



FCRB-BASICS



TENNESSEE CODE 37-2-404: PROGRESS REPORT TO COURT

(b) At this review, the court or board shall determine the safety of the child, the necessity and appropriateness of continued foster care placement, assess the compliance of all parties to the statement of responsibilities, determine the extent of progress in alleviating or mitigating the causes necessitating placement in foster care and in achieving the goals contained in the permanency plan, and project a likely date on which the goal of the plan will be achieved.

RULE 403 OF RULES OF JUV PROC: FOSTER CARE REVIEW BOARD.

(d) (1) Conduct of the Review: The board shall use a summary form to gather information.

(e) **Recommendations.** The board shall make written recommendations that address the child's safety, well-being, and permanency. The board shall deliberate to develop recommendations. All deliberation shall occur outside the presence of the parties, their attorneys, and other persons present for the review. Recommendations shall be made addressing the needs pursuant to Rule 402(b) of these rules.

RULE 403 OF RULES OF JUV PROC: FOSTER CARE REVIEW BOARD

(d) Conduct of the Review :

 The board shall use a summary form to gather information
 Information provided to the board shall only come from persons before the board during the review or from documentation provided by the parties
 Only the parties, their attorneys, the child, and GAL/ Atty for child have the right to be present during the entire review. Necessary persons may be present with permission of all parties

(4) Board may hear from child outside the presence of the parties.

(e) Recommendations. The board shall make written recommendations that address the child's safety, well-being, and permanency. The board shall deliberate to develop recommendations. All deliberation shall occur outside the presence of the parties, their attorneys, and other persons present for the review.

Recommendations shall be made addressing the needs pursuant to Rule 402(b) of these rules.

402(B)- PROGRESS REVIEWS

Recommendations shall be made addressing the following:

- Continued appropriateness of permanency goals, or if a concurrent goal is needed
- Whether child's placement is safe & appropriate
- Whether well-being is appropriately addressed through health education & IL, if applicable.
- · Whether visitation is sufficient to maintain bonds
- Reasonable efforts by DCS to identify and locate parties to the case whose whereabouts are unknown
- Reasonable efforts by DCS based on prioritization of outcomes and steps in the statement of responsibilities
- Compliance of parties to responsibilities identified in perm plan.

403(E)- RECOMMENDATIONS

- Recommendations shall be agreed upon by a majority of the board.
- If no majority agreement for each recommendation, facilitator:
 - identifies conflict,
 - · instructs board to review relevant documents and testimony,
 - instructs the board that the recommendations must provide for safety, well-being, and permanency of the child, and be in the child's best interests.
 - If no consensus, then consider a direct referral.



403-RECOMMENDATIONS, SUMMARY FORM AND REFERRAL

- (f) After deliberation, the board shall announce their recommendations to the parties and set a date for the next review.
- (g) Summary form filed with Clerk: Court Facilitator will file a summary form with the Clerk of Court. Clerk shall send summary form to all parties and attorneys of record and GAL.
- (i) Direct Referral: When board makes a determination that a direct referral shall be made, the court facilitator shall determines the type of direct referral to be made, according to TCA Sec 37-2-406(C)(2).
 - Court facilitator files the direct review with the Clerk of Court
 - The facilitator will inform the board of the outcome of the referral at the new review.

37-2-407: DIRECT REFERRAL

The FCRB may make a direct referral under the following circumstances:

- (A)Where conditions persist that constitute a deterrent to reaching permanency goals, and such conditions indirectly or chronically compromise the health, safety or welfare of the child. To be heard within 30 days.
- (B) Where issues in a case constitute a risk of harm and directly compromise the health, safety or welfare of the child, such referral shall be heard within 72 hour, excluding non-judicial days.

REVIEW BY JUDGE OR MAGISTRATE

- Court shall establish a procedure that will allow judge to review the recommendations of the board within 10 days of review.
- Reports are advisory and contain findings and recommendations.









SUMMA	RY FORM- GENERAL	
	Juvenile Court Foster Care Review Board Summary	
	Child's Name:Docket Number Date of Review:Initial ReviewSubsequent Review Permanency Goal(s)Return to ParentSubsequent ReviewAdoption Permanency Goal(s)Non selative Non selativeNon selative Seard Members Present. (Quorum of is needed to proceed with the review.)	
	John Doe yes no Susie Q yes no	
	2. Parties Present Notice Provided Notice Provided Mother yes no yes no yes no Father yes no yes no yes no yes no DCS yes no yes no yes no yes no DCS yes no yes no yes no yes no Chid* yes no yes no yes no yes no (l*Party # adjudicated delinquent or unruly) yes no yes no yes no	
	3. Other Persons Present	
	If foster parent was not present, was he/she provided with notice of today's review? 🗌 yes 🗌 no	
	Findings 4. Is there a party whose identity or whereabouts are unknown?	
	. Placement a. Where is the child currently placed and what is the date of placement? b. Is the child safe in his/her placement? yes no c. What needs or risks support the youth's placement level? (least restrictive environment) level	
	d. How many placements has the child had since entering custody?	

