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Encounter - Szodina Massiah DOB: 21/09/2014 Gender: F HIN: 2387031939YM

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Toronto, Ontario M4Y 1N1****Tel: 416-924-4640 x2044 | 416-924-4640 x3415****Fax: 416-324-2508 | 416-324-2371****Patient Demographics:****Szodina Massiah**202 Ecclestone Drive  
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B: ;**Gender: Female****DOB: 21/09/2014****HIN: 2387031939YM****Telephone documentation/Virtual Care - Discharge****Visit Date: 09/10/2020**

Virtual care - 1:30-1:45pm.

Spoke with Szodina and her foster mother Pametta.

6 yo, for discharge to kin - an aunt.

Came into care Aug 2019 with 3 other siblings because of neglect, was in the care of mother.

No concerns from Pametta.

Had FASD assessment with Dr. Levin - no signs.

Gr 1 student, happy at school. Plays well. Good appetite, sleeps well. Wears pull-ups.

No immunization records on file.

Dental done because of caries.

A/P Discharge to kin/aunt.

Follow-up with MD in the community in 1 mth.

Need immunization records.

Worker emailed regarding discharge and follow-up.

**Annual****Visit Date: 23/09/2020**

6 yo

Brought into care August 2019

With 3 other siblings

9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. spoke to worker Kalpa Patel and FM and children.

HPI: potentially going to Kin (aunt)

Had FASD assessment by Dr. Levin - no physical features. Only prenatal alcohol use.

Talkative.

Wears pull ups.

School: SK a.m. no concerns

Development: no concerns at all.

Behaviours: no problems at all.

Vaccines: unknown

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Impression: 6 yo in foster care, doing very well. Potentially moving to kin placement.

Plan:

Follow-up regarding vaccine history (worker aware)

**FASD assessment****Visit Date: 28/11/2019****BP:** 0 / 0 mmHG**HR:** 0 bpm**BMI:** 13.84**HT:** 109.5 cm**WT:** 16.6 kg**WC:** 0.0 cm**RR:** 0**O<sub>2</sub> Sat:** 0 %

Olivia ( her preferred name) was seen today for assessment re-sign of physical manifestations of prenatal exposure to alcohol. Mom acknowledges that she did not know what her pregnancy until around 3 months, and prior to that time consumed alcohol, marijuana, and cigarettes. There had been prenatal care. There had been pediatric care. I do not have details as development but apparently it has been within normal range. She is in school and doing well. She has significant dental caries.

She has been are present foster home along with her siblings since June. Foster mother describes her as "very smart" with no apparent developmental or behavioral issues. Her language is good. She does when ,she is anxious ,does appear to have some difficulty swallowing food etc. however her speech is good. She sleeps well. She is in SK and doing well.

on examination there was somewhat indiscriminate attachment but otherwise she did very well. She is able to answer questions, identify letters and numbers, and followed instructions well. Her height is at the 50th percentile, weight at the 50th percentile, and head circumference above the 50th percentile. Lip philtrum score was 2. There is mild fifth finger clinodactyly but no other physical abnormalities.

At present despite a history of exposure there are no physical manifestations of prenatal exposure to alcohol. Overall she is doing well. She will need to be followed closely.

**DICTATION - F/U Admission****Visit Date: 20/09/2019**

All four children were seen in follow up after admission. Unfortunately there was no information. Unfortunately the worker was unable to attend and a coverage FSW did come down to clinic to help answer questions. My questions included:

Why were they apprehended?

When were they apprehended?

Is there any past medical, school or community history?

Do they have a family doctor?

Were the records requested?

Has the family been involved with CAS prior to admission?

Is there a history of maternal drinking or other drug use?

Information was provided in the form of an email from Dorian King who is the supervisor.

She stated that the Society has had a long history with the family and had been involved intermittently since the pregnancy of Omari who is now in care and 11 years old.

She mentioned that concerns included neglect, inadequate supervision, physical discipline, alcohol and drug use as well as exposure to violence and exposure to domestic violence as well.

I have asked the worker to ask the mother if she did drink through any or all of the pregnancies and to obtain birth records if possible so we can review any exposures if documented and also to obtain the records from the

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family physician which hopefully will include immunization records. She also wrote that on August 10th Szodina who will be 5 tomorrow and Nevaeh who turns 4 on the 13th of this month were found on the street at night and had no supervision for six hours. When brought home by the police there was a strong smell of marijuana and from the note several individuals at the home were under the influence of alcohol, drugs or both. This occurred while in the presence of the police and the Children's Aid society. They were brought into care on August 12th and on August 16th the court order was made that they would be under temporary care and custody of the four children to the Society. So temporary care and custody of all four children to the society.

Mother has access at least two times a week. So questions re: alcohol consumption, immunization records, hospitals where the children were born and the name of the family doctor, hopefully will be able to be obtained.

The supervisor had found 3 of 4 admission medicals which had been improperly uploaded to CPIN and she forwarded to us. So for Mulekwa it said it was a normal examination, for Szodina it also showed that it was a normal examination and for Omari it showed that it was a normal examination. All these were done on August 13th.

When I spoke to Omari he did say last year he was in a behaviour class. Foster mother has received two phone calls this week about his behaviour. He does have facial features compatible with FASD. I've requested that he be seen by Dr. Levin and I've asked the workers to please speak to mom directly and ask if she drank or if she drank prior to knowing she was pregnant with Omari and the other three children. His previous school records should be provided to the new school. He does deserve a psychoeducational and immunization records are required as well.

Szodina has significant carries in her mouth, the pulp is visible. She needs to be seen by a Pediatric Dentist as soon as possible. She requires extensive restoration and will probably need a general anesthetic. It would be important to ask the school how she is doing, she's in Sr. Kindergarten. It would also be important to ask the mother about drinking before she knew she was pregnant with Szodina. To obtain her birth records, her past medical records from her family physician and her immunization records.

Mulekwa who is 8 years old and in grade 3 it would be important to speak to the school to see how she's doing. And as well as all the other children to ask the mother about drugs or alcohol during the pregnancy. Birth records, family doctor records and immunization records. She should have a psychoeducational as well.

Foster mother mentioned that Nevaeh bangs her head when going to sleep. She's placed a pillow so she does not hit the walls. It occurs only when she's falling to sleep. There are numerous explanations for this including self soothing. We will see her in follow up in three to four months or sooner if necessary.

I've asked foster mother to keep in touch and to let me know if any other concerns arise. I've also asked her to come back during the Christmas break so we can review all four children to see if anything else needs to be done. Omari was discussed from 2-2:30, Nevaeh was discussed from 2:30-3, Szodina was discussed 3-3:30 and Mulekwa was discussed from 3:30-4.

Dr. Susan Cohen/tt  
Dictated but not read.