

Crisis to Thriving Scale: Short Form  
5 Primary Domains

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CRISIS	VULNERABLE	SAFE	STABLE	THRIVING
<b>Food &amp; Nutrition</b>				
1. Has less than a day of food and limited ability/means to prepare or cook food	3. Consistently unable to meet basic food needs; often didn't have enough food to eat in the past 3 months	5. Eligible for partial food stamps or subsidies but not receiving them	7. Receives occasional food assistance (brown bag, commodities); not eligible for food stamps	9. Can choose to shop at store of choice, never reduces meal size or skips meals b/c of money, and sometimes has money to eat out.
2. Has less than a of day of food available and no money to purchase more	4. Without food stamps or other food subsidies, would often not have enough food to eat	6. Receives partial food stamps or subsidies to meet basic food needs	8. Can meet all basic food needs (does not skip or reduce meals b/c of lack of money) without assistance; but no extras and very little/no eating out	10. Can shop at store of choice and purchase any food items desired
<b>Housing</b>				
1. Literally homeless	3. Legal threat of eviction (5-day notice, writ) or immediate foreclosure	5. Receiving temporary rent/mortgage subsidy (or has received within the last 3 months)	7. In stable housing (rent or own) that is not affordable (> 40% on housing costs)	9. Household is in safe, affordable, unsubsidized rental housing of choice
2. In an emergency shelter or hotel	4. Transitional housing OR staying with others OR foreclosure notice	6. In stable subsidized housing	8. Household is in safe, affordable, unsubsidized housing	10. Household is in safe, affordable, home they own
<b>Childcare (all children in household--if childcare not available for one child or not affordable for even one of the children then answer accordingly)</b>				
1. Childcare not available for all children in the household	3. Childcare available in unlicensed facility	5. Subsidized, safe childcare is available but not satisfied with it	7. Safe, affordable, unsubsidized childcare available but not satisfied with it	9. Safe, reliable care from family or friends and satisfied with it
2. Childcare available but can not afford it	4. Childcare is unreliable (unreliable family or friends)	6. Subsidized, safe childcare (not including quality early childhood education like head start) available and satisfied	8. Safe, affordable, unsubsidized childcare available & satisfied with it	10. Safe quality care that includes early childhood education from licensed facility is available and affordable (including HeadStart, Early Headstart, Center based)
<b>Transportation (answer from perspective of household)</b>				
1. No means of transportation and public transport not available when needed	3. Relies exclusively on transportation from friends or family	5. Has a single unreliable vehicle or vehicle(s) that needs minor repairs to run	7. Vehicle is reliable but older or unaffordable and there is no alternative	9. Has at least one reliable and affordable vehicle and back up transportation
2. Own an inoperable vehicle and no funds to fix it	4. Has a vehicle but no insurance and/or no license	6. Has two (or more vehicles) but all vehicles are unreliable	8. No alternative transportation if primary source is unavailable.	10. Has sufficient number of reliable and affordable vehicles for family
<b>Financial \$ Management</b>				
1. Not able to pay bills or past due debts	3. Paying all current bills, not paying past due debts	5. Paying current bills; paying minimum on debt	7. Paying all current bills, paying off debts most months and not saving regularly	9. Always paying all current bills and debts, NOT saving regularly
2. Paying some bills but late/not paying others		6. Paying all current bills, following plan to pay off debts	8. Paying all current bills, paying off debts most months, saving regularly	10. Always paying all current bills and debts, and saving regularly

