

RYAN WHITE MEDICAL CASE MANAGEMENT PSYCHOSOCIAL ASSESSMENT

Medical case managers are responsible for meeting with clients annually and semi-annually to assess and evaluate client acuity in seventeen areas of functioning.

- **Annually:** Complete all questions and acuity tables to determine acuity in each of the seventeen areas of functioning. Document notes and complete the four appendices as needed.
- **Semi-Annually:** Complete all questions and acuity tables to determine acuity in each of the seventeen areas of functioning. Document notes and complete the four appendices as needed.

To evaluate acuity and score each functional area's acuity box:

- Utilize information gathered (*i.e.*, responses to questions on the psychosocial assessment and/or information obtained through direct interaction with the client within the past thirty (30) days) to evaluate client acuity.
- Check boxes in each functional area's acuity table according to what best corresponds with the client's current state (*e.g.*, the client may have three intensive needs and one self-management need and all four boxes should be checked accordingly). At minimum, at least one box should be checked in each of the functional area's acuity tables.
- Determine acuity level for each area of functioning by taking the highest level of need checked in the acuity table and documenting it next to annual or semi-annual review accordingly.
 - If two or more levels of need are checked for any area of functioning, the client should be assigned the number corresponding to the highest level of need for that area of functioning (*e.g.*, if two boxes are checked for basic need (4) and one box is checked for moderate (6), the level of need for the functional area would be moderate (6)).
 - The highest score the client may ever receive per functional area is eight (8) (*e.g.*, if three boxes are checked for intensive need (8), the score would be eight (8), not 24).

To determine the total annual/semi-annual acuity score:

- Total (add) the numbers from each area of functioning's annual or semi-annual score and document this number in the "total annual acuity score" or "total semi-annual acuity score" accordingly.
- Utilize the total acuity score result to determine the frequency of contact with the client. Clients with an acuity score of:
 - 45 - 99 are considered an "intensive effort case" and requires contact with the client monthly at minimum and more frequently as needed.
 - 21 - 44 are considered a "moderate effort case" and requires contact with the client every three months at minimum and more frequently as needed.
 - 2 - 20 are considered a "basic effort case" and requires contact with the client every six months at minimum and more frequently as needed.

ASSESSMENT SIGN-OFF & TOTAL ACUITY SCORE	Total Annual Score=	
	Total Semi-Annual Review Score =	

**Reminder*- Review intake information with client to confirm that it is up-to-date.*

Client Legal Name: _____

Client Date of Birth: ____/____/____

Case Manager Name: _____

Case Management Agency: _____

Date of Annual Assessment: ____/____/____

Date of Semi-Annual Review: ____/____/____

Annual Assessment:

Case Manager Signature

____/____/____
Date

Semi-Annual Review:

Case Manager Signature

____/____/____
Date

2. HOUSING	Annual Score=	
	Semi-Annual Review Score=	

Evaluate the stability of the client's current housing situation, including safety, ability to meet payment responsibilities, risk for losing housing, and barriers towards obtaining/maintaining housing.

7. What is your past (check all that apply) and current living situation?

	Past	Current		Past	Current		Past	Current
Homeless/Street	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Transitional Housing	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Permanent Supportive Housing	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Homeless/Emergency Shelter	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Living with Relative/Friend	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Renting Unsubsidized Apartment	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Jail/Prison	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Hospital/Medical Facility	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Renting Subsidized Apartment	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Hotel/Motel	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Substance Abuse Treatment Facility	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Owning House/Apartment	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other: _____				<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			

8. Who do you currently live with? _____

9. Do you receive a housing subsidy and/or other form of financial assistance to pay your rent? Yes No

If YES: 9a. What rental assistance do you receive? _____

10. Do you access utility assistance (e.g., HEAP, PIPP)? Yes No

If YES: 10a. What utility assistance do you receive? _____

If NO: 10b. Would you like assistance with enrolling into a utility assistance program? Yes No

11. Do you have, or are you at risk of receiving, an eviction notice? Yes No

12. Do you have, or are you at risk of receiving, a utility disconnection notice? Yes No

13. Is your current housing habitable? Yes No

If NO: 13a. What are your housing concerns? _____

14. Do you have any current issues with bed bugs or other pests/rodents? Yes No

If YES: 14a. Have you reported the issue to your landlord? Yes No

Annual Notes:

Semi-Annual Notes:

Annual Referrals Needed/Made:

Semi-Annual Referrals Needed/Made:

Self-Management			Basic Need			Moderate Need			Intensive Need		
Annual	Review	Score = 0	Annual	Review	Score = 4	Annual	Review	Score = 6	Annual	Review	Score = 8
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Clean, habitable, stable, affordable housing	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Needs short-term assistance with rent/utilities to maintain stable housing	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Eviction imminent	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Homeless
			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Housing is in jeopardy	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Home completely uninhabitable due to health and/or safety hazards	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Recently evicted
			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Housing is marginally habitable	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Living in shelter	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Arrangements to stay with friends and family have fallen through
			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Formerly independent person temporarily residing with friends or relatives, reasonably stable	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Lives in transitional or temporary housing	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Not able to live independently and needs referrals (refer to responses from basic needs, medical needs, mental health, and substance abuse sections)

3. MEDICAL NEEDS	Annual Score=	
	Semi-Annual Review Score=	

Evaluate the client's quality of care to assure that the client is receiving comprehensive care, which will impact the client's HIV/AIDS, including primary, preventive, and specialty care.

