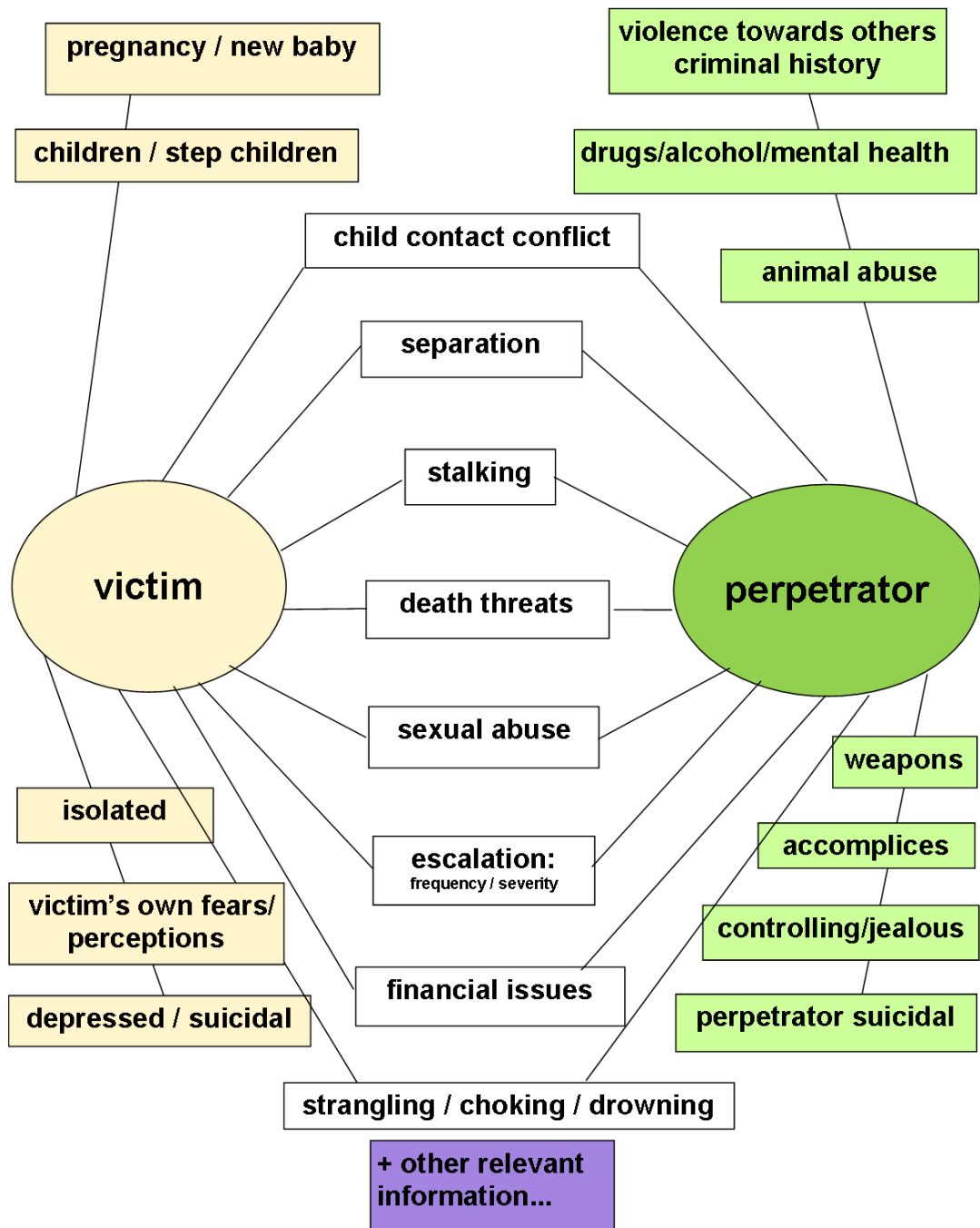


Dynamic Risk Assessment



D.A. Risk Assessment: definitions

PROFESSIONAL JUDGEMENT:

Professional: a person who engages in an activity with competence and skill. **Judgement:** being able to make an informed decision, based on a balanced viewpoint.

Use professional experience, in conjunction with the evidence based DASH Tool, to assist in identifying and grading risk.

Consult line managers and your agency MARAC representative:

SERIOUS HARM:

a risk that is life threatening and / or traumatic, and from which recovery, whether physical or psychological, can be expected to be difficult or impossible

Risk Levels:

STANDARD RISK:

current evidence does NOT indicate likelihood of causing **serious harm**

MEDIUM RISK:

there are identifiable indicators of risk of **serious harm**. Perpetrator has potential to cause **serious harm** but unlikely unless there is a change in circumstances

HIGH RISK:

there are identifiable indicators of **imminent** risk of **serious harm**.

Dynamic – could happen at any time and the impact would be serious

MARAC Rep details: