## DOCUMENTATION OF EFFORTS ATTEMPTED TO LOCATE ABSENT/NON-CUSTODIAL PARENT

Referral number:
• Supervisors will use this form to guide their conversation with caseworkers regarding locating both parents for all identified children.
All parents are identified for children and contact information is known. **
Information is in Trails under Contacts with at least one of the contact purposes being Family Search and Engagement.
**If this is checked, do not proceed with the rest of the form.
Name any other information known (i.e. last known address, phone number, relatives, etc) about Client(s) or unable to Locate:
Name(s) of known Clients:
The following areas have been completed by assigned caseworker:
Contact child's school to inquire name/contact info for absent/non-custodial parent
Conduct a TRAILS search for addresses and phone numbers of absent parent/call all numbers
Request police reports related to the incident of concern through Field Investigator
Spoke with current custodian for name/contact info of absent parent
Spoke with child(ren) re: name/contact info of absent parent
Co courts search of child(ren) name to see if DR/custody/APR orders exist that would list absent
Parent info./call all phone numbers
CJC and DOC inmate search
If caseworker is able to identify the absent parent, but has not been able to locate contact information, submit for diligent search.
* If above searches fail to locate the absent parent, Caseworker will email this form to the Field Investigator and CC their supervisor, requesting a COVIS and CBMS search.
Field Investigator Use Only – add information found
COVIS
CBMS

*If above searches fail to locate the absent parent and there is possible military affiliation with the absent parent, please email Sydney Forga with the absent parent's name: <a href="mailto:Sydneyforga@elpasoco.com">Sydneyforga@elpasoco.com</a>
*If caseworker follows up with leads provided from COVIS/CBMS search and still fails to locate absent parent, caseworker will email this form to Center on Fathering to request a child support search. Email form to <a href="mailto:DHSCenterOnFathering@elpasoco.com">DHSCenterOnFathering@elpasoco.com</a>
Center on Fathering Use Only- add information found
Child Support