If this is the client's first psychosocial assessment, complete the Client Historical Assessment (Appendix A) before proceeding

General Medical Care:

15. List the client's medical providers and date(s) of last visit (s) below:

Provider	Name of Provider(s)	Last Seen (Month/Year)
Primary Care		
HIV Specialist		
Other Specialists: (specify type) _____ _____ _____		

**If client identifies as transgender:*

15a. Do you need a referral and/or additional information on transgender health care? Yes No

16. Have you had any new diagnoses or medical changes in the past 6 months? Yes No

If YES: 16a. Please explain. _____

17. Have you ever been screened for Hepatitis C? Yes No Don't Know

If YES: 17a. Have you ever been diagnosed with Hepatitis C? Yes No

If YES: 17a1. Date of Diagnosis: ____/____/____

17a2. Have you ever been treated for Hepatitis C? Yes No

If YES: 17a2a. Date of Treatment: ____/____/____

If NO: 17b. Would you like to be screened for Hepatitis C? Yes No

18. Have you ever been screened for Syphilis? Yes No Don't Know

If YES: 18a. Have you ever been diagnosed with Syphilis? Yes No

If YES: 18a1. Date of Diagnosis: ____/____/____

18a2. Have you ever been treated for Syphilis? Yes No

If YES: 18a2a. Date of Treatment: ____/____/____

If NO: 18b. Would you like to be screened for Syphilis? Yes No

Provide education on risk factors, transmission, signs, and symptoms

19. When did you have your last HIV-related labs drawn?

CD4 Count: _____ Viral Load: _____ Lab Values Pending

Date: ____/____/____ Date: ____/____/____ No Labs Drawn

20. Were you hospitalized in the past 6 months? Yes No

If YES: 20a. What was the reason(s) you were hospitalized? _____

21. Are you experiencing any current symptoms (e.g., nausea, weight loss, night sweats)? Yes No

If YES: 21a. What symptoms are you experiencing? _____

4. CARE & MEDICATION ADHERENCE	Annual Score=	
	Semi-Annual Review Score=	

Evaluate the client's compliance with HIV/AIDS medications and its implications for transmission and drug resistance, including barriers towards taking medications, risk for transmitting the disease, and impact on quality of life from side effects from medications.

26. What medications have been prescribed to you and why?

List below, or attach a copy, of all medications prescribed to the client. Please specify in purpose section the reason the client is taking the medication. If the client indicates they are not taking medication(s) as prescribed, discuss methods to improve medication adherence.

Medication	Purpose	Frequency	Taken as Prescribed
			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

27. Do you have any medication concerns? Yes No

If YES: 27a. What are your medication concerns?

28. How are you currently getting your prescriptions filled? _____

29. In the past 7 days, how many HIV medication doses have you missed? _____

If 1 or more: 29a. What were the circumstances that caused you to miss these doses?

30. Where do you store your medications? _____

31. Are you experiencing any side effects with your medications? Yes No

If YES: 31a. Do you discuss these side effects with your health care provider? Yes No

If the client indicates they are not talking to a doctor, explore their plans to do so.

If NO: 31a1. How can I help you to facilitate this conversation? _____

32. In the past 6 months, have you missed any medical appointments? Yes No

If YES: 32a. How many medical appointments have you missed? _____

If 1 or more: 32a1. What were the circumstances that caused you to miss these appointments?

CARE & MEDICATION ADHERENCE, continued

Annual Notes:

Semi-Annual Notes:

Annual Referrals Needed/Made:

Semi-Annual Referrals Needed/Made:

Self-Management			Basic Need			Moderate Need			Intensive Need		
Annual	Review	Score = 0	Annual	Review	Score = 4	Annual	Review	Score = 6	Annual	Review	Score = 8
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Adherent to medications as prescribed for 6 months without assistance	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Newly diagnosed	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Requires ongoing assistance for adherence to medications and treatment plan	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Resistance/minimal adherence to medications and treatment plan even with assistance
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Able to maintain primary care	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Adherent to medications in the last 6 months with minimal assistance	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Moderate adverse side effects that occasionally impact adherence	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Refuses/declines to take medications against medical advice
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Keeps medical appointments as scheduled	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Has attended all HIV medical appointments in the last 6 months but may have missed an appointment within the last 12 months or has rescheduled multiple appointments	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Misses several doses of scheduled HIV medications weekly	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Medical care is sporadic due to many missed appointments (refer to responses from <u>Medical Needs section</u>)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Not currently being prescribed medications-not medically indicated				<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Takes long/extended "drug holidays" against medical advice	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Only uses emergency department in lieu of primary care (refer to responses from <u>Medical Needs section</u>)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Expresses no issues with side effects or schedule				<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Has missed one or two HIV medical appointments in the last 6 months	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Inability to take meds as scheduled; requires professional assistance to take meds and keep appointments
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Can name or describe current medications and common side effects				<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Experiences significant adverse side effects that impacts adherence
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Can identify the importance of medication adherence									

5. MENTAL HEALTH	Annual Score=	
	Semi-Annual Review Score=	

Evaluate the client's mental health status and the impact of this status on client functioning in all areas of the client's life.

