

CornerHouse
Best Practice Peer Review Tool

Instructions: Provide written & verbal feedback: For each Best Practice area, note at least one item of **Reinforcing Feedback** & one **Suggestion/Alternative** for Improvement w/in specific area of focus.

Person Centered	Feedback & Examples
- Follow child's lead/allow for spontaneity	
- Effective pacing & use of silence	
- Developmentally appropriate language & sentence structure	
- Adequately address blocks to communication/disclosure (gives appropriate reassurance)	
Forensically Sound	Feedback & Examples
Use of Questions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Use indirect prompts to invite narrative - Effective use of more direct questions as needed - Consistent use of indirect prompts following direct questions 	
- Invites sensory, contextual and idiosyncratic information	
- Effective use of media/aids (e.g. drawings, diagrams, dolls)	
Decrease Suggestibility <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Effectively provide orienting messages as opportunities arise: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> o To not guess o To correct interviewer o To say: "I don't know" o Other - Avoid leading/coercive behavior 	
Semi-Structured	Feedback & Examples
Rapport <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Includes Orienting Messages - Includes Narrative Practice 	
Conclusion <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Provides a respectful transition - Appropriate opportunity for child's questions/concerns 	
Other <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Additional stage(s) are appropriately 	