

Behavior Observation Instrument Procedures

This form will be used when there are consistent/or harmful behaviors occurring with a child. It will be attached to all Mental Health referrals.

Procedures:

1. Complete the top portion answering all blanks.
2. On the “Behavior Being Observed” section, write briefly in the behavior(s) being observed.
3. Note the time the behavior happened, what happened prior, what the exact behavior was, and what was the consequence of the behavior.
4. You can include several dates on one form, yet you would need to include in the date section all the dates the behavior(s) were observed.

- **Be specific on writing the events that are taking place.**