Domestic Abuse Risk Identification

All fields with a * must be completed

*Victims Name:	*Victims DoB:
*Offenders Name:	*Offender DoB:
*Safe contact number for victim:	
Black and Minority Ethnic	Disability (victim) Yes/No
Community (Victim) Yes/No	LGBT Yes/No

<u>DEFINITION</u>: "Any incident of threatening behaviour, violence or abuse (psychological, physical, sexual, financial, verbal or emotional) between partners (aged 16 or over) who are, or have been in an intimate relationship, or between family members (aged 18 or over), regardless of gender and sexuality." N.B- Family members include mother, father, son, daughter, brother, sister, grandparents, in-laws and stepfamily.

Please explain that the purpose of asking these questions is for the safety and protection of the				
individual concerned.				
Tick the b	box if the factor is present $oxtimes$. Please use the comment box to expand you	r answer.		
1. Has the current incident resulted in injury? (Please state what and whether this is the first injury.) Comment				
2. Are you very frightened? Comment				
3. Are you afraid of further injury or violence? Is it further injury or violence? (Please give an indication of what you think might do and to whom, including children).				
Kill:	Victim Children Other (please s	pecify)		
Further inj	jury and violence: Victim Children Other (please s	pecify)		
Other (plea	ease clarify): Victim Children Other (please s	pecify)		
4. Do you feel isolated from family/friends i.e. does or others? Comment				
5. Are you feeling depressed or having suicidal thoughts? Comment				
6. Have you separated or tried to separate from within the past year? Comment				
7. Is there conflict over child contact? Comment				
8. Does constantly text, call, contact, follow, stalk or harass you? (Please expand to identify what and whether you believe that this is done deliberately to intimidate you? Consider the context and behaviour of what is being done.) Comment				
9. Are you currently pregnant or have you recently had a baby (Within the past 18 months)? Comment				
10. Are there any children, step-children that aren't 's in the household? Or are there other dependants in the household (i.e. older relative)?				
11. Has ever hurt the children/dependants? Comment				
12. Has ever threatened to hurt or kill the children/dependants? Comment				
13. Is the abuse happening more often? Comment				
14. Is the abuse getting worse? Comment				
15. Does try to control everything you do and/or are they excessively jealous? (In terms of relationships, who you see, being 'policed at home', telling you what to wear for example. Consider 'honour'-based violence and specify behaviour.) Comment				
16. Has ever used weapons or objects to hurt you? Comment				
17. Has ever threatened to kill you or someone else and you believed them? Comment				
18. Has ever attempted to strangle/choke/suffocate/drown you? Comments				
19. Does do or say things of a sexual nature that makes you feel bad or that physically hurt you or someone else? (If someone else, specify who and what.) Comment				

Tick box if factor is present. Please use the comment box at the end of the form to expand on any answer.						
20. Is there any other person who has threatened you or who you are afraid of? (If yes, please specify whom and why. Consider extended family if HBV.) Comments						
21. Do you know if has hurt anyone else? (children, siblings, elderly relative or stranger. Please specify who and what) Children Another family member Someone from a previous relationship Other (please specify) Comment						
22. Has ever mistreated an animal or the family pet? Comment						
23 . Are there any financial issues? For example, are you dependent on for money/have they recently lost their job/other financial issues? Comment						
24. Has had problems in the past year with drugs (prescription or other), alcohol or mental health leading to problems in leading a normal life? (If yes, please specify which and give relevant details if known.) Comment Drugs Alcohol Mental Health						
25. Has ever threatened or attempted suicide? Comment						
26. Has ever breached bail/an injunction and/or any formal agreement for when they can see you and/or the children? (Please specify what.) Bail conditions Non Molestation/Injunction Child Contact arrangements Forced Marriage Protection Order Other						
27. Do you know if has ever been in trouble with the police or has a criminal history? (If yes, please specify.) DV Sexual violence Other Violence Other Comment						
Total 'Yes' responses						
28. In order to properly address issues surrounding Domestic Abuse, we work alongside many other agencies. In order to offer you proper support and unless you object details of this incident will be shared with one or more of the following; Victim Support, The Refuge Outreach Service and/or The Independent Domestic Violence Advisor. (Please tick if victim objects)						
29 - For consideration by professional: Is there any other relevant information (from victim or professional) which may increase risk levels? Consider victim's situation in relation to disability, substance misuse, mental health issues, cultural/language barriers, 'honour' - based systems and minimisation. Are they willing to engage with your service? Describe: Consider abuser's occupation/interests - could this give them unique access to Firearms / weapons (check nominal)?						
Describe: What are the victim's greatest priorities to address their safety?						
Name:	Date:					