33. How do you manage difficult feelings or situations?

34. Do you have any current unmet mental health concerns or symptoms? Yes No

If YES: 34a. Please explain. _____

Use clinical judgement to determine if anxiety (GAD-7 Appendix B) and/or depression (PHQ-9 Appendix C) screens are needed and proceed accordingly.

35. Have you ever received a mental health diagnosis? Yes No

If YES: 35a. What was the diagnosis? _____

36. Have you ever been hospitalized for mental health concerns? Yes No

If YES: 36a. When were you hospitalized? _____

37. Are you currently linked to any mental health care provider(s)? Yes No

If YES: Record provider(s) in the table below.

If NO: 37a. Would you like a referral for mental health services? Yes No

Name of Provider(s)	Phone Number	Last Seen (Month/Year)

Annual Notes:

Semi-Annual Notes:

Annual Referrals Needed/Made:

Semi-Annual Referrals Needed/Made:

Self-Management			Basic Need			Moderate Need			Intensive Need		
Annual	Review	Score = 0	Annual	Review	Score = 4	Annual	Review	Score = 6	Annual	Review	Score = 8
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	No history of mental illness, psychological disorders or psychotropic medications	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Needs emotional support to avert crisis	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Experiencing an acute episode and/or crisis*	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Unable to adhere to prescribed psychiatric medications* (refer to responses from care and medication adherence section)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	No need for counseling referral	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	History of mental health disorders/treatment in client	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Clinical diagnosis with current mental health provider but inconsistent treatment compliance*	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Danger to self or others**
			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Clinical diagnosis with current mental health provider and consistent treatment compliance	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	History of inpatient mental health hospitalizations within last 12 months*	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Needs immediate psychiatric assessment/evaluation/treatment**
			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Client desires mental health services	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Requires Part B pre-authorization for services	*Conduct an anxiety (GAD-7) and depression screen (PHQ-9) **Refer to immediate crisis intervention		
						*Conduct an anxiety (GAD-7) and depression screen (PHQ-9)					

SUBSTANCE ABUSE, continued

Self-Management			Basic Need			Moderate Need			Intensive Need		
Annual	Review	Score = 0	Annual	Review	Score = 4	Annual	Review	Score = 6	Annual	Review	Score = 8
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	No current or past issues with alcohol or drug use	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Current or recent drug or alcohol use does not interfere with adherence to care, treatment, and/or activities of daily living but indicates need for additional support or regular check-in* (refer to responses from DAST-20)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Current or recent drug or alcohol use that sometimes interferes with adherence to HIV care and/or daily living (refer to responses from care and medication adherence section)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Chronic daily use or dependence that consistently interferes with adherence to HIV care and treatment and/or activities of daily living
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	In stable recovery with sufficient supports, and no indication of need for additional support	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	In recovery for 12 months or less	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Currently or intermittently in substance abuse treatment	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Refusal to connect to substance abuse treatment
			*Refer to AOD supportive services (e.g., AA, CA, NA)			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Indication of need for clinical substance use assessment	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Doesn't acknowledge negative impact on health and safety from substance abuse
						<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Participating in a needle access program	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Substance use while pregnant (refer to responses from care and medical needs section)
									<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Sharing needles; not participating in a needle access program

7. ORAL HEALTH	Annual Score=	
	Semi-Annual Review Score=	

Evaluate the client's need for regular dental care and/or their ability/willingness to address dental issues as they arise.

44. Do you have a dentist? Yes No

If YES: 44a. What is the name of your dentist? _____

45. When was the last time you saw a dentist? Date of last visit: ____/____/____

46. Do you have any current dental health concerns (e.g., pain, difficulty eating)? Yes No

If YES: 46a. What is the concern? _____

46b. Are you currently seeing a dentist to address this concern? Yes No

If applicable: 47. Would you be interested in a referral to a dentist? Yes No

Annual Notes:

Semi-Annual Notes:

Annual Referrals Needed/Made:

Semi-Annual Referrals Needed/Made:

Self-Management			Basic Need			Moderate Need			Intensive Need		
Annual	Review	Score = 0	Annual	Review	Score = 3	Annual	Review	Score = 4	Annual	Review	Score = 5
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Is currently in active dental care	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Does not have a regular dentist	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Reports episodic pain and/or sensitivity in teeth, gums or mouth	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Current tooth, gum or mouth pain and severe discomfort
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Has seen dentist in past six months	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	No dental insurance or needs co-pay assistance (refer to responses from health insurance and financial planning sections)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Missing days from work because of problems with teeth, gums or mouth	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Very few or no teeth and no denture plan in place
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	No complaint of mouth, tongue, tooth or gum pain	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Has not seen a dentist in more than six months	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Observe appearance of dark, discolored teeth, missing teeth, bleeding, red gums or other problems with mouth	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Client reports significant difficulty eating due to oral health problems
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Client has means for paying for oral health care				<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Client reports episodic or moderate difficulty eating	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Client has difficulty talking because of oral health problems
						<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Part B Dental pre-authorization required	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Client needs emergency dental services

