

**ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF CHILD SAFETY
OUTPATIENT ASSESSMENT REPORT**

CHILD'S NAME:	DATE OF BIRTH:	DATE OF REPORT:
A. ASSESSMENT		
I am the licensed <input type="checkbox"/> psychiatrist, <input type="checkbox"/> psychologist or <input type="checkbox"/> physician (check one) who conducted an outpatient assessment of the above-named child on _____ (date) which included the following as required by A.R.S. § 8-271(7) and A.R.S. § 8-272(B):		
<input type="checkbox"/>	1.	A psychiatric or psychological assessment, including a clinical interview with the child.
<input type="checkbox"/>	2.	An explanation to the child of the least restrictive alternatives available to meet the child's mental health needs.
<input type="checkbox"/>	3.	A determination as to whether the child may be suffering from a mental health disorder, is a danger to self or others or is persistently or acutely disabled or gravely disabled.
<input type="checkbox"/>	4.	A review of the child's medical, social and psychological records, if available.
<input type="checkbox"/>	5.	A determination as to whether the child needs an inpatient assessment or inpatient psychiatric acute care services and whether inpatient psychiatric acute care services are the least restrictive available alternative.
B. OUTPATIENT ASSESSMENT RECOMMENDATIONS		
Based on the foregoing assessment, I recommend that the child be either (check one):		
<input type="checkbox"/>	1.	Admitted to a psychiatric acute care facility for an inpatient assessment.
<input type="checkbox"/>	2.	Admitted to a psychiatric acute care facility for inpatient psychiatric care services.
<i>(If this alternative is checked, proceed to Part C below)</i>		
<input type="checkbox"/>	3.	Provided with residential treatment services.
<i>(If this alternative is checked, proceed to Part D below)</i>		
<input type="checkbox"/>	4.	Discharged to an entity and provided with outpatient treatment services.
<input type="checkbox"/>	5.	Discharged to the entity without further psychological or psychiatric service because the child does not suffer from a mental disorder, is not a danger to self or others or is not persistently or acutely disabled or gravely disabled.
C. RECOMMENDATION FOR INPATIENT PSYCHIATRIC ACUTE CARE SERVICES		
My recommendation that the child be admitted for inpatient psychiatric acute care services is based on the following:		
<input type="checkbox"/>	1.	Inpatient psychiatric acute care services are the child's best interest for the following reasons:
<input type="checkbox"/>	2.	Inpatient psychiatric acute care services are the least restrictive alternative for the following reasons:
<input type="checkbox"/>	3.	The diagnosis of the child's condition requiring inpatient psychiatric acute care services is:
<input type="checkbox"/>	4.	The estimated length of time the child will require inpatient psychiatric acute care services is:

D. RECOMMENDATION FOR RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT SERVICES

My recommendation that the child receive residential treatment services is based on the following:

<input type="checkbox"/>	1.	Residential treatment services are in the child's best interests for the following reasons:
<input type="checkbox"/>	2.	Residential treatment services are the least restrictive treatment available for the following reasons:
<input type="checkbox"/>	3.	The child's behavioral, psychological, social, or mental health needs require residential treatment services for the following reasons:
<input type="checkbox"/>	4.	The estimated length of time the child will require residential treatment services:

Psychiatrist, Psychologist, Or Physician Performing Assessment

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