



PA RISK ASSESSMENT: A CLOSER LOOK AT THE FACTORS WORKSHOP

Competencies:

204-3 The Child Welfare Professional knows how to use the risk assessment instrument.

Learning Objectives:

- Create an understanding or rationale for Risk Assessment.
- Assist participants in making less subjective judgments about their families and the risks to their children.
- Understand how to relate 15 risk factors to the allegations and information received during an investigation or during ongoing services.
- Understand how the interaction of factors impacts the level of risk.
- Understand the concepts of Overall Severity & Overall Risk.
- Understand how to analyze the dynamics of a family & document their ratings on the matrix.