

## Network Inventory of Risks, Victories, And Needs Assessment NIRVANA

## Youth Name:

FLN ID: \_\_\_\_\_

DOMAIN NAME & ITEMS	<b>RESPONSE OPTIONS</b>		
Delinquency History			
Age at first offense (the age of the youth at the time of their first offense or contact with DJJ that resulted in charges being filed by law enforcement)	<ul> <li>o Over 16</li> <li>o 16</li> <li>o 15</li> <li>o 13 to 14</li> <li>o Under 13</li> <li>o None</li> </ul>		
Misdemeanor referrals: Total number of referrals for which the most serious offense was a non-traffic misdemeanor that resulted in diversion, adjudication withheld, adjudication, deferred prosecution, or referral to adult court.	<ul> <li>o None or one</li> <li>o Two</li> <li>o Three or four</li> <li>o Five or more</li> </ul>		
Against-person felony referrals: Total number of referrals for which the most serious offense was an against-person felony involving force or physical harm to another person including sexual misconduct as defined as a felony.	o None o One or two o Three or more		
Alcohol or drug possession or distribution/selling	o No o Yes		
Has the youth repeatedly stolen from the family, house, or neighbors?	o No o Yes		
Firearms	-		
Does the youth have access to guns?	o No o Yes		
Has a gun been confiscated from the youth at school?	o No o Yes		
Has the youth been arrested for firearm possession of a weapon/firearm charge/enhancement	o No o Yes		
School			
Youth is a special education student or has a formal diagnosis of a special education need: (Check all that apply.)	No special education needs Learning Intellectual Disability Behavioral ADHD/ADD		
Youth's current school enrollment status, regardless of attendance: If the youth is in home school as a result of being expelled or dropping out, check expelled or dropped out. Otherwise check enrolled if in home school.	<ul> <li>o Graduated/GED</li> <li>o Enrolled full-time</li> <li>o Enrolled part-time</li> <li>o Suspended</li> <li>o Dropped out</li> <li>o Expelled</li> </ul>		

Youth's conduct in the most recent term: Fighting or threatening students; threatening teachers/staff; overly disruptive behavior; drug/alcohol use; crimes like theft or vandalism; lying, cheating, dishonesty.	<ul> <li>o Recognition for good behavior</li> <li>o No problems with school conduct</li> <li>o Problems reported by teachers</li> <li>o Parents notified of problems at school</li> <li>o Calls to police</li> </ul>		
Number of expulsions and suspensions in the most recent term:	<ul> <li>o No expel/suspend</li> <li>o 1 expel/suspend</li> <li>o 2 or 3</li> <li>o More than 3</li> </ul>		
Youth's attendance in the most recent term: Some partial-day unexcused absences mean missing one or more classes; some full-day unexcused absences mean missing complete day; habitual truant means missing at least one class 15 times or more during one grading period	<ul> <li>o Good attendance; few excused absences</li> <li>o No unexcused absences</li> <li>o Some partial-day unexcused absences</li> <li>o Some full-day unexcused absences</li> <li>o Habitual truant</li> </ul>		
Youth's academic performance in the most recent term:	<ul> <li>o Honor student (mostly As)</li> <li>o Above 3.0 (mostly As and Bs)</li> <li>o 2.0 to 3.0 (mostly Bs and Cs, no Fs)</li> <li>o 1.0 to 2.0 (mostly Cs, Ds, some Fs)</li> <li>o Below 1.0 (some Ds and mostly Fs)</li> </ul>		
Is the youth reading below grade level	o No o Yes		
Has the youth ever been held back/failed a grade level?	<ul> <li>o Never</li> <li>o Held back/Failed once</li> <li>o Held back/Failed more than once</li> </ul>		
Employment			
Current employment status:	<ul> <li>o Too young for employment consideration</li> <li>o Not currently employed</li> <li>o Employment is currently going well</li> <li>o Having problems with current employment</li> </ul>		
Understanding of what is required to maintain a job: such as being punctual, reliable, appropriately dressed, courteous, diligent, getting along with management and coworkers	<ul> <li>o Too young for employment consideration</li> <li>o Lacks knowledge of what it takes to maintain a job</li> <li>o Has knowledge of abilities to maintain a job</li> <li>o Has demonstrated ability to maintain a job</li> </ul>		
Peer Associations			
Current friends/companions' youth actually spends time with: (Check all that apply.)	No consistent friends or companions Pro-social friends Anti-social friends Gang member/associate		

