

## **Adult Protective Services: Collaboration in APS**

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### **Who Did It Activity**

Divide participants into small groups. Using this resource, give each member of the group a single laminated Fact Sheet - APS, Law Enforcement, Ombudsman, and Licensing. For groups with four (4) or more participants, more than one person will have the same fact sheet.

## Fact Sheet #1

### Instructions:

- You are a member of the I-Team.
- You are attending a meeting of the team to discuss a specific case.
- You are to select the most promising suspect who will become the subject of a search warrant that law enforcement member(s) will serve.
- You are also required to determine what type of short and long term supports and protective services are needed for the victim and determine who will provide what services.
- You have been provided with a statement of facts and a list of potential suspects.
- Your task is to select the most likely perpetrator and to eliminate the other suspects for a specific reason. Reasons for disqualification must be recorded by the group.
- Assume that there is one correct suspect.
- Assume that all data is correct and complete.
- You have approximately 30 minutes to choose the suspect.
- There must be substantial agreement in your group that the problem has been solved.
- You must solve the problem as a group.
- You may organize your work in any way that you please.

### WHO DID IT?

You are a member of an I-Team. A recent sexual assault has led to this meeting. The initial investigation has yielded a list of possible suspects. As there is considerable physical evidence in this case, the team is discussing the possibility of obtaining a search warrant for comparison purposes. Your assignment is to determine which suspect should be the subject of a search warrant.

### Facts uncovered by APS

Karen McHann, an eighty three year old female, was examined at the Emergency Room two weeks ago, on a Wednesday evening. During the examination, the doctor noticed a rash on her genital area. Further testing confirmed Syphilis. The alleged molestation was reported and a rape kit was completed.

Karen was interviewed by Adult Protective Services and Law Enforcement but did not disclose any information concerning the incident. Karen has aphasia post-stroke with limited verbal skills. The lab report disclosed the following: Karen has been sexually assaulted, most likely within twenty-four hours of her examination. Photographs were taken of a large human bite mark, located on her left buttock.

The investigation retraced Karen's activities for the twenty-four hour period preceding her examination. According to the reports, Karen lives with her daughter, Linda Newton. She also has on son who she sees regularly, Bill McHann. When advised of the molestation, Linda Newton immediately accused her brother. When Bill McHann was interviewed, he immediately accused Paul Strong, Linda Newton's boyfriend.

Karen attends Fairview adult day care program which is located across town. The program provides services to twenty-five elders with a variety of disabilities. Karen's supervision is provided by Jeff Green and Jennifer Singleton. Karen is dropped off at 8:00 a.m. and picked up

by a neighbor, Mike Eagleheart, at 3:30 p.m. Eagleheart has a grandfather in the day program. This procedure was followed on both Tuesday and Wednesday of the week in question.

Karen arrived home at 4:00 p.m. on Tuesday and was met by her daughter. She was picked up by her son at 6:00 p.m. and returned home at 9:00 p.m. Bill McHann lives with his oldest son, Rex McHann. Rex is Karen's grandson. When Karen arrived home at 9:00 p.m., present in the home were her daughter, Linda Newton, her daughter's boyfriend, Paul Strong, and her nephew Pete Podgerski. Linda reluctantly admitted that they all had been drinking heavily. Both Strong and Podgerski spent the night. Strong spent the night in Linda's room and only left the room when he got up in the morning to go to work.

On Wednesday morning, Linda helped dress Karen and took her to the day program as usual. Everything was normal. Karen remained there until picked up by Eagleheart.

## Fact Sheet #2

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- Your task is to select the most likely perpetrator and to eliminate the other suspects for a specific reason. Reasons for disqualification must be recorded by the group.
- Assume that there is one correct suspect.
- Assume that all data is correct and complete.
- You have approximately 30 minutes to choose the suspect.
- There must be substantial agreement in your group that the problem has been solved.
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### Facts uncovered by Law Enforcement

Karen McHann, an eighty three year old female, was examined at the Emergency Room two weeks ago, on a Wednesday evening. During the examination, the doctor noticed a rash on her genital area. Further testing confirmed Syphilis. The alleged molestation was reported and a rape kit was completed.

Karen was interviewed by Adult Protective Services and Law Enforcement but did not disclose any information concerning the incident. Karen has aphasia post-stroke with limited verbal skills. The lab report disclosed the following: Karen has been sexually assaulted, most likely within twenty-four hours of her examination. Her assailant has type B+ blood. A brown pubic hair, as well as an unidentified animal hair, were recovered from her clothing. Photographs were taken of a large human bite mark, located on her left buttock.

The investigation retraced Karen's activities for the twenty-four hour period preceding her examination. According to the reports, Karen lives with her daughter, Linda Newton. She also has on son who she sees regularly, Bill McHann. When advised of the molestation, Linda Newton immediately accused her brother. When Bill McHann was interviewed, he immediately accused Paul Strong, Linda Newton's boyfriend.

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Jeff Green and Jennifer Singleton. Karen is dropped off at 8:00 a.m. and picked up by a neighbor, Mike Eagleheart, at 3:30 p.m. Eagleheart has a grandfather in the day program. This procedure was followed on both Tuesday and Wednesday of the week in question.

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Karen attends Fairview adult day care program which is located across town. The program provides services to twenty-five individuals with disabilities. Karen's supervision is provided by Jeff Green and Jennifer Singleton. Karen is dropped off at 8:00 a.m. and picked up by a neighbor, Mike Eagleheart, at 3:30 p.m. Eagleheart has a grandfather in the day program. This procedure was followed on both Tuesday and Wednesday of the week in question.

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On Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, Jeff Green and Jennifer Singleton's group includes two individuals who engage in self injurious behaviors. Both workers have to be present at all times so one worker can provide 2 to 1 supervision while the other supervises the rest of the group. Jeff Green called in sick to work on Tuesday and Wednesday two weeks ago and a temporary worker, Janice Tibbs took his place.

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### Facts uncovered by Ombudsman

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Karen attends Fairview adult day care program which is located across town. The program provides services to twenty-five individuals with disabilities. Karen's supervision is provided by Jeff Green and Jennifer Singleton. Mike Rogge was hired last week as a substitute worker. Karen is dropped off at 8:00 a.m. and picked up by a neighbor, Mike Eagleheart, at 3:30 p.m.

Eagleheart has a grandfather in the day program. This procedure was followed on both Tuesday and Wednesday of the week in question.

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