**Foster Carer Diary Sheet**

Child’s Name:................................................ Carer’s Name: .........................................

Diary entry to include when relevant the following: education, health, contact, meeting/visits, behaviour, self care/independent living skills, other events or issues/achievements and any action taken or professionals contacted. Please refer to prompt sheet.

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| **Date** |  | **Carer and SSW Signature** |

**Foster Carer Diary Prompt Sheet:**

**Education**

Achievements / issues from school /nursery, homework, merits, certificates, detention, bullying, fights, school clubs, education meetings eg. Parent’s evenings attended and feedback, PEPS, school plays, fairs etc

**Health**

General health, injuries, incident report form required? (please see below) notifying SSW required? Medical appointments and outcome, medication recording form completed?

**Contact**

Who contact with, where & when, child’s behaviour before and following contact, issues within contact or cancellations, comments in contact books

**Meetings, visits and communication with professionals**

LAC Stat Visits by Social Worker, Meetings attended, communication with Social Worker and other professionals

**Behaviour**

Positive behaviour, changes in behaviour, challenging behaviour, triggers for incidents, ABC of recording (Antecedent, Behaviour, Consequence)

**Self-care / independent living skills**

Tasks taught to young person, tasks or skills successfully undertaken by child/young person

**Other events / issues / achievements**

Hobbies, babysitters, absences of family members, activities, changes to usual routine, holidays

**When to complete Incident form (Schedule 7 events):**

* Child missing
* Police being called to carers home
* Serious accident / illness
* Child protection issue
* Allegations of a serious crime
* Involvement in prostitution
* Serious incident involving police
* Infectious disease