

**CHILD AND ADOLESCENT NEEDS AND STRENGTHS (CANS) – SAN BERNARDINO**

CHECK ONE:  Initial CANS  Update CANS  Planned Discharge  Unplanned Discharge

Date Assessed: \_\_\_\_\_

Child/Youth's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_  Under 6 Y/O<sup>1</sup>  Over 15 Y/O<sup>2</sup>

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Medical Record No: \_\_\_\_\_

Residential:  Yes  No

Assessor's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**LIFE DOMAIN FUNCTIONING**

0 = no evidence of problems	1 = history, mild, monitor				
2 = actionable - moderate	3 = immediate/intensive services				
	N/A	0	1	2	3
Family Functioning <sup>3</sup>		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Living Situation		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Social Functioning		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Recreational		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Developmental/Intellectual <sup>4</sup>		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Job Functioning <sup>14</sup>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Legal <sup>10</sup>		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Decision Making		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Medical/Physical		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Sexual Development <sup>5</sup>		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Gender Identity		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Sleep		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
School Behavior <sup>6</sup>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
School Achievement <sup>6</sup>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
School Attendance <sup>6</sup>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

**STRENGTHS DOMAIN**

0 = centerpiece	1 = useful				
2 = identified/develop	3 = not yet identified				
	N/A	0	1	2	3
Family Strengths		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Interpersonal		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Optimism		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Educational Setting	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Vocational	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Talents and Interests		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Spiritual/Religious		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Cultural Identity		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Community Life		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Natural Supports		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Relationship Permanence <sup>7</sup>		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Well-Being		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Resiliency		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Resourcefulness		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Treatment Involvement		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Progress to Goals		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Discharge Preparation		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

**CULTURAL FACTORS**

0 = no evidence of problems	1 = history, mild, monitor				
2 = actionable - moderate	3 = immediate/intensive services				
	N/A	0	1	2	3
Language		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Traditions and Rituals		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Cultural Stress		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Sexual Orientation		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Discrimination Bias		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Cultural Differences within the Family		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Cultural Diversity		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Cultural Appropriateness of Service Family		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

**CAREGIVER STRENGTHS & NEEDS**

0 = strength/no evidence of problem	1 = useful/monitor				
2 = requires action	3 = immediate/intensive services				
NOT APPLICABLE - No Caregiver Identified	<input type="radio"/>				
		0	1	2	3
Supervision		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Involvement with Care <sup>3</sup>		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Knowledge		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Organization		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Social Resources		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Residential Stability		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Medical/Physical		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Mental Health		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Substance Use		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Developmental		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Safety		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Family Relationship to the System		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Legal Involvement		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Emotional Responsiveness		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Adjustment to Traumatic Experiences		<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

**MODULES** 1 » 0 thru 5 2 » TAY 3 » Family Difficulties. 4 » Developmental Needs (DD) 5 » Sexuality 6 » School 7 » Permanency 8 » Traumatic Stress 9 » Substance Use Disorder (SUD) 10 » Violence/Juvenile Justice 11 » Sexually Aggressive Behavior (SAB) 12 » Runaway 13 » Fire Setting (FS) 14 » Vocational (VOC) 15 » Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Children (CSEC) 16 » Hospitalization 17 » Residential

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BEHAVIORAL /EMOTIONAL NEEDS				
0 = no evidence of problems	1 = history, mild, monitor			
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	0	1	2	3
Psychosis (Thought Disorder)	0	0	0	0
Impulsivity/Hyperactivity	0	0	0	0
Depression	0	0	0	0
Anxiety	0	0	0	0
Mania	0	0	0	0
Oppositional Conduct	0	0	0	0
Adjustment to Trauma <sup>8</sup>	0	0	0	0
Attachment Difficulties	0	0	0	0
Anger Control	0	0	0	0
Eating Disturbances	0	0	0	0
Emotional/Physical Dysregulation	0	0	0	0
Behavioral Regressions	0	0	0	0
Somatization	0	0	0	0
Substance Use <sup>9</sup>	0	0	0	0

RISK BEHAVIORS				
0 = no evidence of problems	1 = history, mild, monitor			
2 = actionable - moderate	3 = immediate/intensive services			
	0	1	2	3
Suicide Risk	0	0	0	0
Non-Suicidal Self-Injurious Behavior	0	0	0	0
Other Self-Harm (Recklessness)	0	0	0	0
Danger to Others <sup>10</sup>	0	0	0	0
Sexual Aggression <sup>11</sup>	0	0	0	0
Runaway <sup>12</sup>	0	0	0	0
Delinquent Behavior <sup>10</sup>	0	0	0	0
Fire Setting <sup>13</sup>	0	0	0	0
Intentional Misbehavior	0	0	0	0
Exploitation <sup>15</sup>	0	0	0	0
Grave Disability	0	0	0	0
0 = 0 1 = 1 2 = 2 3+ = 3				
Number of Prior Psychiatric Hospitalizations <sup>16</sup>				
Instances: Past 6 months	0	0	0	0
Psychiatric Crisis Episodes w/o Hospitalization				
Instances: Past 90 days	0	0	0	0

