### **Addiction Severity Index 5th Edition**

Clinical/Training Version

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Remember: This is an interview, not a test

INTRODUCING THE ASI: Introduce and explain the seven potential problem areas: Medical, Employment/Support Status, Alcohol, Drug, Legal, Family/Social, and Psychiatric. All clients receive this same standard interview. All information gathered is confidential; explain what that means in your facility; who has access to the information and the process for the release of information.

There are two time periods we will discuss:

- 1. The past 30 days
- 2. Lifetime

<u>Patient Rating Scale:</u> Patient input is important. For each area, I will ask you to use this scale to let me know how bothered you have been by any problems in each section. I will also ask you how important treatment is for you for the area being discussed.

The scale is:

- 0 Not at all
- 1 Slightly
- 2 Moderately
- 3 Considerably
- 4 Extremely

Inform the client that he/she has the right to refuse to answer any question. If the client is uncomfortable or feels it is too personal or painful to give an answer, instruct the client not to answer. Explain the benefits and advantages of answering as many questions as possible in terms of developing a comprehensive and effective treatment plan to help them.

Please try not give inaccurate information!

### **INTERVIEWER INSTRUCTIONS:**

- 1.Leave no blanks.
- 2.Make plenty of Comments (if another person reads this ASI, they should have a relatively complete picture of the client's perceptions of his/her problems).
- 3.X = Question not answered.
- N = Question not applicable.
- 4. Terminate interview if client misrepresents two or more sections.
- 5. When noting comments, please write the question number.
- 6. Tutorial/clarification notes are preceded with "•".

### **HALF TIME RULE:**

If a question asks the number of months, round up periods of 14 days or more to 1 month. Round up 6 months or more to 1 year.

**CONFIDENCE RATINGS:**⇒ Last two items in each section.

- ⇒ Do not over-interpret.
- ⇒ Denial does not necessarily warrant misrepresentation.
- ⇒ Misrepresentation = overt contradiction in information.

Probe, cross-check and make plenty of comments!

### HOLLINGSHEAD CATEGORIES:

- 1. Higher execs, major professionals, owners of large businesses.
- 2. Business managers if medium sized businesses, lesser professions, i.e., nurses, opticians, pharmacists, social workers, teachers.
- 3. Administrative personnel, managers, minor professionals, owners/proprietors of small businesses, i.e., bakery, car dealership, engraving business, plumbing business, florist, decorator, actor, reporter, travel agent.
- 4. Clerical and sales, technicians, small businesses (bank teller, bookkeeper, clerk, draftsperson, timekeeper, secretary).
- 5.Skilled manual usually having had training (baker, barber, brakeperson, chef, electrician, fireman, machinist, mechanic, paperhanger, painter, repairperson, tailor, welder, police, plumber).
- 6.Semi-skilled (hospital aide, painter, bartender, bus driver, cutter, cook, drill press, garage guard, checker, waiter, spot welder, machine operator).
- 7. Unskilled (attendant, janitor, construction helper, unspecified labor, porter, including unemployed).
- 8. Homemaker.

Inhalants:

9. Student, disabled, no occupation.

#### LIST OF COMMONLY USED DRUGS:

Alcohol: Beer, wine, liquor Methadone: Dolophine, LAAM

Opiates: Pain killers = Morphine, Dilaudid, Demerol,

Percocet, Darvon, Talwin, Codeine, Tylenol 2,3,4,

Syrups = Robitussin, Fentanyl

Barbiturates: Nembutal, Seconal, Tuinal, Amytal, Pentobarbital,

Secobarbital, Phenobarbital, Fiorinal

Sed/Hyp/Tranq: Benzodiazepines = Valium, Librium, Ativan, Serax

Tranxene, Dalmane, Halcion, Xanax, Miltown,

Other = Chloral Hydrate, Quaaludes
Cocaine: Cocaine Crystal, Free-Base Cocaine or Crack, and

"Rock Cocaine"

Amphetamines: Monster, Crank, Benzedrine, Dexedrine, Ritalin,

Preludin, Methamphetamine, Speed, Ice, Crystal

Cannabis: Marijuana, Hashish

Hallucinogens: LSD (Acid), Mescaline, Psilocybin (Mushrooms), Peyote,

Green, PCP (Phencyclidine), Angel Dust, Ecstacy Nitrous Oxide (Whippits), Amyl Nitrite (Poppers),

Glue, Solvents, Gasoline, Toluene, Etc.

