

**Safe Start
Local Site Evaluation
Description Outline**

Site: Pinellas County

Date: December 2003

Local Impact Assessment

	What is being measured	Measures	Source/Sample	Design	Data collection methods
Systems change and collaboration	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Change in level of cooperation and collaboration among partners 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Memoranda of agreements Attendance records of joint meetings 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All participating partners 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Longitudinal analysis 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Document analysis
Community awareness/involvement	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Public awareness of children exposed to violence Public awareness of Safe Start 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> In-house survey 	Key Informants: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Courts, Police, Mental Health Agency, Clearwater Community Policing Coordinated Childcare Others to be identified 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> One time measurement 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Survey (Originally planned on supplement to Roper survey)
Service utilization	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Number of users at each level: Level 1 – accessing services through 211 phone line Level 2 – Referees to services Level 3 - Services by Help A Child, domestic violence programs, Health Dept. Level 4 – Cross-Agency staffing by various partners 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Number of users and characteristics (NET Database) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Level 1 – Logs Level 2 – 4 – NET Database 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Continuous measurement 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Database
Training	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Number of Juvenile Welfare Board/Safe Start Trainings Number of Collaborative sponsored trainings (Number of persons and length) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> In-house survey 	Key Informants: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Courts, Police, Mental Health Agency, Clearwater Community Policing Others to be identified 		
Sustainability	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Impact of training on policy and practice 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> In-house survey 			

Intervention Research					
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Identification and assessment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Families requesting assistance through 211 phone line Children of women in domestic violence programs Families identified by Health Dept. Families identified by Community policing program (exposure to violence and psychological consequences of such exposure) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Trigger questions (Clinicians) Symptomatology (Daycare, school, DV center) Official reports (Police, parents, social workers) <hr/> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Parental Stress Index 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All persons reaching level 2 services 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> One-Shot Case study 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Clinical interview 211 records DV program records Help-A-Child records
Program, interventions and outcomes	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Change in the behavior of the child, the parental response and the child-parent interaction 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Parenting Stress Index Ages and Stages Questionnaire Clinical evaluation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All families receiving level 3 services 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ages and Stages Questionnaire will be administered to all treatment children and compared to children measured through the Coordinated Childcare program. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Parenting Stress Index will be administered at intake, at linkage to services and three months following linkage to services Ages and Stages Questionnaire will be administered at assessment and at three months after linkage to services