Current resistance to anti-social peer influence:	<ul> <li>o Does not associate with anti-social peers</li> <li>o Usually resists going along with anti-social peers</li> <li>o Rarely resists goes along with anti-social peers</li> <li>o Leads anti-social peers</li> </ul>	
Family/Living Arrangements		
Youth's current living situation:	<ul> <li>o Stable living situation</li> <li>o Transient living situation</li> <li>o Shelter</li> <li>o Homeless</li> <li>o Never ran away</li> <li>o Has run away once</li> <li>o Has run away two to three times</li> <li>o Has run away four to five times</li> <li>o Has run away over five times</li> <li>o Current runaway</li> </ul>	
Youth has run away from home: Include times youth did not voluntarily return within 24 hours, and include incidents not reported by or to law enforcement.		
Parental supervision: Parents know who the youth is with, when the youth will return, where the youth is going, and what the youth is doing.	<ul><li>o Consistent supervision</li><li>o Sporadic supervision</li><li>o Inadequate supervision</li></ul>	
Parental authority and control:	<ul> <li>o Youth usually obeys and follows rules</li> <li>o Sometimes obeys and follows rules</li> <li>o Youth consistently disobeys and/or is hostile</li> </ul>	
Problem history of parents ever involved in the household: (Check all that apply.)	No problem history of parents in household Parental alcohol problem history Parental drug problem history Parental physical health problem history Parental mental health problem history Parental employment problem history	
Youth feels close to (check all that apply)	Close to no household members Youth wants to live with other parent Close to mother/female caretaker Close to father/male caretaker Close to foster/group home member Close to other household member	
Family Dynamics of household	<ul> <li>o Both biological parents together</li> <li>o Divorced family</li> <li>o Blended family</li> <li>o Single parent</li> <li>o Living with other relative/guardian</li> </ul>	
Youth homeless	o No o Yes	
Family homeless	o No o Yes	

Youth rejected from homeless shelter	o No o Yes		
Youth chose or forced to leave and/or evicted from previous residence	o No o Yes		
Youth has family planning or pregnancy concerns	o No o Yes		
Youth has physical health or chronic health problem	o No o Yes		
Youth has recent or current DCF involvement	<ul><li>o Never</li><li>o Recent DCF involvement</li><li>o Current DCF involvement</li></ul>		
Family is on public assistance OR qualifies for Title IV- E?	o No o Yes		
Alcohol & Drug Use			
Youth's alcohol use: (Check all that apply.) Note "Current" use is within the past 4 weeks for initial and since the previous NIRVANA for reassessments/post-assessment during the placement	No past use of alcohol ever Past alcohol use Not currently using alcohol Currently using alcohol Alcohol causes family conflict Alcohol disrupts education Alcohol causes health problems Alcohol interferes with keeping prosocial friends Alcohol contributes to criminal behavior Youth needs increasing amounts of alcohol to achieve same level of intoxication or high Youth experiences withdrawal problems		
Youth's drug use: (Check all that apply.) Note "Current" use is within the past 4 weeks for initial and since the previous NIRVANA for reassessments/post-assessment during the placement	<ul> <li>No past use of drugs ever</li> <li>Past drug use</li> <li>Not currently using drugs</li> <li>Currently using drugs</li> <li>Drugs causes family conflict</li> <li>Drugs disrupts education</li> <li>Drugs causes health problems</li> <li>Drugs interferes with keeping prosocial friends</li> <li>Drugs contributes to criminal behavior</li> <li>Youth needs increasing amounts of</li> <li>Drugs to achieve same level of intoxication or high</li> <li>Youth experiences withdrawal problems</li> </ul>		