FINANCIAL PLANNING / COUNSELING, continued

Self-Management			Basic Need			Moderate Need			Intensive Need		
Annual	Review	Score = 0	Annual	Review	Score = 3	Annual	Review	Score = 4	Annual	Review	Score = 5
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Steady source of income which is not in jeopardy	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Has steady source of income which is in jeopardy	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	No income or income is inadequate to consistently meet basic needs	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Immediate need for emergency financial assistance
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Able to meet monthly obligations	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Occasional need for financial assistance	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Unfamiliar with application process for benefits	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Needs referral to representative payee (<u>refer to responses from developmental disabilities section</u>)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	No financial planning or counseling required	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Awaiting outcome of benefits applications	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Unable to apply without benefit assistance	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Benefits denied or under appeal and has no financial support
			<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Needs information about benefits, financial matters	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Needs financial planning & counseling			

10. TRANSPORTATION	Annual Score=	
	Semi-Annual Review Score=	

Evaluate the client's ability to get to medical appointments and other support service visits.

59. How do you get to your HIV-related appointments and services such as medical, mental health, food, etc.?

- Bus
 Personal Vehicle
 Ride from Family/Friend
 Cab
 Other: _____

60. Do you have difficulty arranging transportation? Yes No

If YES: 60a. What are the barriers in arranging transportation?

61. Can we assist you in accessing your eligible transportation resources (e.g., Medicaid transportation, Ryan White bus passes/gas cards)? Yes No

Annual Notes:

Semi-Annual Notes:

Annual Referrals Needed/Made:

Semi-Annual Referrals Needed/Made:

Self-Management			Basic Need			Moderate Need			Intensive Need		
Annual	Review	Score = 0	Annual	Review	Score = 3	Annual	Review	Score = 4	Annual	Review	Score = 5
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Has own or other means of transportation consistently available	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Has limited access to transportation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	No means via self/others	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Lack of transportation is a serious contributing factor to current crisis (<u>refer to responses from medical needs section</u>)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Can afford private or public transportation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Needs occasional assistance with finances for transportation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	In area not served or under served by public transportation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Lack of transportation is a serious contributing factor to lack of regular medical care (<u>refer to medical needs and care and medication adherence sections</u>)
						<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Unaware of or needs help accessing transportation services	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Consistently unreliable in coordinating transportation to and from appointments (<u>refer to medical needs and care and medication adherence sections</u>)
						<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Unable to use public transportation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Requires ongoing assistance for transportation
						<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Has physical or emotional challenges that limit ability to coordinate transportation (<u>refer to responses from basic needs, mental health, and developmental disability sections</u>)			

11. LANGUAGE & LITERACY	Annual Score=	
	Semi-Annual Review Score=	

Evaluate the client's need for interpretation and translation services.

****Review preferred language, need for an interpreter, and need for assistance with reading/writing on intake form to determine acuity level****

Annual Notes:

Semi-Annual Notes:

Semi-Annual Referrals Needed/Made:

Annual Referrals Needed/Made:

Self-Management			Basic Need			Moderate Need			Intensive Need		
Annual	Review	Score = 0	Annual	Review	Score = 3	Annual	Review	Score = 4	Annual	Review	Score = 5
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Understands service system and is able to navigate it	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Demonstrates basic understanding of information with some assistance	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Needs appropriate interpretation services for medical/case management services	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Always needs interpretation for all services
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Language and literacy are not barriers to accessing services							<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Functionally illiterate

12. DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITY	Annual Score=	
	Semi-Annual Review Score=	

Evaluate the client's ability to manage their own affairs if living with a developmental disability.

62. Have you ever been diagnosed with a Developmental Disability? Yes No

If YES: 62a. Please explain. _____

63. Are you currently linked to a Developmental Disability service? Yes No

If YES: 63a. What Developmental Disability service do you receive? _____

If YES: 63b. What is the name of the agency that provides you with Disability Services? _____

64. Did you ever have problems in school? Yes No

If YES: 64a. Please explain. _____

Annual Notes:

Semi-Annual Notes:

Semi-Annual Referrals Needed/Made:

Annual Referrals Needed/Made:

Self-Management			Basic Need			Moderate Need			Intensive Need		
Annual	Review	Score = 0	Annual	Review	Score = 3	Annual	Review	Score = 4	Annual	Review	Score = 5
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	No signs of impairment	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Signs of impairment with no diagnosis	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Diagnosis of Developmental (DD) Disability with DD Services in place	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	DD Diagnosis without DD Services
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Has ability to function independently									

13. SAFETY	Annual Score=	
	Semi-Annual Review Score=	

Evaluate the client's experience with, and level of risk for, emotional, physical, and/or sexual abuse, neglect, and/or human trafficking.

****Remind the client that at this point in the assessment process, you would like to meet with them alone. Also, remind the client about confidentiality and its limits (e.g., mandated reporting).****

If there is an indication of potential or current domestic violence, based upon your clinical judgement and/or responses to the following questions, review with the client options for referrals, such as domestic violence services, human trafficking outreach, rape crisis centers, mental health services, etc.

65. Do you currently have any personal safety concerns? Yes No

If YES: 65a. Please explain.

66. Have you been affected by domestic violence? Yes No

If YES: 66a. Please explain.

67. Is anyone hurting and/or threatening you, making you feel afraid, or forcing you to do something against your will?

Yes No

If YES: 67a. Who and how? _____

68. Are you being forced by another person to engage in sexual acts to receive needs (e.g., food, clothing, shelter, drugs, money, protection, etc.)? Yes No

If YES: 68a. Please explain. _____

69. Are your IDs or passports unwillingly being held by another person? Yes No

If YES: 69a. Please explain. _____

70. Have you ever been involved with Child Protective Services? Yes No

71. Have you ever been involved with Adult Protective Services? Yes No

72. Are there any firearms in your home? Yes No

Annual Notes:

Semi-Annual Notes:

Semi-Annual Referrals Needed/Made:

Annual Referrals Needed/Made:

Self-Management			Basic Need			Moderate Need			Intensive Need		
Annual	Review	Score = 0	Annual	Review	Score = 3	Annual	Review	Score = 4	Annual	Review	Score = 5
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	No history or current instances of abuse or domestic violence	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	History, past relationships with violence	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Agency(ies) involved due to signs of potential abuse (emotional, sexual, physical)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Medical, legal or outside intervention has occurred
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Client feels safe				<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Reports current violent episodes	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Life-threatening violence and/or abuse chronically and presently occurring*
						<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Unsafe history and pattern in current relationship	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Volatile home environment
						<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Involvement with Child Protective Services	*Refer to domestic violence resources		

14. SUPPORT SYSTEM	Annual Score=	
	Semi-Annual Review Score=	

Evaluate the client's level of connectedness to others and need for assistance with disclosing their HIV status.

73. Who are the people you go to when you feel like you need support (e.g., friends or family)?

74. How satisfied are you with your support system?

- Very Dissatisfied Dissatisfied Neutral Satisfied Very Satisfied

If applicable: 74a. What could help to increase your satisfaction?

75. Who have you chosen to share your health status with? (Include name and relationship to client)

76. Is disclosing your health status something that you are considering? Yes No

If YES: 76a. Would you like support and/or resources on disclosing your diagnosis to family or friends? Yes No

77. Would you be interested in receiving information about social opportunities? Yes No

Annual Notes:

Semi-Annual Notes:

Annual Referrals Needed/Made:

Semi-Annual Referrals Needed/Made:

Self-Management			Basic Need			Moderate Need			Intensive Need		
Annual	Review	Score = 0	Annual	Review	Score = 2	Annual	Review	Score = 3	Annual	Review	Score = 4
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Indicates satisfactory social support	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Indicates adequate support systems, but identified need for additional supports	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Indicates inadequate support system	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Indicates no identified support system
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Has disclosed HIV status to all sexual and drug injection partners and household members (refer to substance abuse and legal issues sections)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Has disclosed HIV status to most members of the household and sexual or drug injection partners, but requests disclosure support (refer to substance abuse and legal issues sections)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Reports feeling isolated or unsupported in relationships	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Has not disclosed HIV status to any members of the household including sexual and drug injection partners (potential barrier to medication adherence, risk for transmission) (refer to substance abuse and legal issues sections)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Does not identify disclosure of HIV status as a barrier to medication adherence				<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Has not disclosed HIV status to all members of the household, including some sexual or drug injection partners (potential barrier to medication adherence, risk for transmission) (refer to substance abuse and legal issues sections)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Death/loss of primary support person

SEXUAL HEALTH / RISK REDUCTION, continued

Self-Management			Basic Need			Moderate Need			Intensive Need		
Annual	Review	Score = 0	Annual	Review	Score = 2	Annual	Review	Score = 3	Annual	Review	Score = 4
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Abstaining from risky behavior by safer practices	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Often uses protection during sex (more than 50%)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Seldom uses protection during sex (less than 50%)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Never uses protection during sex (0%)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Client has good understanding of risk reduction/transmission (refer to <u>knowledge of HIV disease section</u>)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Sero-discordant couple, partner is using PrEP or protection	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Has access to protection and sometimes able to negotiate use	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Engages in sex with multiple partners without protection
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Understands the importance of preventing the spread of HIV (refer to <u>knowledge of HIV disease section</u>)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Sero-concordant couple, both virally suppressed	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Sero-discordant couple, partner interested in PrEP or protection	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	No or limited access to protection, and unable to negotiate use with sexual partners
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Understands the importance of avoiding reinfection (refer to <u>knowledge of HIV disease section</u>)							<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Sero-discordant couple, not using PrEP or protection
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Engages in sex with one or multiple partners, always uses protection							<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Engages in commercial sex work (exchange for money, food, drugs, or survival)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Sero-discordant couple, virally suppressed client, partner is using PrEP or protection									

ADDITIONAL NOTES

Annual Notes:

Semi-Annual Notes:

Annual Referrals Needed/Made:

Semi-Annual Referrals Needed/Made:

Appendix A: Client Historical Assessment

RYAN WHITE MEDICAL CASE MANAGEMENT CLIENT HISTORICAL ASSESSMENT

Client Legal Name: _____

Client Date of Birth: ____/____/____

Case Manager Name: _____

Case Management Agency: _____

Client ID: _____

Date Assessment: ____/____/____

Have you ever been diagnosed with any of the following Opportunistic Infections (OIs)? No

Please see Appendix A for Glossary of Opportunistic Infections.

