CAIRNS HOUSING & HOMELESSNESS INTEGRATION INITIATIVE (CHHII)

REFERRAL & CONSENT FORM

Referral Details				
Name:		Contact Number:		
Address:		Date of Birth:		
Cultural Identity:		Other contact/s:		
Other household/family members (c	hildren only, each adult requires their own referral	form)		
	Referral Eligibility Checklist – ple	ease indicate with a Y or N	V	
Referred person/s reside in the Cairr	ns Local Government Area			
Referred person/s have significant co	omplex and/or multiple psychosocial needs			
Referred person/s have had contact	with the service system AND be experiencing I	ittle or no successful ou	utcomes <u>OR</u>	
Referred person/s have no current s	ervice involvement <u>AND</u> are at risk and/or cons	iderably vulnerable <u>AN</u>	<i>ID</i> would benefit from a multi-agency,	
multi-disciplinary team approach				
	Presenting Situation/Reas	on for Referral		
	(please include services curr	ently involved)		
Presenting Situation/Reason for Referral (please include services currently involved)				

Situational Assessment (please circle)

Instructions: if there are children in the referral, complete the situational assessment for the primary parent/carer. If you are referring a couple or a household/family with multiple adults, please complete separate referral forms and outline the relationship in the REFERRAL DETAILS box above. This will indicate to the panel that the referrals need to be considered together. Separate consents will also need to be gained for adults.

Case/service coordination aro	und referred person/s (Effective S	ervice Collaboration at Stakeholder Gro	up level)	
-2	-1	0	+1	+2
Stakeholders not connected to each	Stakeholders connected to each	Stakeholders connected to each	Stakeholders connected to	Stakeholders connected to
other	other	other	each other	each other
	Not yet communicating	Communicating poorly.	Communicating irregularly	Communicating regularly
-2	-1	0	+1	2
Care team not yet established	Care team established.	Care team established	Care team established	Care team no longer required
	Not yet meeting	Meeting irregularly	Meeting regularly	
Expand:				
Housing situation (add additiond	al details in the EXPAND box below)			
-2	-1	0	+1	+2
Unsafe accommodation	Mostly safe but unsuitable	Mostly safe but unstable	Mostly safe & mostly stable	Safe & stable accommodation
	accommodation	accommodation	accommodation	
(Urgently needs addressing)	(Overcrowding etc.)	(Couch surfing/ crisis)		
-2	-1	0	+1	+2
Relevant support service required	Relevant support service required	Relevant support service required	Relevant support service	Relevant support service no
Not currently connected	Connected to referred person/s	Connected to referred person/s	required, connected to referred	currently required for
	No genuine engagement	Irregular engagement	person/s	referred person/s
			Regular engagement	
Expand:				
Employment/Training Situatio	n (if there are school aged children in	the referral, please outline their schooli	ng situation in the EXPAND box belo	w)
-2	-1	0	+1	+2
Not involved in employment or	Involved in employment or training	Involved in employment or training	Involved in employment or	Involved in employment or
training	Not attending	Irregular engagement/attendance	training	training
-	_		Regular attendance	Active attendance
-2	-1	0	+1	+2

Relevant support service required Not currently connected with referred person/s	Relevant support service required Connected to referred person/s No genuine engagement	Relevant support service required Connected to referred person/s Irregular engagement	Relevant support service required Connected to referred person/s Regular engagement	Relevant support service not currently required
Expand:				
Money/resources situation				
-2	-1	0	+1	+2
No access to resources to meet genuine needs	High difficulty accessing resources to meet genuine needs	Moderate difficulty accessing resources to meet genuine needs	Mild difficulty accessing resources to meet genuine needs	Access to financial resources to meet genuine needs
(e.g. genuine needs not being met/ no or suspended Centrelink /no family or other support)	(e.g. genuine needs not being met/ cut off from Centrelink/ no family or other supports unable to provide assistance)	(e.g. some genuine needs met/ family or other support providing for some needs irregularly/ funds directed to non-genuine needs ie. AOD, gambling)	(e.g. most genuine needs met/ family or other supports providing for needs mostly/ issues with budgeting)	(e.g. majority of genuine needs met/ Job/ Centrelink payments/ family or other support)
-2	-1	0	+1	+2
Relevant support service required Not currently connected with referred person/s	Relevant support service required Connected to referred person/s No genuine engagement	Relevant support service required Connected to referred person/s Irregular engagement	Relevant support service required Connected to referred person/s Regular engagement	Relevant support service not currently required for referred person/s
Expand:				
Family/support networks				
-2	-1	0	+1	+2
No functional family &/or support networks	Unhealthy family &/or support networks	Weak or unbalanced family &/or support networks	Moderate family &/or support network	Healthy family &/or support network
(e.g. socially isolated)	(e.g. socially connected but connection viewed as problematic for referred person/s ie. predatory and/or exploitative)	(e.g. limited social connection/ unreliable or inconsistent support networks leading to additional stress upon referred person/s)	(e.g. socially connected/ mostly positive and/supportive/ support networks limited in their capacity to respond to presenting needs of referred person/s due to genuine restrictions ie. location)	(e.g. socially connected/ strong role models/ proactive support network)

-2	-1	0	+1	+2
Relevant support service required	Relevant support service required	Relevant support service required	Relevant support service	Relevant support service not
Not currently connected with	Connected to referred person/s	Connected to referred person/s	required, connected to referred	currently required for
referred person/s	No genuine engagement	Irregular engagement	person/s	referred person/s
			Regular engagement	
Expand:				
Mental health situation				
-2	-1	0	+1	+2
Ongoing mental health needs	Ongoing mental health needs	Ongoing mental health needs	Mild or minor mental health	Nil or insignificant mental
currently presenting	currently presenting	currently presenting	needs currently presenting	health needs currently
Not managed	Being managed poorly	Being managed		presenting
	(e.g. Unwillingness to address /	(e.g. Willingness to address /	(e.g. situational or temporary/	
	non-compliant with treatment	compliant with treatment advice)	acceptable levels of sadness or	
	advice)		anxiety etc.)	
-2	-1	0	+1	+2
Relevant support service required	Relevant support service required	Relevant support service required	Relevant support service	Relevant support service not
Not currently connected with	Connected to referred person/s	Connected to referred person/s	required	currently required
referred person/s	No genuine engagement	Irregular engagement	Connected to referred person/s	
Expand:			Regular engagement	
Physical health situation				
-2	-1	0	+1	+2
Ongoing physical health needs	Ongoing physical health needs	Ongoing physical health needs	Mild, minor or temporary	Nil or insignificant physical
currently presenting	currently presenting	currently presenting	physical health needs currently	health needs currently
Not managed	Being managed poorly	Being managed	presenting	presenting
	(e.g. Unwillingness to address/	(e.g. Willingness to address/	(e.g. generally well overall)	
(e.g. urgent/ untreated/ severe/	non-compliant with treatment)	compliant with treatment)		
chronic)		·····		
-2	-1	0	+1	+2
Relevant support service required	Relevant support service required	Relevant support service required	Relevant support service	
	Connected to referred person/s	Connected to referred person/s	required	

Not currently connected with referred person/s	No genuine engagement	Irregular engagement	Connected to referred person/s Regular engagement	Relevant support service not currently required for referred person/s
Expand:				· · · · ·
Legal situation (including public g	uardian matters, forensic orders includ	ing mental health, bail, probation, parole	e, custody orders including family co	ourt and child safety)
-2	-1	0	+1	+2
Ongoing legal matters	Ongoing legal matters/orders etc Non-compliant	Ongoing legal matters/orders etc Compliant	No ongoing legal matters however are at high risk of due to history of ongoing legal matters	No legal, or ongoing legal, matters/orders
-2	-1	0	+1	+2
Relevant support service required Not currently connected with referred person/s	Relevant support service required Connected to referred person/s No genuine engagement	Relevant support service required Connected to referred person/s Irregular engagement	Relevant support service required Connected to referred person/s Regular engagement	Relevant support service not currently required
Expand: AOD situation				
-2	-1	0	+1	+2
Problematic AOD use	Problematic AOD use	Problematic AOD use	Mild AOD use	Nil, or non-problematic, AOD
Not being addressed	Being addressed poorly	Being addressed		use
(e.g. severe impact on life functioning/ impacting mental health/ impacting physical health)	(e.g. impacting life functioning/ unwillingness to address/ poor self- care/ addiction)	(e.g. impacting upon life functioning/ willing to address/ some insight)	(e.g. occasional/ social/ not significantly impacting life functioning)	(e.g. acceptable social/ societal usage)
-2	-1	0	+1	+2
Relevant support service required Not currently connected with referred person/s	Relevant support service required Connected to referred person/s No genuine engagement	Relevant support service required Connected to referred person/s Irregular engagement	Relevant support service required Connected to referred person/s Regular engagement	Relevant support service not currently required
Expand:				
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Risk (Other immediate risks not addressed above eg. exposure to DFV or complexities in social or family network)

Identified barriers (Ongoing barriers to goal attainment not addressed above that require further addressing)

CONSENT INFORMATION

I understand that personal information about me may be obtained from and released to the following support services and associated persons: NB: please include other agencies you are working with in the blank box if they are not listed, including the agency that is referring

Access Community Housing	Anglicare Nth Qld
Department of Education	Department of Communities, Housing and Digital Economy
Mission Australia	Queensland Health
QShelter	SHAC
St Vincent de Paul	The Women's Centre
Wuchopperen	YETI
Youthlink	

CLIENT/GUARDIAN CONSENT

I acknowledge that the purpose of the consent form has been explained to me. I understand that relevant personal information will be disclosed to the organisations above; and to a limited number of agreed additional service providers for the purpose of improving my/their current circumstances. I understand that agencies listed and associated agencies will hold information about me in accordance with their individual client information recording procedures, operational policies and privacy legislation. I understand that my de-identified information may be used for research purposes. I understand that this consent extends for 12 months from the date of signature. I understand that I can withdraw this consent at any stage.

NAME

SIGNATURE

DATE

REFERRING AGENCY AGREEMENT

I acknowledge that the CHHII panel process has been explained to the person/s referred to on this referral form. They understand that relevant personal information about them will be disclosed to the organisations above; and to a limited number of agreed additional service providers for the purpose of improving their current circumstances whilst an active referral with the CHHII panel. They understand that CHHII, and associated agencies, will hold information about them in accordance with their individual policies and privacy legislation. They understand that they can withdraw this consent at any stage.

REFERRER NAME

SIGNATURE

DATE

Referrer Details	
Name:	Signature:
Position:	Organisation:
Phone and email:	Date:

Referral assessment outcome (PANEL USE ONLY)				
Date of referral:		Referral accepted (Y or N)		
Rationale:				
Action taken:				
Panel member:		Signature:		