

NORFOLK ADVOCATES FOR CHILDREN

NAC SOCIAL STORY FOR KIDS

Visiting the Norfolk Advocates for Children in Foxboro can be confusing for children. The following social story is meant to help explain the process to children and introduce the people that the child will meet.

There are more people on the multi-disciplinary team (like an Assistant District Attorney, Mental Health Coordinator, Department of Children and Families Investigator, and police officers) that the child will likely not meet. If you as the adult care-giver have questions, please contact the SAIN coordinator.

Begin by saving this PDF file to your computer. Open this file in Adobe Acrobat Reader. Complete each blank text field, save your customized NAC Social Story to your computer and print.

The story should be individualized by adding the name of the person bringing the child (for example: Mom, Dad, Case worker, etc.) to the blank line in the story. The blank line appears several times.



On _____

I am going to the Norfolk Advocates for Children at 12 Payson Road in Foxboro, Massachusetts.





When I get there, I will wait in my car until it is time to go inside.





I will meet a person from the NAC and go inside.

I will use the hand sanitizer and then go up the stairs to the interview room. I will not walk too close to anyone.

I am staying away from people to keep from getting germs or giving germs.

will wait in the car while I am in the interview room.

WELCOME

CLEAN HANDS



I will meet the interviewer.

She will be wearing a mask.

I can also wear a mask.





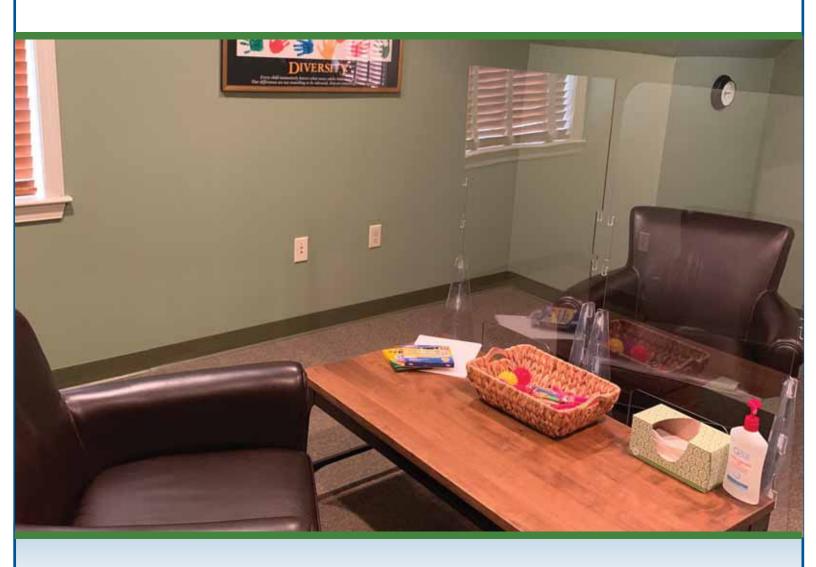


The interview room also has a table and chairs. I will sit in a chair.

The interviewer will sit across from me.

There is a clear shield between us.

The interviewer can hear me, but I have to keep my voice LOUD.





The interview room has a special mirror.

The mirror has two sides.

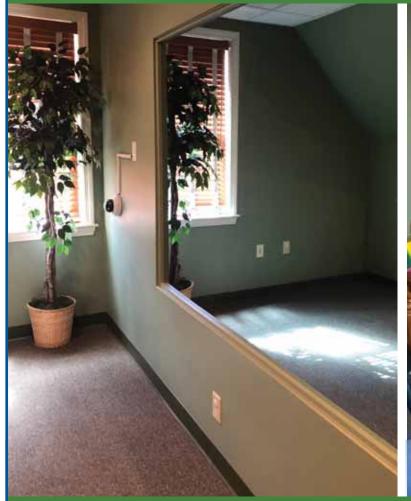
In the interview room, it is a mirror.

I can see myself and the interviewer.

The other side is like a window.

People watch the interview and make sure I am safe, but I can't see the people.





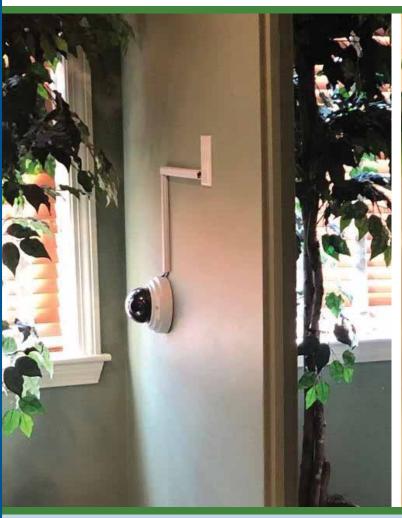




There are 2 cameras on the wall.

The cameras record our talk.









In the interview room, the interviewer will ask me a lot of questions!

I will tell the truth when I answer the questions.

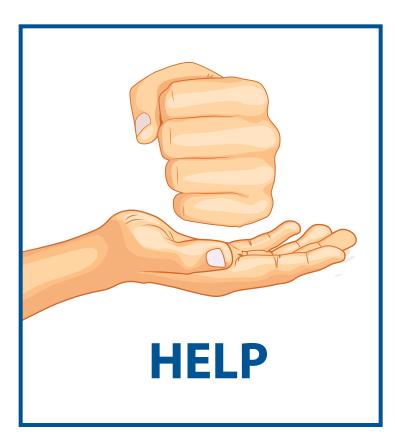


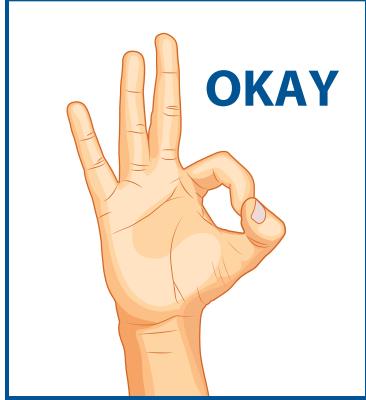




The interviewer will ask me questions to make sure that I am safe.

The interviewer wants to make sure that if anybody needs help, they get help.







I will tell the interviewer if I need a break.



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I will also meet a nurse.

She has a special room.

She will not hurt me or give me a shot!





When I am done, I will go back to the car and see



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may get out

of the car to talk without me.

(I can still see ______).

I will stay in the car. This will be fast!



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I will leave the Norfolk Advocates for Children.

I WILL BE DONE.

