Guiding Questions for Service Plan Progress Discussions

- Was the parent engaged? Did s/he participate in the conversation?
- What did the parent do that demonstrated how open or receptive they were to the conversation?
- What ideas did the parent share in this conversation?
- What next steps did you and the parent outline?
- Who else was involved in the conversation? How do you see their involvement impacting the intervention?
- What new strengths were identified? What new challenges were identified?
- What supports does the family have available to them?
- What are the next steps? What support/tools/practice do you need to implement?
- How do you think the conversation/activity went? Did it go as you expected?
- How might the family's culture have impacted the outcome of the strategy?
- What do you think caused the parent to respond that way?
- What do you think this behavior means?
- What do you think made that approach work/not work?
- What would you do differently next time?
- What did you do to help make that happen/facilitate that change?
- How are you feeling about the outcome/how the strategy is going?
- What did you do when another family was having a similar challenge?
- How will you know when this strategy was successful? How will you know when it's time to try something new?
- Are there other ways of looking at this? What else might be going on?
- How did this progress increase the family's protective factors?