Just note if these are used: Antidepressants,

Ulcer Meds = Zantac, Tagamet

Asthma Meds = Ventolin Inhaler, Theodur Other Meds = Antipsychotics, Lithium

### ALCOHOL/DRUG USE INSTRUCTIONS:

The following questions refer to two time periods: the past 30 days and lifetime. Lifetime refers to the time prior to the last 30 days.

- ⇒30 day questions only require the number of days used.
- ⇒Lifetime use is asked to determine extended periods of use.
- ⇒Regular use = 3 or more times per week, binges, or problematic irregular use in which normal activities are compromised.
- ⇒Alcohol to intoxication does not necessarily mean "drunk", use the words "to feel or felt the effects", "got a buzz", "high", etc. instead of intoxication. As a rule, 3 or more drinks in one sitting, or 5 or more drinks in one day

defines "intoxication".

- ⇒ How to ask these questions:
- → "How many days in the past 30 have you used....?"
- $\boldsymbol{\rightarrow}$  "How many years in your life have you regularly used....?"

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2. Telephone (Intake ASI must be in person)	]				_				F	$\overline{\Box}$	
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G14. How long have you lived at this address? Years Months											
G15. Is this residence owned by you or o-No 1-Yes your family?											
G16. Date of birth: (Month/Day/Year)											
G17. Of what race do you consider yourself?  1. White (not Hisp) 5. Asian/Pacific 9. Other Hispanic 2. Black (not Hisp) 6. Hispanic-Mexican 3. American Indian 7. Hispanic-Puerto Rican 4. Alaskan Native 8. Hispanic-Cuban											
G18. Do you have a religious preference?  1. Protestant 3. Jewish 5. Other 2. Catholic 4. Islamic 6. None											
G19) Have you been in a controlled environment in											
the past 30 days?  1. No 4. Medical Treatment 2. Jail 5. Psychiatric Treatment 3. Alcohol/Drug Treat. 6. Other:  •A place, theoretically, without access to drugs/alcohol.  G20 How many days?  •"NN" if Question G19 is No. Refers to total											

## **MEDICAL STATUS** MEDICAL COMMENTS \* How many times in your life have you been (Include question number with your notes) hospitalized for medical problems? • Include O.D.'s and D.T.'s. Exclude detox, alcohol/drug, psychiatric treatment and childbirth (if no complications). Enter the number of *overnight* hospitalizations for medical problems. M2. How long ago was your last hospitalization for a physical problem? • If no hospitalizations in Question M1, then this is coded "NN". M3. Do you have any chronic medical problems which continue to interfere 0 -No 1 - Yes with your life? • If "Yes", specify in comments. • A chronic medical condition is a serious physical condition that requires regular care, (i.e., medication, dietary restriction) preventing full advantage of their abilities. Are you taking any prescribed medication on a regular basis 0 - No 1 - Yes for a physical problem? • If Yes, specify in comments. • Medication prescribed by a MD for medical conditions; not psychiatric medicines. Include medicines prescribed whether or not the patient is currently taking them. The intent is to verify chronic medical problems. M5.) Do you receive a pension for a physical disability? 0 - No 1 - Yes • If Yes, specify in comments. • Include Workers' compensation, exclude psychiatric disability. How many days have you experienced medical problems in the past 30 days? • Include flu, colds, etc. Include serious ailments related to drugs/alcohol, which would continue even if the patient were abstinent (e.g., cirrhosis of liver, abscesses from needles, etc.). For Questions M7 & M8, ask the patient to use the Patient Rating scale. How troubled or bothered have you been by these medical problems in the past 30 days? • Restrict response to problem days of Question M6. How important to you now is treatment for these medical problems? • If client is currently receiving medical treatment, refer to the need for additional medical treatment by the patient. INTERVIEWER SEVERITY RATING M9. How would you rate the patient's need for