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TRAUMA				
0 = No, no evidence of trauma	1 = Yes, mild severity			
2 = Yes, moderate severity	3 = Yes, severe or chronic			
	No	---	Yes	---
	0	1	2	3
Sexual Abuse	0	0	0	0
Physical Abuse	0	0	0	0
Emotional Abuse	0	0	0	0
Neglect	0	0	0	0
Medical Trauma	0	0	0	0
Witness to Family Violence	0	0	0	0
Witness to Community/School Violence	0	0	0	0
Natural or Manmade Disaster	0	0	0	0
War/Terrorism Affected	0	0	0	0
Victim/Witness to Criminal Activity	0	0	0	0
Disruption in Caregiving/Attachment Losses <sup>7</sup>	0	0	0	0
Parental Criminal Behavior	0	0	0	0
Bullied by Others	0	0	0	0

MODULES					
1. Early Childhood (EC) Module - 0-5					
	Unknown	0	1	2	3
Motor		0	0	0	0
Sensory		0	0	0	0
Communication		0	0	0	0
Aggression		0	0	0	0
Regulatory Problems		0	0	0	0
Failure to Thrive		0	0	0	0
PICA		0	0	0	0
Birth Weight	0	0	0	0	0
Prenatal Care	0	0	0	0	0
Labor and Delivery	0	0	0	0	0
Exposure (Substance Exposure)	0	0	0	0	0
Maternal/Primary Caregiver Availability	0	0	0	0	0
Parent or Sibling Problems		0	0	0	0
Curiosity		0	0	0	0
Playfulness		0	0	0	0
Adaptability		0	0	0	0
Persistence		0	0	0	0
Self-Care/Daily Living Skill		0	0	0	0
Atypical Behaviors		0	0	0	0
Early Education		0	0	0	0
Social and Emotional Functioning		0	0	0	0
Exploited (0-5)		0	0	0	0

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<b>2. Transitional Age Youth (TAY) Module</b>					0	1	2	3						0	1	2	3
Independent Living Skills	0	0	0	0					Intimate Relationships	0	0	0	0				
Residential Stability	0	0	0	0					Medication Compliance	0	0	0	0				
Transportation	0	0	0	0					Educational Attainment	0	0	0	0				
Parenting Roles	0	0	0	0					Vocational/Career	0	0	0	0				
Interpersonal/Social Connectedness	0	0	0	0					Meaningfulness	0	0	0	0				
Personality Disorder	0	0	0	0					Victimization	0	0	0	0				
<b>3. Family Difficulties (FAM) Module</b>					0	1	2	3						0	1	2	3
Relationship with Bio-Mother Only	0	0	0	0					Parental/Caregiver Collaboration	0	0	0	0				
Relationship with Bio-Father Only	0	0	0	0					Family Communication	0	0	0	0				
Relationship with Primary Caregiver	0	0	0	0					Family Role Appropriateness/Boundaries	0	0	0	0				
Relationship Among Siblings	0	0	0	0					Family Conflict	0	0	0	0				
<b>4. Developmental Needs (DD) Module</b>					0	1	2	3						0	1	2	3
Cognitive	0	0	0	0					Self Care/Daily Living Skills	0	0	0	0				
Communication	0	0	0	0					Atypical Behaviors	0	0	0	0				
Developmental	0	0	0	0													
<b>5. Sexuality Module</b>					0	1	2	3						0	1	2	3
Promiscuity	0	0	0	0					Knowledge of Sex	0	0	0	0				
Masturbation	0	0	0	0					Choice of Relationship	0	0	0	0				
Reactive Sexual Behavior	0	0	0	0													
<b>6. School Module</b>					0	1	2	3						0	1	2	3
Attention-Concentration in School	0	0	0	0					Depression in School	0	0	0	0				
Sensory Integration Difficulties in School	0	0	0	0					Peer Relations in School	0	0	0	0				
Affect Dysregulation in School	0	0	0	0					Oppositional in School	0	0	0	0				
Anxiety in School	0	0	0	0					Conduct in School	0	0	0	0				
<b>7. Permanency Module</b>					0	1	2	3	N/A					0	1	2	3
Siblings	0	0	0	0					Grief & Loss	0	0	0	0				
Biological/Adoptive Mother	0	0	0	0					Family Identity & Belonging	0	0	0	0				
Biological/Adoptive Father	0	0	0	0					Family Finding	0	0	0	0				
Other Significant Adults	0	0	0	0					Years in Care	0	0	0	0				
Current Living Situation	0	0	0	0					Placement History	0	0	0	0				
<b>8. Traumatic Stress Symptoms Module</b>					0	1	2	3						0	1	2	3
Intrusions/Re-Experiencing	0	0	0	0					Numbing	0	0	0	0				
Hyperarousal	0	0	0	0					Dissociation	0	0	0	0				
Traumatic Grief & Separation	0	0	0	0					Avoidance	0	0	0	0				
<b>9. Substance Use Disorder (SUD) Module</b>					0	1	2	3						0	1	2	3
Severity of Use	0	0	0	0					Parental Influences	0	0	0	0				
Duration of Use	0	0	0	0					Environmental Influences	0	0	0	0				
Stage of Recovery	0	0	0	0					Recovery Community Supports	0	0	0	0				
Peer Influences	0	0	0	0													
<b>10. Violence/Juvenile Justice (JJ) Module</b>					0	1	2	3						0	1	2	3
<b>Violence</b>																	
History of Violence	0	0	0	0					Secondary Gains From Anger	0	0	0	0				
Bullying	0	0	0	0					Violent Thinking	0	0	0	0				
Frustration Management	0	0	0	0					Aware of Violence Potential	0	0	0	0				
Hostility	0	0	0	0					Response to Consequences	0	0	0	0				
Paranoid Thinking	0	0	0	0					Commitment to Self-Control	0	0	0	0				
<b>Juvenile Justice</b>																	
History of Delinquency	0	0	0	0					Parental Criminal Behavior	0	0	0	0				
Seriousness	0	0	0	0					Environmental Influences	0	0	0	0				
Planning	0	0	0	0					Arrests	0	0	0	0				
Community Safety	0	0	0	0					Incarceration	0	0	0	0				
Peer Influences	0	0	0	0					Legal Compliance	0	0	0	0				