SUMMARY FORM- GENERAL	
e. Does the foster parent have the ability to make decisions regarding the child's day-to-day activities?	
□yes □no □na	
6. Health	
a. The EPSD&T Summary was reviewed by the board.	
i. If yes, have all referable conditions been addressed by the appropriate healthcare provider?	
b. What current medical/mental/dental health concerns that are not being addressed by a healthcare provider?	
c. What are the results/recommendations from any health/mental health assessment or evaluation conducted on the child since the EPSD&T or last board review?	
7. Education	
For children under the age of <u>3</u> a. What age appropriate developmental milestones is the child meeting?	
b. When was the child referred to TEIS?	
i. If eligible, how are the recommendations from the IFSP helping the child be successful?	
For pre-school aged children only (ages 3-5) a. What educational instruction is the child receiving to prepare for kindergarten?	
b. If the child will be five by the school's deadline, is the child ready to start kindergarten? yes no na i. If no, what additional assistance is needed to prepare the child?	
Development of Interest/Hobby Develop Social Skills Occupational Therapy Organized Educational Settings Speech Therapy	

c. Does the child have an 🗌	IFP or 504 Plan?		□ ves □ no
i. If Yes, Date:			
ii. What is the eligibility?		ations helping the child to be succe	
iii. How are the modificatio	ons/services or accommod	ations neiping the child to be succe	221015
For school aged children onl			
a. If the student has absence court/DCS meeting		acement change 🔲 school refusal	skipping
suspensions	tardy transportatio	n zero tolerance	
b. If there have been disciplin			
disrespecting staff		opriate behavior ()
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c. What are the student's gra	ides in each course?		_
English	Other:	Other:	
Math	Other:	Other:	
Social Studies/ History	Other:	Other:	
Science	Other:	Other:	
			_
i. What assistance is neede	d to help the student be n	nore successful in class?	
ii. What other barriers are	contributing to the studer	t's difficulties in school?	
d. Does the student have an	EP or 504 Plan?		🗌 yes 🗌 no
i. If Yes, Date: ii. What is the eligibility?			
	ons/services or accommod	ations helping the child to be succe	ssful?

For youth enrolled in high								
 a. What year did the stude b: Indicate the courses in y 					on a higi	h school transcript).		
Course	Fall 51	Spring 52	Course	Fall 51	Spring 52	Course	Fall S1	Spring 52
English I or ELD 9	1 ^m	~	Biology	<u>"</u>		Foreign Language	54	34
English II or ELD 10	一		Chemistry or Physics			*2 years of same language Year 1:		
English III or ELD 11			Other Lab Course			Year 2:		
English IV or ELD 12						General Electives		
Algebra I or			World History and			General Electives		
Integrated Math I Algebra IA or			Geography U.S. History and				-	
Integrated Math IA			Geography					
Algebra IB or Integrated Math IB			Economics					
Geometry or Integrated Math II			Government and Civics					
Geometry IA or Integrated Math IIA			Elective Focus					
Geometry IB or			Elective Focus					
Integrated Math IIB Algebra II or				-			-	
Integrated Math III								
4 TH Higher Math Class								
Use blank fields to indicate Elective Focus						T	· .	
Additional graduation requ	rements:		State Issued ID			Test Score: llment/Cambridge	,	
i if the student ha	an IEP or	504 h	ave accommodations be			t Exams)		
ACT/			Enrollment/Cambridge			xams)		
ii. Preparation for	Post-Secor	ndary						
Career Inter	st invento		college applications	Letter	s of Rec	ommendation		
Scholarships			TN Promise applicatio	n (high s	chool se	niors only)		
c. If the student is	not on trac	k to gr	aduate, what steps can	be taker	to achi	eve the needed credits	2 🗆 🖻	a
alternative	education	setting	credit recovery [school] tutoring	exten	ded clas	s time 🔲 fast track op	tions	
online cour	ses 🗌 su	mmer	school 🗌 tutoring	other				
8. Visitation								
a. What is the manner and	frequency	y of visi	ts between child and :	(ch	eck NA i	f visitation is suspended o	r termina	ited.)
Mother 🗌 NA								

