

The Consumer Progress Note: Does It Increase Family Empowerment Scores?

This is what a Consumer Progress Note looks like:

Consumer Progress Note				Primary Caregiver's															
Youth's name _____	Primary Care givers name _____					ID# _____													
Date _____	Length _____	Location _____	Wrap funds: _____																
Reason for referral behavior:		Occurred	Xs a	Occurs	Xs a	now.													
Circle number you feel is closest to the truth: 5 is true, 3 is true some of the time, 1 is not true at all.																			
(1) My child got along well at home.	1 2 3 4 5	(4) My child was happy.	1 2 3 4 5																
(2) My child did well in school.	1 2 3 4 5	(5) My child is doing better.	1 2 3 4 5																
(3) My child stayed calm.	1 2 3 4 5	(6) I worked on my goals.	1 2 3 4 5																
Current goal(s) _____ _____ _____																			
What was done during this visit _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____ _____																			
Specific goal(s) and other next steps to work on between now and the next session _____ _____ _____ _____ _____																			
Consumer Feedback Rating scales Circle number you feel is closest to the truth: 5 is true, 3 is true some time, 1 is not true.																			
(1) I was listened to.	1 2 3 4 5	(3) My strengths were recognized.	1 2 3 4 5																
(2) I could talk about my concerns.	1 2 3 4 5	(4) I helped decide what to do	1 2 3 4 5.																
Consumer signature _____		Read by consumer _____		Read to consumer _____															
Staff signature/Title _____				Supervisor signature/Title/Date _____															
Staff Safety /Risk of Removal Rating: Circle number you feel is closest to the truth: 5 is high risk, 3 is some risk, 1 is no risk.																			
Self	1	2	3	4	5	Others	1 2 3 4 5	Home	1	2	3	4	5	School	1	2	3	4	5

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