

PRACTICE EVALUATIONS

GRADINGS GUIDANCE

SUPPORTING CONSISTENCY
IN THE GRADING OF OUR
MONTHLY PRACTICE
EVALUATIONS

Central
Bedfordshire

Judgement	Score	Description
Outstanding	10	Exceptionally strong support around the child/family with essentially no weaknesses identified. The positive impact on the family is clearly demonstrated throughout.
Good	9	Very strong support around the child/family with clear evidence of positive impact on child/family and only very minor weaknesses identified.
	8	Strong support around the child/family with clear evidence of positive impact on child/family, though some minor weaknesses may be identified.
	7	Good support around the child/family but the positive impact on child/family may be in the earliest stages. Some minor weaknesses identified.
Requires Improvement	6	Support around the child/family is variable with some strengths but some weaknesses, and positive impact on child/family may be in earliest stages.
	5	Support around the child/family requires improvement and positive impact on child/family is yet to be seen.
	4	Support around the child/family requires significant improvement and changes are needed to evidence positive impact on child/family.
Inadequate	3	Support around the child/family has very few strengths and several weaknesses. Support provided is not having a positive impact on the family.
	2	Support around the child/family has major weaknesses and is not supporting positive impact for the family.
	1	Support around the child/family has major weaknesses and is having a detrimental impact on the progress of the plan.
Inadequate Critical	0	Support around the child/family has major weaknesses. Requires an <u>immediate</u> response to safeguard the child from significant harm.