# M9. How would you rate the patient's need for medical treatment? • Refers to the patient's need for additional medical treatment. CONFIDENCE RATINGS Is the above information significantly distorted by: M10. Patient's misrepresentation? 0 - No 1 - Yes M11. Patient's inability to understand? 0 - No 1 - Yes

### **EMPLOYMENT/SUPPORT STATUS** EMPLOYMENT/SUPPORT COMMENTS E1.\* Education completed: (Include question number with your notes) • GED = 12 years, note in comments. • Include formal education only. \* Training or Technical education completed: • Formal/organized training only. For military training, only include training that can be used in civilian life Mos (i.e., electronics, computers) E3. Do you have a profession, trade, or skill? 0 - No 1 - Yes • Employable, transferable skill acquired through training. • If "Yes" (specify) Do you have a valid driver's license? • Valid license; not suspended/revoked. 0 - No 1 - Yes Do you have an automobile available for use? • If answer toE4 is "No", then E5 must be "No". 0 - No 1 - Yes Does not require ownership, only requires availability on a regular basis. E6. How long was your longest full time job? • Full time = 35+ hours weekly; does not necessarily mean most Mos. recent job. E7. Usual (or last) occupation? (specify) (use Hollingshead Categories Reference Sheet) E8.) Does someone contribute to your support in any way? 0 - No 1 - Yes • Is patient receiving any regular support (i.e., cash, food, housing) from family/friend. Include spouse's contribution; exclude support by an institution. Does this constitute the majority of E9 your support? 0 - No 1 - Yes • If E8 is "No", then E9 is "N". E10. Usual employment pattern, past three years? 1. Full time (35+ hours) 5. Service 2. Part time (regular hours) 6. Retired/Disability 3. Part time (irregular hours) 7. Unemployed 8. In controlled environment • Answer should represent the majority of the last 3 years, not just the most recent selection. If there are equal times for more than one category, select that which best represents the current situation. How many days were you paid for working

in the past 30?

• Include "under the table" work, paid sick days and vacation.

### EMPLOYMENT/SUPPORT (cont.) EMPLOYMENT/SUPPORT COMMENTS (Include question number with your notes) For questions E12-17: How much money did you receive from the following sources in the past 30 days? Employment? • Net or "take home" pay, include any "under the table" money. **Unemployment Compensation?** E14 Welfare? • Include food stamps, transportation money provided by an agency to go to and from treatment. Pensions, benefits or Social Security? • Include disability, pensions, retirement, veteran's benefits, SSI & workers' compensation. Mate, family, or friends? • Money for personal expenses, (i.e. clothing), include unreliable sources of income. Record cash payments only, include windfalls (unexpected), money from loans, legal gambling, inheritance, tax returns, etc.). Illegal? •Cash obtained from drug dealing, stealing, fencing stolen goods, illegal gambling, prostitution, etc. Do not attempt to convert drugs exchanged to a dollar value. £18. How many people depend on you for the majority of their food, shelter, etc.? • Must be regularly depending on patient, do include alimony/child support, do not include the patient or self-supporting spouse, etc. £19. How many days have you experienced employment problems in the past 30? • Include inability to find work, if they are actively looking for work, or problems with present job in which that job is jeopardized. For Questions E20 & E21, ask the patient to use the Patient Rating scale. How troubled or bothered have you been by these employment problems in the past 30 days? • If the patient has been incarcerated or detained during the past 30 days, they cannot have employment problems. In that case an "N" response is indicated. How important to you now is counseling for these employment problems? • Stress help in finding or preparing for a job, not giving them a job. INTERVIEWER SEVERITY RATING E22. How would you rate the patient's need for employment counseling? CONFIDENCE RATINGS Is the above information significantly distorted by: Patient's misrepresentation? 0-No 1-Yes Patient's inability to understand? 0-No 1-Yes