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<b>11. Sexually Aggressive Behavior Module</b>					0	1	2	3						0	1	2	3	
Relationship	0	0	0	0					Response to Accusation	0	0	0	0					
Physical Force/Threat	0	0	0	0					Temporal Consistency	0	0	0	0					
Planning	0	0	0	0					History of Sexual Aggressive Behavior	0	0	0	0					
Age Differential	0	0	0	0					Severity of Sexual Abuse	0	0	0	0					
Type of Sex Act	0	0	0	0					Prior Treatment	0	0	0	0					
<b>12. Runaway Module</b>					0	1	2	3						0	1	2	3	
Frequency of Running	0	0	0	0					Likelihood of Return on Own	0	0	0	0					
Consistency of Destination	0	0	0	0					Involvement with Others	0	0	0	0					
Safety of Destination	0	0	0	0					Realistic Expectations	0	0	0	0					
Involvement in Illegal Activities	0	0	0	0					Planning	0	0	0	0					
<b>13. Fire Setting (FS) Module</b>					0	1	2	3						0	1	2	3	
History	0	0	0	0					Community Safety	0	0	0	0					
Seriousness	0	0	0	0					Response to Accusation	0	0	0	0					
Planning	0	0	0	0					Remorse	0	0	0	0					
Use of Accelerants	0	0	0	0					Likelihood of Future Fire Setting	0	0	0	0					
Intention to Harm	0	0	0	0														
<b>14. Vocational Module</b>					0	1	2	3						0	1	2	3	
Job History	0	0	0	0					Job Relations	0	0	0	0					
Job Attendance	0	0	0	0					Job Skills	0	0	0	0					
Job Performance	0	0	0	0														
<b>15. Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Children (CSEC) Module</b>					0	1	2	3						N/A	0	1	2	3
Duration of Exploitation	0	0	0	0					Incarceration	0	0	0	0					
Perception of Dangerousness	0	0	0	0					Sexually Transmitted Infections	0	0	0	0					
Knowledge of Exploitation	0	0	0	0					Pregnancies	0	0	0	0					
Trauma Bonding/Stockholm Syndrome	0	0	0	0					Abortions	0	0	0	0					
Exploitation of Others	0	0	0	0					Attitude Toward Education	0	0	0	0					
Unprotected Intercourse	0	0	0	0					Prior School Success	0	0	0	0					
Intimate Relationships	0	0	0	0														
<b>16. Hospitalization Module</b>					0	1	2	3						0	1	2	3	
Longest Length of Stay	0	0	0	0					Time Since Most Recent Discharge	0	0	0	0					
Duration of Most Recent Hospitalization	0	0	0	0														
<b>17. Residential Module</b>					0	1	2	3						0	1	2	3	
Off-Site Behavior	0	0	0	0					Caregiver Participation	0	0	0	0					
Home Visits	0	0	0	0					Caregiver Interaction	0	0	0	0					