

Scenario 4 Vignette

Christina, 5 years old, ACV

Kyle, 2 years old, ACV

Kristen, 1 year old, ACV

Kathy, 23 years old, Mother

Kathy and David are the biological parents of Christina. They have never been married and are no longer in a relationship. David currently has full custody of Christina. Kathy has two other children, Kyle and Kristen, and David has one other child.

Both Kathy and David have their own apartments. Both apartments are safe from hazards, and clean. Both homes have food and the basic needs of the children are met.

While at Kathy's house Christina sustained superficial cuts on both hands. The cuts did not require medical attention but needed to be cleaned and bandaged. When Christina's paternal grandmother, Leslie, picked Christina up from Kathy's house she discovered the cuts. The injuries had not been treated. Christina was also wearing dirty clothes and appeared to need a bath. Leslie immediately called David who was very concerned.

Kathy has a history of postpartum and has been diagnosed with bipolar and generalized depression. Kathy admits she does not always supervise the children closely. She recently lost her job at a fast food restaurant and has fallen behind on her bills. Her father, Pete is willing to help her catch up on her bills and will also help supervise the children. Both Kyle and Kristen are enrolled at ABC daycare full-time.

Christina reported that Kyle cut both of her hands with a knife while Kathy was asleep on the couch. David has full custody of Christina and is no longer allowing Kathy unsupervised visits with Christina.

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1. Clearly write the active safety threat.
 2. Develop activities that control for the threat.
 3. Identify the responsible person(s) for each activity.
 4. Identify and describe the monitoring strategies you would use for this safety plan.