# ALCOHOL/DRUGS

	ALCOHOL/DRUGS COMMENTS
Route of Administration Types: 1. Oral 2. Nasal 3. Smoking 4. Non-IV injection 5. IV	(Include question number with your notes)
Note the usual or most recent route. For more than one route, choose the most severe. The routes are listed from least severe to most severe.	
Lifetime Route of Past 30 Days (years) Admin	
DI Alcohol (any use at all, 30 days)	
D2 Alcohol - to intoxication	
(D3) Heroin	
D4 Methadone	
D5 Other Opiates/Analgesics	
D6 Barbiturates	
D7 Sedatives/Hypnotics/ Tranquilizers	
D8 Cocaine	
Amphetamines	
(D10) Cannabis	
(D1) Hallucinogens	
(D12) Inhalants	
D13) More than 1 substance per day (including alcohol)	
According to the interviewer, which substance(s) is/are the major problem?  • Interviewer should determine the major drug or drugs of abuse. Code the number next to the drug in questions 01-12, or "00" = no problem, "15" = alcohol & one or more drugs, "16" = more than one drug but no alcohol. Ask patient when not clear.	
abstinence from this major substance?  • Last attempt of at least one month, not necessarily the longest. Periods of hospitalization/incarceration do not count. Periods of antabuse, methadone, or naltrexone use during abstinence do count.  •"00" = never abstinent	
D16. How many months ago did this abstinence end?  • If D15 = "00", then D16 = "NN".  • "00" = still abstinent.	
How many times have you had:  Alcohol DT's?  • Delirium Tremens (DT's): Occur 24-48 hours after last drink, or significant decrease in alcohol intake, shaking, severe disorientation, fever, hallucinations, they usually require medical attention.	
Overdosed on Drugs?  • Overdoses (OD): Requires intervention by someone to recover, not simply sleeping it off, include suicide attempts by OD.	

# ALCOHOL/DRUGS (cont.)

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How many times in your life have you been treated for:	INTERVIEWER RATING
(D19)* Alcohol abuse?  •Include detoxification, halfway houses, in/outpatient	How would you rate the patient's need for treatment for:
counseling, and AA (if 3+ meetings within one month period).	D32. Alcohol problems?
How many of these were detox only:	D33. Drug problems?
(D21)* Alcohol?	Diag problems.
How much would you say you spent	CONFIDENCE RATINGS
during the past 30 days on: D23. Alcohol?	Is the above information significantly distorted by:
D23. Alcohor:	D34) Patient's misrepresentation? 0-No 1-Yes
How many times in your life have you been treated for:	D35 Patient's inability to understand? 0-No 1-Yes
(D20) * Drug abuse?	$\subseteq$
• Include detoxification, halfway houses, in/outpatient counseling,	ALCOHOL/DRUGS COMMENTS
and NA (if 3+ meetings within one month period).  How many of these were detox only:	(Include question number with your notes)
Thow many of these were detay only.	
(D22) * Drugs?	
• If D19 = "00", then question D21 is "NN"	
If D20 = '00', then question D22 is "NN"	
How much would you say you spent during the past 30	
days on:	
D24. Drugs?	
• Only count actual <i>money</i> spent. What is	
the financial burden caused by drugs/alcohol?	
D25. How many days have you been treated in	
an outpatient setting for alcohol or drugs in the	
past 30 days? • Include AA/NA	
How many days in the past 30 have you experienced:	
(D26) Alcohol problems?	
• Include: Craving, withdrawal symptoms, disturbing effects	
of use, or wanting to stop and being unable to.  For Questions D28+D30, ask the patient to use the Patient Rating scale.	
The patient is rating the need for additional substance abuse treatment.	
How troubled or bothered have you been in the past 30 days	
by these:  D28, Alcohol problems?	
• Include: Craving, withdrawal symptoms, disturbing effects	
of use, or wanting to stop and being unable to.	
How important to you now is treatment for these:	
D30, Alcohol problems?	
How many days in the most 20 bases are districted.	1
How many days in the past 30 have you experienced:	
Drug problems?  • Include: Craving, withdrawal symptoms,	
disturbing effects of use, or wanting to stop and being unable to.	
For Questions D29+D31, ask the patient to use the Patient Rating scale.  The patient is rating the need for additional substance abuse treatment.	
How troubled or bothered have you been in the past 30 days by	
these:	
(D29) Drug problems?	
How important to you now in treatment for the	
How important to you now is treatment for these:	
Drug problems?	