Types of drugs currently using: (Check all that apply.) Note: "Current" use is within the past 4 weeks for initial and since the previous NIRVANA for reassessments/post-assessment during the placement	No current substance use Tobacco Marijuana/hashish Amphetamines (meth/uppers/speed/ecstasy) Cocaine (crack/rock) Cocaine (coke) Heroin Inhalants Barbiturates (Tuinal/Seconal/downers) Tranquilizers/sedatives (Valium/Libnum/Dalmane/Ketamine) Hallucinogens (LSD/Acid/Mushrooms/GHB) Phencyclidine (PCP/Angel Dust) Other opiates (Codeine/ Oxycontin) OTCs (cough syrup/Sudafed) Steroids Other drugs	
Mental Health/Suicidal Ideation/Trauma		
History of suicidal ideation: Include any previous thoughts, threats, plans and attempts even if youth indicates they were manipulative or there was no intent.	<ul> <li>o Has never had thoughts about suicide</li> <li>o Has had serious thoughts about suicide</li> <li>o Has made a plan to commit suicide</li> <li>o Has attempted to commit suicide</li> </ul>	
Mental health problems currently interfere in working with the Youth:	<ul> <li>o No current mental health problem</li> <li>o Mental health problem(s) do not interfere in work with youth</li> <li>o Mental health problem(s) interfere in work with youth</li> </ul>	
Youth has felt continuously sad or hopeless?	o No o Yes o Currently feels	
Caregiver or sibling: Attempted or committed suicide	o No o Yes	
Abandonment, loss and grief issues	o No o Yes	
Youth has personally witnessed violent crime	o No o Yes	
Youth ever or currently prescribed medication for mental health	o No o Yes	
Survival sex or sex trafficking (Note: include any instance of youth receiving money or goods for sexual activities)	o No o Yes	

<ul> <li>o Uses self-control; usually thinks before acting</li> <li>o Some self-control; sometimes thinks before acting</li> <li>o Impulsive; often acts before thinking</li> <li>o Highly Impulsive; usually acts before thinking</li> <li>o Has empathy for victim(s)</li> <li>o Has some empathy for victim(s)</li> <li>o Does not have empathy for victim(s)</li> </ul>		
<ul> <li>o Primarily positive view of the actions and intentions of others</li> <li>o Primarily negative view of the actions and intentions of others</li> <li>o Primarily hostile view of the actions and intentions of others</li> </ul>		
o Yes o No		
<ul> <li>o Does not understand there are consequences to actions</li> <li>o Understands there are consequences to actions (but does not act as if or consider consequences)</li> <li>o Identifies consequences of actions</li> <li>o Acts to obtain desired consequences—good consequential thinking</li> </ul>		
<ul> <li>o Does not set goals</li> <li>o Sets unrealistic goals</li> <li>o Sets somewhat realistic goals</li> <li>o Sets realistic goals</li> </ul>		
<ul> <li>o Lacks skills in dealing with feelings/emotions</li> <li>o Rarely uses skills in dealing with feelings/emotions</li> <li>o Sometimes uses skills in dealing with feelings/emotions</li> <li>o Often uses skills in dealing with</li> </ul>		
feelings/emotions		