Diagnosis:	Date:
<input type="checkbox"/> Candida Esophagitis	
<input type="checkbox"/> Cryptococcal Meningitis	
<input type="checkbox"/> Cryptosporidiosis	
<input type="checkbox"/> Cytomegalovirus-eyes (CMV)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Disseminated Mycobacterium Avium Complex (MAC)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Encephalopathy (HIV Dementia)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Histoplasmosis	
<input type="checkbox"/> Invasive Cervical Cancer	
<input type="checkbox"/> Invasive Herpes Simplex infection	
<input type="checkbox"/> Isosporiasis (with diarrhea for more than a month)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Kaposi's Sarcoma (KS)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Lymphoma-type	
<input type="checkbox"/> Pneumocystis pneumonia (PCP)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Progressive Multifocal Leukoencephalopathy (PML)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Recurrent Bacterial Pneumonia	
<input type="checkbox"/> Retinitis (CMV)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Salmonella	
<input type="checkbox"/> T-cell count <200	
<input type="checkbox"/> Toxoplasmosis	
<input type="checkbox"/> Tuberculosis (TB)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Wasting Syndrome	
<input type="checkbox"/> Other:	

Have you ever been diagnosed with any of the following? No

Diagnosis:	Date:
<input type="checkbox"/> Cancer	
<input type="checkbox"/> Chlamydia	
<input type="checkbox"/> Cholesterol/Triglycerides	
<input type="checkbox"/> Chronic Yeast Infections	
<input type="checkbox"/> Diabetes	
<input type="checkbox"/> Epilepsy (seizure disorder)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Gonorrhea	
<input type="checkbox"/> Heart Disease	
<input type="checkbox"/> Hepatitis A	
<input type="checkbox"/> Hepatitis B	
<input type="checkbox"/> Hepatitis C	
<input type="checkbox"/> Herpes Simplex	
<input type="checkbox"/> Human Papillomavirus (HPV)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Hypertension	
<input type="checkbox"/> Liver Disease (Cirrhosis)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Other STDs: _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Syphilis	
<input type="checkbox"/> TBI (Traumatic Brain Injury)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Other condition(s): _____	

APPENDIX A: GLOSSARY OF OPPORTUNISTIC INFECTIONS

Candida Esophagitis or Esophageal thrush is a yeast infection of the throat.

Cryptococcal meningitis is a fungal infection of the tissues covering the brain and spinal cord (meninges). Cryptococci's is not contagious and it is caused by a fungus.

Cryptosporidiosis (crypto) is an illness caused by a parasite. The parasite lives in soil, food and water. It may also be on surfaces that have been contaminated with waste. You can become infected if you swallow the parasite.

Cytomegalovirus (CMV) is a common virus that can infect almost anyone. Most people don't know they have CMV because it rarely causes symptoms. It is a part of the herpes virus family. Once a person has had a CMV infection, the virus usually lies dormant (or inactive) in the body, but it can be reactivated. The virus is more likely to be reactivated — and cause serious illness — in people who have weakened immune systems due to illness.

CMV retinitis is an infection that attacks the light-sensing cells in the retina. It is a serious disease that should be diagnosed and treated immediately, because it can lead to loss of vision, and in the worst cases, blindness.

Mycobacterium avium complex (MAC) is a group of bacteria that are related to tuberculosis. These germs are very common in food, water, and soil. MAC is an opportunistic infection that takes advantage of a weakened immune system. It can infect one part of your body, such as your lungs, bones, or intestines. This is called localized infection. It can spread and cause disease throughout your body. This is called disseminated infection.

Encephalopathy or HIV dementia is a condition that leads to the loss of intellectual abilities such as memory, judgment, and abstract thinking. It can also cause changes in personality. AIDS Dementia Complex (or ADC) is a type of dementia that occurs in advanced stages of AIDS.

Histoplasmosis is a fungal infection and grows as a mold in the soil. You may get sick when you breathe in spores produced by the fungus.

Invasive Cervical Cancer is cancer that has spread from the surface of the cervix to tissue deeper in the cervix or to other parts of the body.

Invasive Herpes Simplex infection is known as genital herpes and is a common STD. Genital herpes is caused by two types of viruses. The viruses are called herpes simplex type 1 and herpes simplex type 2. Most people with the virus don't have symptoms. It is important to know that even without signs of the disease; it can still spread to sexual partners.

Isosporiasis is a disease caused by the protozoan *Isospora belli*. The organism infects the lining of the small intestine and can cause severe diarrhea and malabsorption (an inability to absorb nutrients).

Kaposi's sarcoma (KS) is a type of cancer that mainly affects the skin, mouth, and lymph nodes (infection-fighting glands) but can also affect other organs such as the lungs and gastrointestinal tract.