LEGAL STATUS	LEGAL COMMENTS
L1. Was this admission prompted or suggested by the	(Include question number with your notes)
criminal justice system? 0 - No 1 -Yes Judge, probation/parole officer, etc.	
L2.) Are you on parole or probation?  • Note duration and level in comments.  0 - No 1 - Yes	
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How many times in your life have you been arrested and	
charged with the following: (L3*)Shoplift/Vandal (L10*) Assault	
Parole/Probation LII Arson	
Violations	
(L5*) Drug Charges (L12*) Rape	
(L6 *) Forgery (L13*) Homicide/Mansl.	
(L7*) Weapons Offense (L14*) Prostitution	
(£8*)Burglary/Larceny/B&E (£15*) Contempt of Court	
(19 *) Robbery (16*) Other:	
• Include total number of counts, not just convictions. Do not include	
juvenile (pre-age 18) crimes, unless they were charged as an adult.  • Include formal charges only.	
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(L17) How many of these charges resulted	
in convictions?  • If L3-16 = 00, then question L17 = "NN".	
• Do not include misdemeanor offenses from questions L18-20 below.	
<ul> <li>Convictions include fines, probation, incarcerations, suspended sentences, guilty pleas, and plea bargaining.</li> </ul>	
How many times in your life have you been charged with the following:	
L18. * Disorderly conduct, vagrancy,	
public intoxication?	
(L19)* Driving while intoxicated?	
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(L20.)* Major driving violations?  • Moving violations: speeding, reckless driving,	
no license, etc.	
(L21)* How many months were you incarcerated	
in your life?	
If incarcerated 2 weeks or more, round this up     Mos. to 1 month. List total number of months incarcerated.	
L22. How long was your <u>last</u> incarceration?	
Of 2 weeks or more. Enter "NN" if never incarcerated.  Mos.	
L23. What was it for?	
Use code 03-16, 18-20. If multiple charges, choose most severe. Enter "NN" if never incarcerated.	
Choose most severe. Effet 1919 If flever incarcerated.	
Are you presently awaiting	
charges, trial, or sentence? 0 - No 1 - Yes	
(L25) What for?	
Use the number of the type of crime committed: 03-16 and 18-20	
• Refers to O. L.24. If more than one, choose most severe	

<u>LEGAL STATUS</u> (cont.)	LEGAL COMMENTS (Include question number with your notes)
L26. How many days in the past 30, were you detained or incarcerated?  • Include being arrested and released on the same day.  How many days in the past 30 have you engaged in illegal activities for profit?  • Exclude simple drug possession. Include drug dealing, prostitution, selling stolen goods, etc. May be cross checked with Question E17 under Employment/Family Support Section.	
For Questions L28-29, ask the patient to use the Patient Rating scale.  (L28.) How serious do you feel your present legal problems are?  • Exclude civil problems  (L29) How important to you now is counseling or referral for these legal problems?  • Patient is rating a need for referral to legal counsel for defense against criminal charges.	
INTERVIEWER SEVERITY RATING L30. How would you rate the patient's need for legal services or counseling?	
Is the above information significantly distorted by:  L31. Patient's misrepresentation?  O - No 1 - Yes  Day 1. Yes	
FAMILY HISTORY  Have any of your blood-related relatives had what you would ca	
Specifically, was there a problem that did or should have led to a Mother's Side Alcohol Drug Psych. Father's Side	Alcohol Drug Psych. Siblings Alcohol Drug Psych.
H1 .Grandmother H6. Grandmother	H11. Brother
H2. Grandfather H7. Grandfather	
H3. Mother H8. Father	H12. Sister
H4. Aunt H9. Aunt	
H5. Uncle H10. Uncle	

