

## Analysis

**Accuracy** – information must be accurate

**New** – new information can change the picture

**Acknowledge** – acknowledge missing or conflicting information

**Look** – examine information and how this may connect with other things we know

**You** – be mindful how your perspective/role impacts on how you interpret information

**Scepticism** – question information you have

**Investment** – who has a vested interest in how the information is interpreted

**Synthesis** – consider information in terms of the whole picture

## KSS of the Week! - KSS 7

### Analysis, Decision Making, Planning & Review



### The Anchor Principles



A sound analytical assessment will have...



### Social Work Decision TREE

Reaching analytical & ethical decisions requires social workers to draw on...

Theory  
Research  
Evidence  
Expertise

### Hypothesising...

#### Plan

**Hypothesise** about all the possibilities

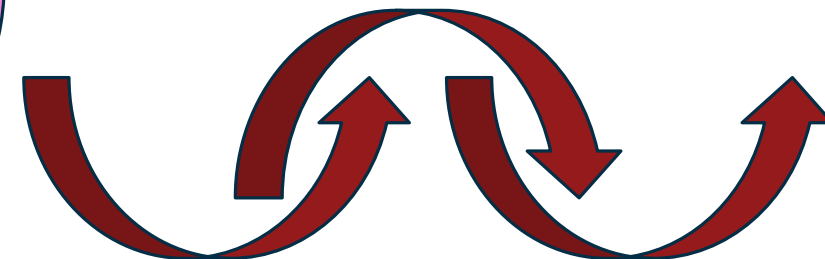
**Gather** information

**Test** hypothesis

**Analyse** & make judgements

**Decide** plan

Analysis & reflection should be happening at every stage of assessment!



What is the assessment for?

What is the story?

What does the story mean?

What needs to happen?

How will we know we are making progress?