thoughts, diversion, relaxation, problem solving, negotiation, relapse prevention.	<ul> <li>o Does not know techniques to control impulsive behavior</li> <li>o Knows techniques to control impulsive behavior (but does not use)</li> <li>o Sometimes uses techniques to control impulsive behavior</li> <li>o Often uses techniques to control impulsive behavior</li> </ul>		
Control of aggression: Includes asking permission, sharing thoughts, helping others, negotiating, using self-control, standing up for one's rights, responding to teasing, avoiding trouble with others, and keeping out of fights.	<ul> <li>o Never had a problem with aggression</li> <li>o Lacks alternatives to aggression</li> <li>o Rarely uses alternatives to aggression</li> <li>o Sometimes uses alternatives to aggression</li> <li>o Often uses alternatives to aggression</li> </ul>		
Victories/Resiliency			
Do you have at least one caregiver with who you feel safe?	o Yes o No		
Do you have at least one good friend?	o Yes o No		
Do you have beliefs that give you comfort?	o Yes o No		
Do you like school or feel a sense of belonging in school?	o Yes o No		
Do you have at least one teacher who cares about you?	o Yes o No		
Do you have good neighbors?	o Yes o No		
Is there an adult (non-parent/caregiver) who could provide you with support or advice?	o Yes o No		
Do you have opportunities to have a good time?	o Yes o No		
Do you like yourself or feel comfortable with yourself?	o Yes o No		
Do you have a predictable home routine, like regular meals and regular bedtime?	o Yes o No		
Belief school provides an encouraging environment	o Yes o No		
Likes or feels comfortable talking with two or more teachers, education staff, or coaches	o Yes o No		
Involved in one or more school activities	o Yes o No		
Involved in one or more prosocial structured recreational activities (community, cultural, or religious groups, clubs, athletics)	o Yes o No		
History of, or current relationship with two or more positive adults (non-family members who can provide support, encouragement, or model prosocial behavior)	o Yes o No		

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Has positive, prosocial friends	o Yes o No	
Has strong prosocial community ties (feels there are people in the community who are willing to help and who discourage getting into trouble)	o Yes o No	
Your family has a strong support network (extended family or friends who can provide additional support, emotional or tangible, to the family)	o Yes o No	
Your family is consistently willing to support you	o Yes o No	
Your family provides opportunities for your involvement and participation in family activities and/or decisions affecting you	o Yes o No	
Has a close relationship with parents/caretakers	o Yes o No	
Childhood Adversity	Adverse Childhood Experience	
Have you ever lived with a parent/caregiver who went to jail/prison?	Parental Incarceration	o Yes o No
Have you ever felt unsupported, unloved and/or unprotected?	Emotional Neglect	o Yes o No
Have you ever lived with a parent/caregiver who had mental health issues? (for example, depression, schizophrenia, bipolar disorder, PTSD, or an anxiety disorder)	Parental Mental Health Problem	o Yes o No
Has a parent/caregiver ever insulted, humiliated, or put you down?	Emotional Abuse	o Yes o No
Has your biological parent or any caregiver ever had, or currently has a problem with too much alcohol, street drugs or prescription medications use?	Parental Substance Abuse	o Yes o No
Have you ever lacked appropriate care by any caregiver? (for example, not being protected from unsafe situations, or not being cared for when sick or injured even when the resources were available; not having basic needs met such as food, shelter, clothing)	Physical Neglect	o Yes o No
Have you ever seen or heard a parent/caregiver being screamed at, sworn at, insulted, or humiliated by another adult? -Or- have you ever seen or heard a parent/caregiver being slapped, kicked, punched beaten up or hurt with a weapon?	Domestic Violence	o Yes o No
Has any adult in the household often or very often pushed, grabbed, slapped or thrown something at you? - Or- has any adult in the household ever hit you so hard that you had marks or were injured?	Physical Abuse	o Yes o No

-Or- has any adult in the household ever threatened you or acted in a way that made you afraid that you might be hurt?		
Have you ever experienced sexual abuse? (for example, has anyone touched you or asked you to touch that person in a way that was unwanted, or made you feel uncomfortable, or anyone ever attempted or actually had oral, anal, or vaginal sex with you)	Sexual Abuse	o Yes o No
Have there ever been significant changes in the relationship status of your caregiver(s)? (for example, a parent/caregiver got a divorce or separated, or a romantic partner moved in or out)	Parental Separation/ Divorce	o Yes o No

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

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

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

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