FAMILY/SOCIAL STATUS	FAMILY/SOCIAL COMMENTS
F1. Marital Status:  1-Married 3-Widowed 5-Divorced  2-Remarried 4-Separated 6-Never Married  • Common-law marriage = 1. Specify in comments.	(Include question number with your notes)
F2. How long have you been in this marital status (Q #F1)?  • If never married, then since age 18.  Yrs. Mos.	
F3. Are you satisfied with this situation?  • Satisfied = generally liking the situation.  • Refers to Questions F1 & F2.	
F4.* Usual living arrangements (past 3 years):  1-With sexual partner & children 6-With friends  2-With sexual partner alone 7-Alone  3-With children alone 8-Controlled Environment  4-With parents 9-No stable arrangement  5-With family  • Choose arrangements most representative of the past 3 years. If there is an even split in time between these arrangements, choose the most recent arrangement.	
F5. How long have you lived in these arrangements?  • If with parents or family, since age 18.  • Code years and months living in arrangements from Question F4.	
F6.) Are you satisfied with these arrangements? 0-No 1-Indifferent 2-Yes	
F7. Has a current alcohol problem?  0-No 1-Yes	
F8 Uses non-prescribed drugs? 0-No 1-Yes (or abuses prescribed drugs)	
F9. With whom do you spend most of your free time?  1-Family 2-Friends 3-Alone  • If a girlfriend/boyfriend is considered as family by patient, then they must refer to them as family throughout this section, not a friend.	
(F10) Are you satisfied with spending your free time this way?  O-No 1-Indifferent 2-Yes  A satisfied response must indicate that the person generally likes the situation. Referring to Question F9.	
F11. How many close friends do you have?  • Stress that you mean <i>close</i> . Exclude family members. These are "reciprocal" relationships or mutually supportive relationships.	
Would you say you have had a close reciprocal relationship with any of the following people:	
F12. Mother F15. Sexual Partner/Spouse	
F13. Father F16. Children	
F14. Brothers/Sisters F17. Friends	
0 = Clearly No for all in class X = Uncertain or "I don't know 1 = Clearly Yes for any in class N = Never was a relative  • By reciprocal, you mean "that you would do anything you could to help them out and vice versa".	

