

CASE STUDY – JAMES

You have participated in James's assessment and a number of issues have been highlighted:

1. He uses solvents but says he knows that it is dangerous, however he does it safely. His friends have done it for ages and they haven't died. He says that it's not like he's using heroin.
2. He does it because he is generally despondent about his circumstances.
3. He feels angry, and feels that in the past adults have always let him down.
4. He is smoking while he uses solvents.

You need to prepare for a care planning meeting.

List all the possible interventions. Include any ideas that may help James, whether or not you have the skills to undertake them.



HANDOUT – INTERVENTION AND REFERRAL

EXAMPLE INCIDENT SCREENING FLOWCHART

