

## Present Danger Assessment: Out-of-Home Care Settings Worksheet

*Refer to the definition of each Safety Threat before checking yes or no. The presence of any of these Safety Threats as uniquely manifested in the family/situation should be fully studied and understood and guide the decision about approving/continuing the placement.*

<b>Case Name</b>	<b>Case Number</b>	<b>Date of Assessment</b>		
<b>Out-of-Home Caregiver(s) Name(s)</b>	<b>Out-of-Home Caregiver Address</b>	<b>Out-of-Home Caregiver Phone Number</b>		
<b>Household Members</b>		<b>Individuals Seen</b>		
<b>Present Danger Threat</b>			<b>Yes</b>	<b>No</b>
1. <b>Out-of-home caregiver(s) or others in the home are acting violently or out of control.</b>				
2. <b>Out-of-home caregiver(s) describes or acts toward the child in predominantly negative terms or has extremely unrealistic expectations.</b>				
3. <b>The out-of-home caregiver(s) communicates or behaves in ways that suggest that they may fail to protect child(ren) from serious harm or threatened harm by other family members, other household members, or others having regular access to the child(ren).</b>				
4. <b>The out-of-home caregiver(s)/family refuses access to the child, or there is reason to believe that the family is about to flee.</b>				
5. <b>Out-of-home caregiver(s) is unwilling or unable to meet the child's immediate needs for food, clothing, or shelter.</b>				
6. <b>Out-of-home caregiver(s) is unwilling or unable to meet medical needs including their own, other placed children, or children to be placed.</b>				
7. <b>Out-of-home caregiver(s) has not, will not, or is unable to provide supervision necessary to protect child from potentially serious harm.</b>				
8. <b>Child is unusually fearful/anxious of home situation.</b>				
9. <b>Out-of-home caregiver(s) has previously maltreated a child, and the severity of the maltreatment or the caregiver's response to the previous incident(s) suggests that safety may be an immediate concern.</b>				
10. <b>The physical living conditions are hazardous and immediately threatening.</b>				
11. <b>The out-of-home caregiver(s)' drug or alcohol use seriously affects his/her ability to supervise, protect, or care for the child.</b>				
12. <b>Out-of-home caregiver(s)' emotional instability or developmental delay affects ability to currently supervise, protect, or care for the child.</b>				
13. <b>Domestic violence exists in the home and poses a risk of serious physical and/or emotional harm to the child(ren).</b>				
14. <b>Child has exceptional needs or behavior which the out-of-home caregiver(s) cannot/will not meet or manage.</b>				
15. <b>Child is seen by either out-of-home caregiver as responsible for the child's caregiver(s) of origin's problems, or for problems that the out-of-home caregiver(s) is experiencing or may experience.</b>				
16. <b>One or both of the out-of-home caregiver(s) are sympathetic toward the child's caregiver(s) of origin, justify the caregiver(s) of origin's behavior, believe the caregiver(s) of origin rather than the CCYA, and/or are supportive of the child's caregiver(s) of origin's point of view.</b>				
17. <b>One or both of the out-of-home caregiver(s) indicate the child deserved what happened in the child's home.</b>				
18. <b>Out-of-home caregiver(s) has history of or active criminal behavior that affects child safety, such as domestic violence, drug trafficking or addiction, sex crimes, other crimes of violence against people or property.</b>				
19. <b>Out-of-home caregiver(s) or family members will likely allow the caregiver(s) of origin unauthorized access to the child.</b>				
20. <b>Active CCYA case or a history of reports and/or CCYA involvement that indicates that history will compromise the safety of the child if placed in this home.</b>				
Caseworker Summary of Findings/Analysis				
Date Completed		Caseworker Signature		Supervisor Signature