# FAMILY/SOCIAL (cont.)

	Is the above information significantly distorted by:
Have you had significant periods in which you have experienced	
serious problems getting along with: 0 – No, 1 - Yes	F37.) Patient's misrepresentation? 0-No 1-Yes
Past 30 days In Your Life	F38.) Patient's inability to understand? 0-No 1-Yes
(F18.) Mother	
F19 Father	FAMILY/SOCIAL COMMENTS
(F20) Brother/Sister	(Include question number with your notes)
(F21) Sexual Partner/Spouse	
(F22.) Children	
(F23.) Other Significant Family (specify)	
(F24.) Close Friends	
F25 Neighbors	
(F26.) Co-workers	
• "Serious problems" mean those that endangered the relationship.	
• A "problem" requires contact of some sort, either by telephone or in person. If no contact code "N"	
Has anyone ever abused you? 0- No 1-Yes	
Past 30 days In Your Life F27. Emotionally?	
Made you feel bad through harsh words.  F28. Physically?	
• Caused you physical harm.	
F29. Sexually?	
• Forced sexual advances/acts.	
How many days in the past 30 have you had serious conflicts:	
F30) With your family?	
For Questions F32-35, ask the patient to use the Patient Rating scale.  How troubled or bothered have you been in the past 30 days by:	
F32. Family problems ?	
How important to you now is treatment or counseling for these:	
(F34.) Family problems	
Patient is rating his/her need for counseling for family problems, not whether they would be willing to attend.	
How many days in the past 30 have you had serious conflicts:	
(F31.)With other people (excluding family)?	
For Questions F32-35, ask the patient to use the Patient Rating scale.	
How troubled or bothered have you been in the past 30 days by: F33.) Social problems?	
How important to you now is treatment or counseling for these:	
Include patient's need to seek treatment for such	
social problems as loneliness, inability to socialize, and dissatisfaction with friends. Patient rating should refer to	
dissatisfaction, conflicts, or other serious problems.	(
INTERVIEWER SEVERITY RATING	
F36. How would you rate the patient's need for	

PSYCHIATRIC STATUS		
How many times have you been treated for any		PSYCHIATRIC STATUS COMMENTS
psychological or emotional problems:		(Include question number with your comments)
(P1*) In a hospital or inpatient setting?		
P2* Outpatient/private patient?  • Do not include substance abuse, employment, or family counseling. Treatment episode = a series of more or less continuous visits or treatment days, not the number of visit treatment days.  • Enter diagnosis in comments if known.		
P3. Do you receive a pension for a psychiatric disability? 0-No 1	-Yes	
	not a direct No 1-Yes Days Lifetime	
P4.) Experienced serious depression-sadness, hopelessness, loss of interest?		
P5. Experienced serious anxiety/ tension-uptight, unreasonably worried, inability to feel relaxed?		
P6. Experienced hallucinations-saw things/ heard voices that others didn't see/hear?		
P7. Experienced trouble understanding, concentrating, or remembering?		
Have you had a significant period of time (despite you		
and drug use) in which you have:  0-No 1-Yes Past 30 D		
P8. Experienced trouble controlling violent behavior including episodes of rage, or violence?  • Patient can be under the influence of alcohol / drugs.		
(P9.) Experienced serious thoughts of suicide?  • Patient seriously considered a plan for taking his/her life. Patient can be under the influence of alcohol/drugs.		
P10. Attempted suicide?  • Include actual suicidal gestures or attempts.  • Patient can be under the influence of alcohol / drugs.		
P11. Been prescribed medication for any psychological or emotional problems?  • Prescribed for the patient by a physician. Record "Yes" was prescribed even if the patient is not taking it.	if a medication	
P12. How many days in the past 30 have you experienced these psychological or emotional problems?  • This refers to problems noted in Questions P4-P10.		
For Questions P13-P14, ask the patient to use the Patient Rating	scale	
P13. How much have you been troubled or bothered by these psychological or emotional problems in the past 30 days?  • Patient should be rating the problem days from Question	n P12.	
(P14) How important to you now is treatment for		

these psychological or emotional problems?

# <u>PSYCHIATRIC STATUS</u> (cont.)

The following items are to be completed by the interviewer:  At the time of the interview, the patient was:	0-No 1-Yes	PSYCHIATRIC STATUS COMMENTS (Include question number with your notes)
P15 Obviously depressed/withdrawn		
P16. Obviously hostile		
P17) Obviously anxious/nervous		
P18. Having trouble with reality testing, thought disorders, paranoid thinking		
P19. Having trouble comprehending, concentrating, remembering		
P20. Having suicidal thoughts		
INTERVIEWER SEVERITY RATING P21 . How would you rate the patient's need for psychiatric/psychological treatment?		
	1-Yes	
G12. Special Code  1. Patient terminated by interviewer  2. Patient refused  3. Patient unable to respond ( language or intellectual bar the influence, etc. )  N. Interview completed.	rrier, under	