



Creating a Children's Guide for Children's Homes

HAVE YOU CHECKED THE FOLLOWING IN YOUR GUIDE?	Compliant Yes/No?	Resulting Changes?	Reviewed by	Date
Is there a statement regarding when the guide will be given to the child?				
Does it explain how this will happen and who will support them to read and understand it?				
Is the language and format appropriate to the AGE of the child?				
Is the language and format appropriate to the NEEDS of the child?				
Is the language and format appropriate to the UNDERSTANDING of the child?				
Does it explain what the child can expect OF the home? (What happens regarding routines)				
Does it explain what the child can expect FROM the home? (Care)				
Is it clear about the support to which each child is entitled?				
Is the method of making a complaint transparent?				
How will the child be able to access advocacy? Is this clear?				
Have you entered information about the child's right to contact the children's commissioner and how?				
Have you explained how often the guide will be reviewed and that the child will be involved in the review?				