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Introduction

This case study I am going to analyse and identify what type of case it is, using everything learned in this module and also using policy and legislation and safeguarding children and young people to them be able to give our criteria and recommendations.

Present the case study.

This case study is specialist because there are vulnerable people and difficult situation with addiction and neglect.

Single mother with 2 children the mother was alcoholic and she in her young was abused by her family and also in her relationship she suffered severe abuse from her partner her house becomes dangerous for his children since all the drinkers in her house and also they had bad behaviour when they get drunk, her children their children miss school regularly due to her mother's negligence g, she doesn't aware of this since she always drunk, so the behaviour of the children also changed them frustration and despair was noticeable in their behaviour at school.

The absence of their father also affects his family and knowing that died from on overdose of drugs are practically helpless.

Factors of vulnerability children, young people and families face within the case study

The mother of this children exposes them, when she shares her home with other drinkers by constant forgetting about them because of their alcoholism problem, statistics show that 55% of drinkers can take control of their lives again. The children are also vulnerable because their mother is neglecting due to her addiction to alcohol and of course the children need protection and core the government created same laws for vulnerable children.

Children act 1989.

The impact of these factors on the children and young people

The vulnerability shows by the statistics in the uk it is devastating for the next generation since it would be believed that being an advanced country, there should no longer be such a large index of vulnerability for families it is disastrous what will happen to the future of these families.

The process of intervention by relevant health and social care agencies within the case study

The agency analyses the case to be able to help this family they got an appointment so that they can start the detox program, they made an arrangement for her to meet a specialist trouble family, Job Center Plus offer support to her mother can look for a job and thus be able to start a normal life again.

Actions of social services with the family

The social services decided to take these actions:

- Detox program.
- Specialist trouble families
- Job Center plus

Results and outcomes

The intervention from the social workers was very successful as it has helped her become sober, her children are now regularly attending school. She feels much happier, her home is no longer a place for drinkers to hang out and there is now a safe place for them, she is currently looking for an occupation which is great so I feel that she's on the right path to turning her life around,

Policy and legislation related to safeguarding children and young people

The government created this law,

31 of children Act 1989 of the children Act putting a child in the care of designated local authority, with parental responsibility being shared between the parents and the local authority.

Theories guiding interventions of social services in case of safeguarding issues.

They protect adults and children in risk or vulnerability, and also the police working together with the social service against child abuse or domestic abuse.

_ Act 1989

_ACT 2004

Conclusion and Recommendations

She is currently doing well, same goes for her kids now it is important to maintain her children regularly attending school, she is looking for a job.

But I feel this intervention could've happened much before as her children's father has all had already passed away from an overdose when this happened, I feel that the action needs to be taken place in a much quicker way. If we look at the statistics provided, we can see that only the 55% of family start have this intervention are actually able to turn their life around in my opinion that is not enough. The mother mentioned that she was glad that she finally had met a social care worker that she was able to trust and tell her how she really felt, and truly open up to the worker, which in my opinion is not as efficient as it should be as all workers should be trained to make the patients feel safe at all times, but overall the intervention in this case was successful with a few improvement. I feel that the system could you help a lot of more families.

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