

CHECKLIST OF CONCERNS

Review the list below and check off any emotional and/or behavioral problems that you would attribute to your child. The spaces at the bottom are for adding any problems that do not appear on the list.

- Frequently steals
- Frequently lies or is deceitful
- Has run away from home
- Has deliberately set fires
- Is truant from school
- Has broken into a car or dwelling
- Has deliberately destroyed another's property
- Is physically cruel to others
- Is physically cruel to animals
- Often initiates physical fights
- Has forced another into sexual activity
- Carries (or has carried) a weapon
- Has used a weapon to hurt someone
- Has legal problems
- Has a history of drug, tobacco, or alcohol use
- Appears to be influenced by gangs
- Participates in gang activity
- Displays inappropriate/inconsistent emotions
- Complains of "seeing things" (visual hallucinations)
- Complains of "hearing voices" (auditory hallucinations)
- Has bizarre thought processes
- Has homicidal thoughts/ideation
- Has suicidal thoughts/ideation
- Acts immaturely
- Seeks negative attention
- Is overly preoccupied with sex
- Acts out sexually
- Urinates or defecates in unusual places
- Wets or soils self during the day
- Has problems at school
- Has excessive anxiety and worry
- Has a fear which disrupts daily life
- Often impedes on the rights of others
- Participates in dangerous/reckless behaviors
- Is frequently angry or loses temper often
- Frequently argues with adults
- Is easily annoyed by others, highly irritable
- Often blames others for his/her mistakes
- Often defies or ignores adult requests
- Refuses to follow directions or rules
- Has a low frustration tolerance
- Deliberately annoys or provokes others
- Avoids taking responsibility for behavior
- Frequently swear or uses foul language
- Is overly disrespectful to authority
- Has no concern for consequences
- Becomes destructive when angry
- Becomes aggressive/assaultive when angry
- Is overly controlling of others
- Has threatened to harm/kill others
- Doesn't get along well with others
- Becomes vindictive when angry
- Engages in self-harming or self-mutilation
- Often attempts to manipulate others
- Often appears sad or depressed
- Withdraws or isolates from others
- Has feelings of worthlessness
- Has a complete lack of motivation
- Often fidgets or squirms, can't sit still
- Is easily distracted
- Has a difficult time following directions
- Talks excessively at inappropriate times
- Has a difficult time following directions
- Often interrupts or intrudes on others
- Has a difficult time focusing on a task
- Often acts impulsively (without thinking)
- Has a difficult time playing quietly
- Often fails to complete chores or tasks

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This checklist is an excellent source of information for any mental health professional that may be working with your child.