Siblings (not residing in same)	placement) 🔲 NA								
b. If there is a concurrent per	manency goal, is the youth visiting with adult(s) identified in the concurrent goal? yes no na							
c. Is the child able to visit with	c. Is the child able to visit with or maintain connections with friends inside and outside of the home/placement?								
	TH THE PERM PLAN in the permanency plan in order of most significant p; the frequency and time frame expected to comp								
MOTHER/CUSTODIAN (on	nly if adjudicated dependent and neglect)								
How DCS assisted:									
	Timeframe to complete:								
completed	actively participating	not compliant							
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Frequency:	Timeframe to complete:								
	actively participating								
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	Timeframe to complete:								
	actively participating								
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How DCS assisted:									
Frequency:	Timeframe to complete:								
	actively participating	not compliant							
completed									

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	FATHER/CUSTODIAN (only	r if adjudicated dependent and neglect)		
	How DCS assisted:			
		Timeframe to complete:		
		actively participating	not compliant	
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		Timeframe to complete:		
		actively participating		
	3.			
	How DCS assisted:			
		Timeframe to complete:		
		actively participating		
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	How DCS assisted:			
	Frequency:	Timeframe to complete:		
	completed	actively participating	not compliant	
	Additional:			
	YOUTH (only if adjudicate	d delinquent or unruly)		
	1			
	How DCS assisted:			
	Frequency:	Timeframe to complete:		
		actively participating		
	completed	actively participating	not compliant	
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How DCS assisted:	
Frequency: Timeframe to complete:	
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Additional:	
OTHER PERMANENCY GOAL	
Reasonable efforts by DCS towards other permanency goal:	
Recommendations	
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10. Does the need for foster care still exist?	🗌 yes 🗌 ne
11. Do you recommend a change in the permanency goal?	🗌 yes 🗌 ni
a. If yes, what is the recommended goal change?	
Return to Parent Exit Custody with Relative Adoption	
Permanent Guardianship PPLA w/ Relative w/ Non Relative	
12. Has DCS made reasonable efforts to reach the identified goal? i. If there is a concurrent goal, has DCS made reasonable efforts to reach the conc	yes n
	yes n
13. Has mother complied with her most significant responsibilities in the permanency plan?	yes 🗆 n
14. Has father complied with his most significant responsibilities in the permanency plan?	yes n
15. Has the child complied with his/her most significant/services responsibilities in the permane	ncy plan?
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	Father
	Child
	DCS
	17 . Additional Comments
	Date of the Next Full Review is
	Additional administrative review set for to review:

SUMMARY	FORM- GENERAL			
	Signatures		Date	
	FCRB Chair	-		
	Child	-		
	Mother	_		
	Father	-		
	DCS FSW	_		
	DCS Supervisor			
	Foster Parent Treatment Provider (child)			
	Treatment Provider (cniid)			
	Attorney ()	-		
	Attorney ()			
	Guardian ad Litem			
	Other			

	venile Court	
Foster Care Review Boa	rd Summary (17 year old)
Permanency Goal(s) Return to Parent Exit C Permanent Guardianship PPLA		nt Review
1. Board Members Present: (Quorum of is needed to John Doe yes no John Doe yes no John Doe yes no John Doe yes no John Doe yes no John Doe yes no John Doe yes no	proceed with the review.) Susie Q Susie Q Susie Q Susie Q	☐ yes ☐ no ☐ yes ☐ no ☐ yes ☐ no ☐ yes ☐ no
2. Parties Present Notice Provided Mother yes no Father yes no DCS yes no OC yes no OC yes no Child* yes no (Party if adjudicated delinquent or unruly)	Attorney ves no Attorney yes no Attorney ves no Attorney/GAL yes no	Notice Provided yes no yes no yes no yes no yes no
3. Other Persons Present Foster Parent(s) yes no Contract Agency Rep yes no CASA yes no Treatment Provider yes no (Child) Court Facilitator yes no (Treatment Provider (Parent) School Rep DCS IL Specialist Other: Peer Advocate	yes □ no yes □ no
If foster parent was not present, was he/she provi	ded with notice of today's review?	🗌 yes 🗌 no
Fine 4. Is there a party whose identity or whereabouts are unkno If yes, what efforts have been made to identify or k -		(s):
5. Education		
 a. What school are you attending? b. What grade are you in? 9 10 11 		
c. What year did you start high school?		
(Questions d and e are directed to the FCRB Board	Education Member)	
d. What credits has the student earned? (Attach Tra	anscript Evaluation)	

e.	What remaining classes are required for the student to graduate?
	i. Will those classes be available to the student in their current educational setting?
£. (ii. Will the student be able to earn the required credits in the current school year?
	Which path do you see yourself taking?
i. V	What are your educational goals after high school?
	i. How will having accommodations in college based on your disability help you be successful in your classes? (This question is to only be asked to students with an IEP or 504 Plan.)
	ii. How will you accomplish these goals?
6. Hou	
a.	Where are you currently living? Is it a stable arrangement?yes no
b.	How will your current housing plans change based on your future plans?

