

**UNACCOMPANIED REFUGEE MINORS PROGRAM
CLIENT INTERVIEW****I. Review Information**

- A. URM Program: _____
- B. RPB Reviewer: _____
- C. Date of Review (mm/dd/yy): _____

II. Client Interview

Meet with a URM in both foster care and independent living, if possible. During informal discussion of the URMs' experiences in the program, ask the following:

- A. Name: _____
- B. Age: _____
- C. Gender: M F
- D. Country of origin: _____
- E. Primary Language: _____
- Secondary Language(s): _____
- F. Date of arrival in the US: _____
- G. Basis for Program Eligibility (refugee, asylee, etc.):

H. School

1. Are you in school? Yes No

2. What grade/year are you in school?

3. Are you enjoying school?

4. What is your favorite class? Why?

 5. What do you do after school and on weekends? (Ask the youth about interest in sports/ extracurricular activities.)

 6. Do you want to continue your education after high school (or college)?

 7. If you could pick any subject to continue studying, what would it be?

 8. Are you currently taking English classes? Where? How often?

 9. What is your impression of the English classes? Are you able to speak, write and read English as well as you would like?

 10. Would you change your English class if you could? If so, how?
- I. Long Term Planning
1. Do you think you will be prepared for adult life after you emancipate from the URM program? (If no, have youth elaborate.)

2. Has the URM program prepared you for your future? If so, what has been the most helpful?

3. What would you like to do once you leave the URM program? What job do you hope to have in the future?

4. What about the URM program has helped you the most?

5. Is there anything about the URM program you would change?

J. Relationship with Social Worker

1. How often do you meet/speak on the phone with your social worker? Is it too much? Too little?

2. What does your social worker do that you like the most?

K. Relationship with Foster Family

1. What does an average day in your foster home look like?

2. Was living with a foster family what you expected?

3. What is the best part about living with a family?

4. If you had the opportunity to talk with a youth in a similar situation as yours before he or she comes to the URM program, what advice would you give to make the transition easier?

L. Other Placement Types:

Please check one

- Group Home Therapeutic Care Supported Housing / ILP
 SILP Other _____

1. What does an average day in your placement look like?

2. How often do you communicate with the URM program?

3. What are some strengths that you see with your living arrangement? What is your favorite part?

4. What are some challenges that you see with your living arrangement?

M. Monitor: Was an interpreter present for the interview with the child?

Name:

Language:

Other Comments: