



# Referral to Little Minds Matter: Bradford Infant Mental Health Service

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Bradford District Care  
NHS Foundation Trust

Parent-infant relationship risk factors		
Parent factors	Caregiver 1	Caregiver 2
History / current anxiety or depression	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
History / current alcohol and / or drug misuse	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Serious medical condition	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Learning Disability	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Single teenage parent without family support	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Past criminal or young offender's record	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Previous child has been in foster care or adopted	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Violence reported in the family	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Acute family crisis or recent significant life stress	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ongoing lack of support / isolation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Inadequate income / housing	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Previous child has behaviour problems	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Parent has experienced loss of a child	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Background of abuse, neglect, loss in childhood or episodes of being in care as a child	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Chronic maternal stress during pregnancy or ambivalence about the pregnancy (unplanned or rigorous planning)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Disappointment or unrealistic expectation around the parent-infant relationship	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other: please describe	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Factors observed in parent-infant relationship	Caregiver 1	Caregiver 2
Lack of sensitivity to baby's cries or signals	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Negative feelings towards baby	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Physically punitive / rough towards baby	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Lack of vocalisation to baby	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Lack of eye-to-eye contact	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Infant has poor physical care (e.g. dirty or unkempt)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Does not anticipate or encourage child's development	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Lack of consistency in caregiving	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Infant factors		
Developmental delays	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Exposure to harmful substances in utero	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Traumatic birth	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Congenital abnormalities / illness	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Very difficult temperament / extreme crying / hard to soothe	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Very lethargic / nonresponsive / unusually passive	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Low birth weight / prematurity	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Resists holding / hypersensitive to touch	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Severe sleep difficulties	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Failure to thrive / feeding difficulties / malnutrition	<input type="checkbox"/>	