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	i. What will you need to maintain your housing plans?	
7.	alth Doard member(s) should review all health documentation to ensure that all health needs are being addressed In the following questions.)	
	How are your needs being addressed, if any?	
	Medical	
	Dental	
	Mental	
	Medication	
	On a scale of 0-10, with 0 being "I do not understand" and 10 being "I know it all", how would you rate what you know about how to take care of your health and why?	
	How will you address your in medical indental in mental in prescriptive health once you turn 18?	
	i. Do you have a copy of your health records?	
	ii. Do you have a copy of health your insurance card? 🛛 yes 🗋 no	
8.1	loyment What are your career goals, if any?	
	i. How do your educational plans support your career goals?	

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t.	. What employment experience	do you have?	
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	i. Do you have or know how to o	Comments	
	State Identification Card		
	Social Security Card		
	Birth Certificate		
	Resume		
	References		
	Interview Attire		
	Copy of Credit Report		
	Delinquent Offenses/ Expungement		
	Complete an employment application		
	Search for job openings		
	. What assistance or services do	you need to help you be able to support yourself?	
	ipport System . When looking at the plans you h	ave for your life, what concerns or fears do you have, if any?	-
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ь	. What adult can help support yo	u in the following areas and how?	
		Name of person and how they will help support.	
	Education		
	Housing		
	Health		
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Employment			
Social/Emotional			
c. How often do you get to spend	time with each of these people?		
Education			
Housing			
Health			
Employment			
Social/Emotional			
 b. Is Father/Custodian in substant (ask youth only if adjudicated deli c. Is Youth in substantial complian d. Other Permanency Goal 	inquent or unruly)	es no na es no na es no na	
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	Recommendations		
11. Does the need for foster care still	exist?	🗌 yes 🗌 no	
12. Do you recommend a change in th	e permanency goal?	□yes □no	
a. If yes, what is the recommen Return to Parent Permanent Guardianship	nded goal change? Exit Custody with Relative Adoption PPLA w/ Relative w/ Non Relative		
13. Has DCS made reasonable efforts i, if there is a concurrent goal,	to reach the identified goal? has DCS made reasonable efforts to reach the concurrent goal?	□yes □no □yes □no	
14. Has mother complied with her mo	est significant responsibilities in the permanency plan?	yes no	
15. Has father complied with his most	t significant responsibilities in the permanency plan?	🗌 yes 🗌 no	
	er most significant/services responsibilities in the permanency p		
Is the party be	ecause of an unruly or delinquent adjudication	🗌 yes 🗌 no	

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	17. Actions Needed and Timelines to Eliminate the Causes for Foster Care Mother		
	Father		
	Child		
	DCS		
	Additional Comments		
	Date of the Next Full Review is	to review:	
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	Signatures	Date	
	FCRB Chair Child		
	Mother Father		
	Father		

FORMS: IND	DEPENDENT LIVING (14-16)
	Foster Care Review Board Form for Independent Living (Ages 14-16) What to you want your life to look like effer you grocute from high schoolf	-
	s. How are you going to make this vision happen?	
	2. What talents do you have that will help make your vision a reality?	
	a. What might hold you back from accomplishing your vision?	
	Would you like to hear about things you can do to help you accomplish your goal? I yes A. Have the IL WrspAround Services available been reviewed with the youth? I yes In	

FORMS: WRAPAROUND SERVICES AVAILABLE TO YOUTH IN FOSTER CARE AND YOUNG ADULTS RECEIVING EXTENSION OF FOSTER CARE SERVICES AGES 14-21

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Check the services discussed with the youth or young adult. Refer to the IL Wraphound Services Grid for eligibility Tectors and verification requirements. Service Service Youth in Access Tectors Receiving SEC Service Youth in Access Receiving SEC Auto Insurance NA Other Species Naces Image: Construction of the Services Service Se							
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Housing Rested Fees NA	for Extracurricular or			Transportation Grant			
Household Furnishings NA Vesnooks	Honors/Senior Class Trip			Tutoring			
Is. Ones Stipend	Housing Related Fees	NA		Vehicle Repairs	NA		
Jee Start-up Cests Vourh Services - Summer	Household Furnishings	NA		Yearbooks			
Duplicate was provided to the youth/young adult.	IL Class Stipend			Youth Leadership Stipend			
	Job Start-up Costs						
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	Signature of Youth/Young Adul	t		Date			



