## **Maximus Assessment Cheat Sheet**

Frequently asked questions regarding Maximus Assessments

What do I do if I get a Maximus report, but a new incident has occurred that might impact the outcome?

**EXAMPLE:** Maximus recommended Community placement, but the youth has experienced an increase in unsafe behaviors.

**ANSWER:** You request a "Reconsideration Assessment."

**Note:** Reconsideration requests can only occur within 1-14 days after receiving the Maximus Initial or Reassessment

## **How to request Reconsideration Assessment:**

- NO NEW REFERRAL IS NEEDED
- Gather information that justifies request for recommendation:
- · Risk behaviors, heightened behaviors, increase in mental health symptoms
- · Information that was missing in the Maximus report, but may have impacted the outcome
- · Email Maximus at indianagrtpreferrals@maximus.com
  - SUBJECT LINE: "Reconsideration Assessment"
  - o Include all of the justification and rationale for why you are asking for a reconsideration
  - Maximus will review the request to ensure it is appropriate, and if so, the new information will be added to the original assessment.

What do I do if my Youth was recommended for Community or Family Setting Placement, but then disrupted and ended up going to a Residential Facility (QRTP)?

**EXAMPLE:** Youth went Home, Foster Home, ESC, etc., but then their behaviors escalated and ended up going to a Residential (QRTP) Facility outside of 14 days of the previous assessment.

**ANSWER:** Complete a <u>Maximus Reassessment</u> <u>Referral</u> in KidTraks

**Note:** Must be within 14-60 days of completion of the most recent Maximus Assessment. If within 14 days of the most recent assessment, the youth is appropriate for a reconsideration request.

## **How to complete Maximus Reassessment Referral:**

- · Submit "Maximus Reassessment" Referral in KidTraks
- · Reason for Referral: "Confirmation Assessment."
- · Confirmation assessments are less intrusive and only require an interview with the referral source.

What do I do if my Youth moves to a different QRTP from a QRTP within 60 days of the previous assessment?

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