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<b>Credit Building (answer from perspective of adult/parents in household. Moving up scale if it is true for either adult or parent then select that option)</b>				
1. Uses high interest loans (i.e. pay day loans, etc.) ; no other credit available	3. Unable to get credit from a bank or credit card (credit problems)	5. Have secured credit card	7. Loan on own or regular credit card with \$500 limit	9. Credit report is excellent
2. No credit history	4. Very limited credit history (i.e. particular store)	6. Loan acquired with a cosigner	8. Credit report is good	
<b>Child &amp; Youth Development (answer with all children in household in mind; moving up the scale if it is true for any one child in household then select that option)</b>				
1. Child w/ identified behavioral or developmental issues not receiving assistance	3. Child with developmental / behavioral needs receiving assistance			
2. Child not attending school or other socialization regularly	4. Child failing multiple classes or more than one child failing any classes	6. Child is failing a class	8. All children passing all courses	10. All children with GPA of 2.5 or better & or proficient
<b>Education/Job Skills</b>				
1. Less than 8th grade education--no GED--&/or limited reading/writing ability	3. Completed some high school--no GED	5. High school graduate or GED	7. Completed combination GED and basic skills training	9. Bachelor's Degree or high level vocational licensing (i.e. master plumber, electrician, Microsoft certified developer, etc.)
2. Less then 8.th grade education--no GED	4. Seeking GED &/or in vocational training	6. Currently attending college or a certification program	8. Completed associate's degree, vocational training or certification program	10. Advanced degree or completed college and has specialized certification or employed in field of study
<b>Employment/Income (use primary wage earner to answer these questions)</b>				
1. Unemployed and unable to work or not seeking work	3. Unemployed, good work history/skills, seeking employment	5. (Under-employed for skill/educational level) OR (Living on SSI (other fixed income) ONLY)	7. Employed 32+ hours weekly with adequate pay (see self sufficiency wage) but no benefits	9. Employed 32+ hours per week in field of choice, good pay w/benefits, opportunities for advancement
2. (Unemployed and limited work history) OR (Disability and No Income)	4. Employed part time/seasonal & seeking FT employment	6. Permanent employment but not sufficient hours, wage or benefits	8. Employed 32+ hours per week, adequate pay (see self suff. wage) & benefits	10. Employed 32+ hrs/ week in field of choice, good pay w/benefits, opportunities for advancement, stable employer
<b>Health Insurance (answer from entire household perspective. Moving up scale if any is true of even one member of household then select that response)</b>				
1. Have immediate unmet health needs AND no insurance coverage	3. No medical insurance coverage BUT no current health issues	5. Some household members have coverage; and others receive needed basic care through subsidized clinic	7. All covered by high deductible private insurance, generally don't receive preventative care	9. Covered by private insurance w/ low co-pays and deductibles
2. No means to fill immediate needed prescription	4. Some household members have medical coverage; others have no immediate health issues	6. All are covered by federal or state insurance programs	8. Covered by private insurance, but care strains budget	10. Covered by private insurance w/ low co-pays, deductibles & prescription coverage

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<b>Energy/Utilities</b>				
1. One or more utilities currently shut off	3. Have had a utility turned off in last 6-months	5. Utility bills past due	7. Utility bills current, receives energy assistance	9. Utilities current, no energy assistance & seeking energy saving improvements
2. Door hanger or shut-off imminent	4. Have had a notice that utility was to be turned off in within the last 6-months	6. Utility bills are current with history of late payments	8. Utilities current, receives energy assistance & seeking energy saving improvements	10. Utilities current, no energy assistance, no history late payments, completed energy saving improvements
<b>Asset Building (answer from perspective of entire household)</b>				
1. No savings, no homeownership (with Social Security)	3. Savings of less than \$2500	5. Savings over \$2500 or CD or some other investment	7. House with mortgage and no savings	9. Owns home (no mortgage) with savings OR savings and retirement
2. No savings no home ownership			8. House with mortgage and savings	
<b>Community Involvement (i.e. engagements and memberships with Civic Clubs, School and Education groups, Sports, and other Community Organizations)</b>				
1. Family does not feel safe in community .	3. Family is uninvolved in community.	5. Family does not currently participate in community events and activities but has In the past.	7. Family sometimes participates in community activities, events, and groups	9. Family frequently participates in community events, activities, and groups
2. Family is isolated or feels alienated from community.	4. Family is not aware of community events, history, and issues.	6. Family does not participate in community events and activities, but would like to.	8. Family is increasingly participating in community activities, events, and groups.	10. Family frequently participates in community events, activities, and groups. As well as encourages others to participate.
<b>Supportive Social Networks</b>				
1. Friends and Family are a negative influence.	3. Friends and Family are not accessible/available to supply support	5. Reliance on Family or Friends (dependency)	7. Friends and Family are reliable during a real Crisis	9. Friends or Family always give reliable support.
2. Do not have any friends or family to rely on	4. Friends and Family are not a reliable source of support.	6. Relationships with Friends and Family is developing, growing, and strengthening.	8. Friends and Family are reliable most of the time	10. Friends or Family always give reliable support and, and I am able to give them support as well.

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<b>Family Development / Parent Engagement *** Completed by staff</b>				
1. Abusive relationships, child domestic violence, child abuse /neglect	3. Poor parenting/relationship skills--unaware of negative family dynamics	5. Parents respond to requests for info occasionally but don't attend meetings or events	7. Parents and children engage in activities together regularly	9. Parents volunteer in child related activities and family engages in activities together
2. Little family, friends, church or community support; socially isolated	4. Marginal parenting/relationship skills (parents do not respond to requests); separated from abuser (if relevant)	6. Parents attend teacher conferences and/or other child events; little entire family interaction	8. Regular full family activities and parental relationship good	10. Good parenting/relationship skills; parents and children engaged in community/volunteer activities