Lymphomas are cancers that affect the white blood cells of the lymph system, part of the body's immune system. The lymph system is made up of the following: Lymph, Lymph vessels, Lymph nodes, Spleen, Thymus, Tonsils and Bone marrow.

Pneumocystis pneumonia (PCP) is a serious infection that causes inflammation and fluid buildup in the lungs. It is caused by a fungus likely spread through the air and is very common.

Progressive multifocal leukoencephalopathy (PML) is a brain disorder that affects the white matter part of the brain, specifically targeting the cells that make myelin (an oily substance that helps protect nerve cells in the brain and spinal cord).

Recurring pneumonia is a serious health condition that involves chronic inflammation or infection in one or both lungs.

Salmonella is a type of food poisoning caused by the *Salmonella enteric* bacterium. You can get salmonellosis by eating food contaminated with salmonella.

Toxoplasmosis is an infection due to the parasite *Toxoplasma gondi*. This infection is caused by a microscopic parasite that can live inside the cells of humans and animals, especially cats and farm animals.

Tuberculosis, commonly known as TB, is a bacterial infection that can spread through the lymph nodes and bloodstream to any organ in your body. It is most often found in the lungs. Most people who are exposed to TB never develop symptoms because the bacteria can live in an inactive form in the body. But if the immune system weakens, such as in people with HIV or elderly adults, TB bacteria can become active. In their active state, TB bacteria cause death of tissue in the organs they infect.

AIDS wasting syndrome is when a person loses at least 10 percent of her body weight and has at least 30 days of either diarrhea or weakness and fever. A person with HIV-associated wasting is considered to have AIDS. Severe loss of weight and muscle, or lean body mass, leads to muscle weakness and organ failure.

Appendix B: Anxiety Screen (GAD-7)

GAD-7

Identifier

Date

Please read each statement and record a number 0, 1, 2 or 3 which indicates how much the statement applied to you over the past two weeks. There are no right or wrong answers. Do not spend too much time on any one statement. This assessment is not intended to be a diagnosis. If you are concerned about your results in any way, please speak with a qualified health professional.

0 = Not at all 1 = Several days 2 = More than half the days 3 = Nearly every day

1 Feeling nervous, anxious or on edge

2 Not being able to stop or control worrying

3 Worrying too much about different things

4 Trouble relaxing

5 Being so restless that it is hard to sit still

6 Becoming easily annoyed or irritable

7 Feeling afraid as if something awful might happen

Total GAD-7 score =

Privacy - please note - this form neither saves nor transmits any information about you or your assessment scores. If you wish to keep your results you will need to print this document. These results are intended as a guide to your health and are presented for educational purposes only. They are not intended to be a clinical diagnosis. If you are concerned in any way about your health, please consult with a qualified health professional.

Scoring guide

Normal	Mild	Moderate	Severe
0 - 4	5 - 9	10 - 14	15 - 21

The maximum score of the GAD-7 is 21, lower scores are better. Scores are assigned in the following manner:

0 = Not at all 1 = Several days 2 = More than half the days 3 = Nearly every day

The total score is simply the sum of question items one through seven. Scores of 5, 10 and 15 are taken as the cut off points for mild, moderate, and severe anxiety respectively. When used as a screening tool, further evaluation is recommended should the score be ten or greater.

Using the threshold score of 10, the GAD-7 has a sensitivity of 89% and a specificity of 82% for generalised anxiety disorder. It is moderately good at screening three other common anxiety disorders - panic disorder (sensitivity 74%, specificity 81%), social anxiety disorder (sensitivity 72%, specificity 80%), and post-traumatic stress disorder (sensitivity 66%, specificity 81%).

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Appendix C: Depression Screen (PHQ-9)

PATIENT HEALTH QUESTIONNAIRE (PHQ-9)

NAME: _____

DATE: _____

Over the *last 2 weeks*, how often have you been bothered by any of the following problems?
(use “✓” to indicate your answer)

	Not at all	Several days	More than half the days	Nearly every day
1. Little interest or pleasure in doing things	0	1	2	3
2. Feeling down, depressed, or hopeless	0	1	2	3
3. Trouble falling or staying asleep, or sleeping too much	0	1	2	3
4. Feeling tired or having little energy	0	1	2	3
5. Poor appetite or overeating	0	1	2	3
6. Feeling bad about yourself—or that you are a failure or have let yourself or your family down	0	1	2	3
7. Trouble concentrating on things, such as reading the newspaper or watching television	0	1	2	3
8. Moving or speaking so slowly that other people could have noticed. Or the opposite—being so fidgety or restless that you have been moving around a lot more than usual	0	1	2	3
9. Thoughts that you would be better off dead, or of hurting yourself in some way	0	1	2	3

add columns: + +

(Healthcare professional: For interpretation of **TOTAL**, please refer to accompanying scoring card.) **TOTAL:**

10. If you checked off *any* problems, how *difficult* have these problems made it for you to do your work, take care of things at home, or get along with other people?

