

This form is **required** to be filled out completely for this threat assessment to be considered valid.

Interviews	
<p>When a threat or concerning behavior is observed, obtain a specific account of the behavior by interviewing the person who made the threat or displayed the concerning behavior, if appropriate to the circumstances. Interview the intended victims, and other witnesses. Write the exact content of the threat and statements by each party. Consider the circumstances in which the threat was made and the threatening individual's intentions. It is important to be sensitive to a person's reluctance to provide information. It will be necessary to build rapport with those you are interviewing in order for them to trust you. Interviews may take additional time because of this, but this step should not be skipped over.</p>	
Person of Concern	
Subject Name:	Location:
Interviewer(s) Name:	Date:
<p><i>Use these questions as a guide to interview the person making the threat. Ask other questions as appropriate. Try to use open-ended questions rather than leading questions. Adjust spacing below as needed. Again, it is extremely important to build rapport with this interviewee. They may believe that they are in trouble, or be suspicious of the threat assessment process. Developing trust before engaging in this interview will take additional time, but may pay dividends in the information the interviewee is willing to provide you.</i></p>	
1. Do you know why I want to talk to you? What happened today when you were [place of incident]? (Record person's exact words with quotation marks for key statements if possible.)	
2. Please describe what you said and did during this incident.	
3. Please describe what you meant by those words or actions.	
4. How do you think [person who was threatened] feels about what you said or did? (Probe to see if the subject believes it frightened or intimidated the person.)	
5. Please describe what made you say or do that? (Probe to find out if there is a precipitating factor or history to this threat).	

6. Please describe what you are planning to do now? (Ask questions to determine if the subject intends to carry out the threat.)

7. Are you willing to consider alternate ways to resolve issues you might have with another person?

8. Do you want to harm or kill yourself or someone else? If so, how would you do that?

9. If you have thoughts of hurting someone else, have you practiced how you would do that?

10. Do you or anyone who lives in your home have any weapons? Have you ever practiced using weapons?

11. Has anyone ever been afraid of you, or told you they were worried because of something you said or did? If so, Please describe that.

12. Have you ever been interested in or fantasized about serial killers, school shooters, mass attacks or other violence? If so, please describe.

13. When you encounter a problem, how do you typically solve it? When you become angry or frustrated, what do you typically do?

14. Who do you spend your free time with? What do you like to do together?

15. Do you have any hobbies or interests? If so, please describe them.

16. Have you ever used, or do you now use any illegal/prescription drugs or alcohol?

17. What else would be important for me to know about this?

18. Who are the people that know you best?

19. Will you show me your social media accounts/cell phone?