FORMS- ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW	
County Juvenile Court Foster Care Review Board	
Administrative Review (less than six months)	
1. Child's Name: Docket Number: 2. Date of Review:	
3. Board Members Present: (Quorum of is needed to proceed with the review.)	
John A Vec no Suite A Vec no John B Vec no Suite B Vec no John C Vec no Suite B Vec no John C Vec no Suite B Vec no John C Vec no Suite C Vec no John D. Vec no Suite D Vec no	
4. Parties Present Notice Provided Notice Provided	
Mother yes no yes no Attorney yes no yes no Father yes no yes no Attorney yes no yes no DCS yes no yes no Yes no yes no DCS yes no yes no Yes no yes no Child* yes no yes no Attorney/GAL yes no yes no (*Pary if adjudicated delinquent or unruly) Yes no yes no yes no	
5. Reason for review:	
Adequacy of Reasonable Efforts Incomplete Documentation Outdated Documentation	
Monitor Parent's Compliance Monitor Child's Compliance Transition Plan Needs Improvement	
Ensure Compliance with Time-Sensitive Board Recommendation Related to Education EFC Health Independent Living Placement Visitation	

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	7. Recommendation:		
	Date of the Next Full Review is Signatures	Date	
	Other		
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	Foster Care Review Board Summary
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FORMS: DIRECT REFERRAL FOR JUDICIAL REVIEW BY FOSTER CARE REVIEW BOARD

DIREC	CT REFERRAL FOR JUDICIAL REVIEW BY FOSTER CARE REVIEW BOARD
IN THE MATTER OF:) } } DOCKET NO: }
of this date. This Board finds the following co compromise the health, safety or	duled for a hearing before the Judge/Magistrate within 72 hours onditions exist that constitute a risk of harm and directly r welfare of the child
	duled for a hearing before the Judge/Magistrate within 30 days of
the permanency goals and the co	following conditions persist that constitute a deterrent to reaching onditions indirectly and chronically compromise the health, safety

THE RESPONSIBILITIES OF CHAIR: STRUCTURE

• Beginning:

- Try to start on time
- Assure that a quorum is present at the board meeting
- Bringing the Meeting to Order
- Welcome and Introductions

During Meeting

- Make sure other board members have a role and know what their role is.
- Keep members on track and focused:
 - Question: Can this question be answered with the information we have available to us today?
 - If not, does the case need to be set for an administrative review?
 - Q: is the answer relevant to the particular topic and does the issue relate to health, safety, well being or permanency of child?

THE RESPONSIBILITIES OF CHAIR: LEADERSHIP

Deliberations:

Ask your board members:

- Do permanency goals continue to be appropriate, or is a concurrent goal needed?
- Is the child's placement is safe & appropriate?
- Is well-being is appropriately addressed through health education & IL, if applicable?
- Is visitation sufficient to maintain bonds?
- Have reasonable efforts by DCS been made to identify and locate parties whose whereabouts are unknown?
- Have reasonable efforts by DCS been made based on prioritization of outcomes and steps in the statement of responsibilities?
- Are the parties compliant with their identified responsibilities in perm plan?

Answers are the basis for recommendations or referral

MEETING SKILLS

- Manage ramblers
 From Harvard Business Review:
- Are board members giving speeches or are they asking questions?
 - Try to interject: "OK, Bob, you're absolutely right and is it ok if we talk about that later?"
 - For someone who typically offers many off topic comments, maybe remind him individually and ahead of time the number of children set to be reviewed that day. If that person handles a certain aspect of the review, ask them to zone in on the questions raised by their review of the packet,

CONTROL TANGENTS

Sometimes it's not that an individual goes on too long but he raises extraneous points.

- This can derail the meeting, especially if two or three people engage in tangent.
 - If this happens, Try to refocus them to the matters relevant to the FCRB.
 - Remind the board of options that are available

ACTIVITY

Think of a time when your FCRB got off track. We will open an anonymous poll and ask you to select the option that most closely describes the issue that occurred in your meeting.

*Note: If you have not observed an off-track or nonproductive board, think of another meeting you have attended that has been off track and not productive.

Now: Think about the role of the chair, the behaviors of parties, and the actions or inactions of your board members.

Name one thing that the chair could have done in the situation you are thinking of that might have helped? Without using any names or identifying details, write your answer in the chat.