**Secure Accommodation Review meeting**

**In relation to**

**(*name of child*) convened on (insert date)**

**STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL**

**PURPOSE AND SCOPE OF SECURE REVIEW**

The specific tasks of the Secure Accommodation Review are to:

* Ensure the criteria for keeping the child/young person in secure accommodation continue to apply;
* Consider whether or not such a placement continues to be necessary;
* Consider whether or not an alternative type of placement would be more appropriate;
* Ensure the continued placement is in the child/young person’s best interests.

In addition the review may be used to consider:

* The circumstances under which the child/young person will be allowed greater freedom, including any transfer to a more 'open' unit;
* The phased nature and timing of such increases in freedom (known as ‘mobility’ training).

In order to reach their conclusions, the panel members are required by the relevant regulations to ascertain and take into account the wishes and views of:

* The child/young person
* Any parent/legal guardian
* Any person with parental responsibility
* Any other person who has had the care of the child/young person, whose views the panel consider should be taken into account.
* The independent visitor, if appointed
* The Local Authority managing the secure accommodation in which the child/young person is placed if that authority is not the authority looking after the child/young person.

1. **An outline of the child/young person’s background, including care history**

**Family composition**

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**Professionals involved**

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**Legal Status**

1. **Background information**
2. **The reasons the child/young person is in secure accommodation including the criteria under which a Secure Accommodation Order was made**

1. **The evidence that the criteria under which the order was made continues to apply**
2. **The alternatives to secure accommodation that have been considered and the reasons why they are not considered appropriate**
3. **The assessed needs of the child/young person**

**Health**

**Behaviour and Emotional Needs**

**Education**

**Identity**

**Contact**

**Social**

1. **The plan to meet those needs including timescales**
2. **The reasons that secure accommodation is essential to the success of the plan**

1. **In the case of a child/young person for whom this not the first Secure Accommodation Review, the progress that has been made with regard to her/his Care Plan since the last Secure Accommodation Review.**
2. **The child/young person’s current wishes and views**
3. **The views and wishes of those with parental responsibility for the child/young person**