

Initial Fire Evaluation Survey

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Child's Name:	Date of Birth:
Interviewer:	Date of Interview:

Based on the best available information:

Degree of Involvement

1. What was the juvenile's **degree of involvement** with the current fire incident (mark one)?
- This juvenile actively set the fire and was alone
- This juvenile actively set the fire as part of a group involved with the fire
- This juvenile did not actively set the fire, but was part of a group involved with the fire
- This juvenile's degree of involvement is unknown, questionable, or in dispute

Frequency

2. How many fire related incidents involving this juvenile (including the most recent episode) are reported by the juvenile, the juvenile's parents, or other available informants? This includes all fire experimentation with peers or alone, and all firesetting behavior with peers or alone.
- 1 or 2 times 3 - 4 times More than 4 times

Intent

3. With regard to **all past and current** fire related behaviors, indicate what the juvenile **intended to set on fire** in each fire related incident (mark all that apply). Has this juvenile ever:
- yes no**
- lit and watched the flame on a match or lighter
- lit an appropriate fire (e.g., a candle or barbecue)
- lit a small piece of paper, small object, toy, or twig (unattached to a plant) on fire, or singed an object
- lit a small controlled vegetation fire (such as a small pile of leaves or twigs, or a part of a large plant)
- lit a bonfire (such as a large paper fire, wood-fueled fire, trash can or dumpster fire)
- lit an accelerant by itself or lit an accelerant on any other type of fire (e.g., small fire, bonfire, wildfire, etc.)
- lit on fire the personal property of another person, such as a peer, classmate, or family member
- lit on fire an unoccupied structure, or unoccupied vehicle
- lit an uncontrolled wildfire
- lit on fire an occupied structure, or occupied vehicle
- lit a fire to injure or kill an animal or person

Outcome

4. Has any of the juvenile's fire related behavior resulted in any of the following **outcomes**? (mark all that apply).
- yes no**
- lighting on fire an unoccupied structure, or unoccupied vehicle
- lighting an uncontrolled wildfire
- lighting on fire an occupied structure, or occupied vehicle
- lighting a fire that injured or killed an animal or person

Comments:
