

Question Guide for interviews with child protection workers

TITLE OF PROJECT Grandparents Matter

Name of Person:

Date Interviewed:

Interviewer:

Demographic information detailed:

Can you tell me your:

age	
gender	
cultural background	
professional qualifications,	
and years of experience.	

Can you tell me your thoughts and perceptions regarding grandparent-grandchild contact after child protection intervention?

What are the important factors to consider?

What are some of the explanations/reasons that you think can explain any disrupted contact?

Would/Do you recommend contact between grandparents and grandchildren after grandchildren enter child protection/out of home care/ kinship care?

Can you explain further?

What are the strategies used to maintain contact between grandparents and grandchildren?

What are your recommendations about how grandparent-grandchild contact could be optimised when grandchildren enter child protection/out of home care/ kinship care?

What are your further recommendations regarding services for and inclusion of grandparents?

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