwetting
- [ ] Destructive
- [ ] Compulsive behaviors
- [ ] Moody
- [ ] Nightmares
- [ ] Impulse
- [ ] Cruel to animals

Comments: __________________________________________

16. Please check if any of the following apply to this child:

- [ ] Physical abuse
- [ ] Sexual abuse
- [ ] Emotional abuse
- [ ] Neglected abuse

- [ ] Other/explain: __________________________________________
Use this form to track and compare the answers from the Parent Interview Form. Total the Red Flags and add them with the Youth Interview Form.

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