



INDICATORS THAT SOMEONE MAY HAVE FASD

Social Factors

- *Involvement in Child Protection Services (adopted, apprehension, foster care)*
- *Mother has history of alcohol abuse/prenatal alcohol use*

Personal & Behavioural Factors

- *Developmental delay in early childhood (ex: required speech language therapy, occupational therapy developmental services)*
- *School learning difficulties (ex: drop-out, behavioural issues)*
- *Diagnosis of ADHD, ADD, OCD, ODD*
- *Mental Health diagnosis or concern*
- *Fails to understand the severity of a situation/offense*
- *Inappropriate emotional response (responds as someone that is a younger person, flat affect, or exaggerated emotional response)*
- *Social inept/immature*
- *Easily manipulated and led by others*
- *Poor decision making, poor problem solving, lacks insight*
- *Does not understand effects of his/her/they actions on others*
- *Requires supervision and management of time and money*
- *Trouble with following rules or requirements*
- *Impulsive*
- *Repeated similar offences*
- *Repeat Offender*

Individuals who have 1 or more “Social Factors” and 3 or more Personal and Behavioural Factors may qualify for further support and an FASD Assessment with our Network.

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