LOCAL SERVICE ASSESSMENT CHECKLIST

Mentoring Assessment

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INSTRUCTIONS

Evaluate each feature of best practices in mentoring. Note areas of excellence and opportunities for improvement.

	Features/Indicators	Circle	One	Notes
1.	Do staff members receive the necessary training to do their jobs effectively?	YES	NO	
2.	Are staff members able to apply new skills learned in training to their daily routine?	YES	NO	
3.	Are there opportunities for ongoing staff development at the local level?	YES	NO	
4.	Are there opportunities for regularly-scheduled staff observation and mentoring sessions apart from the management evaluation process?	YES	NO	
5.	Are you provided with the training necessary to mentor your local staff in participant-centered communication skills?	YES	NO	
6.	Do you have the resources necessary to help staff learn and practice new skills?	YES	NO	
7.	Do multiple members of the staff assist in ongoing staff development?	YES	NO	
8.	Do staff members have the opportunity to observe their coworkers providing WIC services?	YES	NO	
9.	Is there a mechanism for all staff to offer suggestions for improvements to WIC service delivery?	YES	NO	
10.	Do clear communication systems exist to keep staff updated on policies and procedures?	YES	NO	
11.	Do staff members display teamwork and support each other?	YES	NO	