

Engaging Fathers Assessment Tool**

Please grade on a 5 point scale (0,1,2,3,4,5) where 0 means “not started” or “not moving” and 5 means “incredible progress” or “great results.”

Is your agency engaging fathers by:

- Involving fathers in active Client Advisory Workgroups; 0 1 2 3 4 5
- Involving fathers to support other fathers or as advocates for fathers at TDM, FTM, or FGDM meetings; 0 1 2 3 4 5
- Inviting fathers to community partnership meetings; 0 1 2 3 4 5
- Having birth fathers assist with foster parent recruitment, speak at foster parent trainings or orientations; 0 1 2 3 4 5
- Inviting fathers to focus groups to discuss new policies that will impact them; 0 1 2 3 4 5
- Involving fathers in agency steering committees; 0 1 2 3 4 5
- Having fathers involved in the development of a Father’s Bill of Rights; 0 1 2 3 4 5
- Developing an independent living plan along with the child’s father; 0 1 2 3 4 5
- Involving the father when a plan for the child changes; 0 1 2 3 4 5
- Having routine home visits with fathers; 0 1 2 3 4 5
- Having a father liaison at your agency or facility; 0 1 2 3 4 5
- Including fathers as conference participants; or 0 1 2 3 4 5
- Other (if yes, please list) _____ 0 1 2 3 4 5



** Building A Better Future/Parent Engagement Planning Tool