

Reference Guide

Caseworker: _____ Prospective Caregiver: _____

1. How long have you known this person/couple and what is the nature your relationship?

2. Describe the personality of this person/couple:

Friendly

Flexible

Responsible

Committed

Other _____

Explain

3. Do you feel this person/couple has the qualities for being a successful parent(s)?

Do they enjoy parenting, and if they are not parents please describe observations or discussions you have had with the person/couple about their potential to parent:

4. Are there any conditions or attitudes that this person/couple has which you would consider harmful or risky to children in their care?

5. What would you say has been the most stressful time for this person/couple? How did they handle this situation?

6. Would you feel comfortable placing your own children in this home?

Explain

7. Other comments about this person/couple you feel is important related to child safety and stability in their home/care:

Name(s) (printed)

(____)_____-_____
Phone Number

Address

_____/_____/_____
Signature Date

_____/_____/_____
Signature Date