Not difficult at all _____

Somewhat difficult _____

Very difficult _____

Extremely difficult _____

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PHQ-9 QUICK DEPRESSION ASSESSMENT

For initial diagnosis:

1. Patient completes PHQ-9 Quick Depression Assessment on accompanying tear-off pad.
2. If there are at least 4 ✓s in the blue highlighted section (including Questions #1 and #2), consider a depressive disorder. Add score to determine severity.
3. **Consider Major Depressive Disorder**
—if there are at least 5 ✓s in the blue highlighted section (one of which corresponds to Question #1 or #2)
Consider Other Depressive Disorder
—if there are 2 to 4 ✓s in the blue highlighted section (one of which corresponds to Question #1 or #2)

Note: Since the questionnaire relies on patient self-report, all responses should be verified by the clinician and a definitive diagnosis made on clinical grounds, taking into account how well the patient understood the questionnaire, as well as other relevant information from the patient. Diagnoses of Major Depressive Disorder or Other Depressive Disorder also require impairment of social, occupational, or other important areas of functioning (Question #10) and ruling out normal bereavement, a history of a Manic Episode (Bipolar Disorder), and a physical disorder, medication, or other drug as the biological cause of the depressive symptoms.

To monitor severity over time for newly diagnosed patients or patients in current treatment for depression:

1. Patients may complete questionnaires at baseline and at regular intervals (eg, every 2 weeks) at home and bring them in at their next appointment for scoring or they may complete the questionnaire during each scheduled appointment.
2. Add up ✓s by column. For every ✓: Several days = 1 More than half the days = 2 Nearly every day = 3
3. Add together column scores to get a TOTAL score.
4. Refer to the accompanying PHQ-9 Scoring Card to interpret the TOTAL score.
5. Results may be included in patients' files to assist you in setting up a treatment goal, determining degree of response, as well as guiding treatment intervention.

PHQ-9 SCORING CARD FOR SEVERITY DETERMINATION

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Scoring—add up all checked boxes on PHQ-9

For every ✓: Not at all = 0; Several days = 1;
More than half the days = 2; Nearly every day = 3

Interpretation of Total Score

Total Score	Depression Severity
0-4	None
5-9	Mild depression
10-14	Moderate depression
15-19	Moderately severe depression
20-27	Severe depression

Appendix D: Substance Abuse Screen (DAST-20)

Drug Use Questionnaire (DAST-20)

Name: _____

Case Number: _____

Charges: _____

Test Date: _____

Score: _____

Preliminary Comments

Adapted from language provided by Dr. Harvey Skinner (January 5, 2009)

The following questions concern your potential involvement with drugs other than alcohol. When you answer the questions, remember that the term “drug abuse” does not include alcohol. Instead, it refers to your use of prescribed or over the counter drugs in excess of the recommended dosage. For example, if you were given a prescription for pain killers, but took more than you were supposed to, that would be included. The phrase “drug abuse” also includes *any* non-medical drug use, including illegal drugs. This includes substances like marijuana, valium, cocaine, amphetamines, LSD, and heroin. Remember that the term “drug abuse” does not include alcohol. If you have difficulty with a statement, then choose the response that is mostly right.

Do you understand?

Questions

These questions refer to the past 12 months.

Circle the
Response

- | | | |
|--|-----|----|
| 1. Have you used drugs other than those required for medical reasons? | Yes | No |
| 2. Have you abused prescription drugs? | Yes | No |
| 3. Do you abuse more than one drug at a time? | Yes | No |
| 4. Can you get through the week without using drugs? | Yes | No |
| 5. Are you always able to stop using drugs when you want to? | Yes | No |
| 6. Have you had “blackouts” or “flashbacks” as a result of drug use? | Yes | No |
| 7. Do you ever feel bad or guilty about your drug use? | Yes | No |
| 8. Does your spouse (or parents) ever complain about your involvement with drugs? | Yes | No |
| 9. Has drug abuse created problems between you and your spouse or your parents? | Yes | No |
| 10. Have you lost friends because of your use of drugs? | Yes | No |
| 11. Have you neglected your family because of your use of drugs? | Yes | No |
| 12. Have you been in trouble at work (or school) because of drug abuse? | Yes | No |
| 13. Have you lost your job because of drug abuse? | Yes | No |
| 14. Have you gotten into fights when under the influence of drugs? | Yes | No |
| 15. Have you engaged in illegal activities in order to obtain drugs? | Yes | No |
| 16. Have you been arrested for possession of illegal drugs? | Yes | No |
| 17. Have you ever experienced withdrawal symptoms (felt sick) when you stopped taking drugs? | Yes | No |
| 18. Have you had medical problems as a result of your drug use? (e.g. memory loss, hepatitis, convulsions, bleeding, etc.) | Yes | No |
| 19. Have you gone to anyone for help for a drug problem? | Yes | No |
| 20. Have you been involved in a treatment program specifically related to drug use? | Yes | No |

Scoring the DAST-20

Adopted or excerpted from materials provided by Dr. Harvey Skinner (January 5, 2009)

Scoring The DAST-20

Score 1 point for each question answered "yes," except for Questions 4 and 5, for which a "no" receives 1 point.

DAST-20 Interpretation Guide

Score	Severity	Intervention Recommended
0	N/A	N/A
1 – 5	Low	Brief Intervention
6-10	Intermediate (likely meets DSM criteria)	Outpatient (Intensive)
11-15	Substantial	Intensive
16-20	Severe	Intensive

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