Solution Oriented Child's Planning Meeting

Strengths / Protective Factors Areas of strength / resilience Use well-being indicators to discuss strengths and protective factors (immediate and emerging).	 What's going well at the moment? What do you want to keep? Areas of resilience Description of strengths from everyone at meeting Explore likes / interests Ensure opportunities for all to contribute (including the young person)
Concerns/Risk Factors Listen to the risk factors Use well-being indicators to discuss concerns/risk factors.	 What's not going ok at the moment? Note concerns from each person Allow opportunity for all to read concerns Look for themes then collapse and agree main concerns Prioritise concerns. This can be done by each member of the meeting voting for 3 (or 5) of the issues, and the three with the most votes are seen as the priorities. Ensure parents and child are included in decisions / discussion
Strategies List current successful strategies	 What is currently working well? How could we do more of this? What doesn't need changing? What currently works? What should be kept going? What can be expanded on? What in the past has worked or made a difference?e Exceptions Tell me about a time when the problem doesn't happen. When was the last time things were even a little better? What was different then? Are there times when the problem isn't so bad?
Goals What do we want to happen? Use well-being indicators to identify what outcomes are being sought.	 Where do we want things to be and how are we going to get there? 'If things were a little better over the next week, what would X be doing differently?' Which exceptions can be developed / expanded? Which strategies can grow, be altered or re-tried? Who can help? What can be kept? Positively worded / observable / noticed by? / collapse goals / prioritise
Action Plan Who is doing what /when? Use well-being indicators to construct child/young person's action plan.	 What are the main actions? Who will do what? When will it be done? When will we report? Continue with current strategies that are working and create new strategies to achieve goals