

Parent Child Assistance Program (PCAP)**ADDICTION SEVERITY INDEX – EXIT INTERVIEW**

Modified Interview for Pregnant & Postpartum Women

Date of Exit ASI: _____

Current _____

Adv #: _____

NOTICE TO STAFF: DO NOT SUBMIT THIS TOP SHEET TO DATA ENTRY.

REMOVE AND FILE SEPARATELY.

Family I.D. # _____

Mother's birthdate: _____

Interviewer: _____

Child's Birthdate: _____

Child's Gender: _____

Tribal Affiliation and Enrollment Number: _____

Mom: _____

Baby: _____

Name of child: (first) _____ (last) _____ (middle) _____ (other) _____

Name of mother: (first) _____ (last) _____ (middle) _____ (maiden/other) _____

Name of father: (first) _____ (last) _____ (middle) _____ (other) _____

Who are you living with? Names and relationship: _____

Address: _____

Phone: () _____ Name phone listed under: _____

City

State

Zip

Do you have any plans to move in the next few months? _____ (Where to?) _____

Are you employed outside the home now? _____ Where? _____

Type of work: _____ Phone: () _____

Are you in school? _____ What/where? _____

Where do you take the child(ren) for checkups and medical care? _____

Addiction Severity Index 5th Edition
University of Washington Modification for Pregnant & Postpartum Women (UWASI)

The UWASI is a modified version of the 5th edition of the ASI. It includes all items from the 5th edition ASI along with additional questions specific to pregnant and postpartum women. It contains 9 potential problem areas, as well as family/childhood history.

INTRODUCING THE ASI: Introduce and explain the nine potential problem areas: Medical, Employment/Support Status, Alcohol, Drug, Legal, Family/Social, Psychiatric, Children and Family Planning, and Community Services and that some questions will also be asked about childhood history. 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

Client Rating Scale: Client 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!

When you interview, do not simply record information. Be sure that you understand the intent of every question on the ASI so that you can accurately convey that intent to the client. Probe, repeat, paraphrase until you are sure the client understands what is being asked. Remember that as the interviewer, you are responsible for the integrity of information collected on the ASI.

Monitor the consistency of information provided by the client throughout the interview. It is not acceptable to simply record what is reported.

—Paraphrased from the Preface to the Fifth Edition of the ASI Workbook (Barbara Fureman, Gargi Parikh, Alicia Bragg, and A. Thomas McLellan, University of Pennsylvania/Veterans Administration Center for Studies of Addiction).

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) -7 = Question not answered.
-8 = Question not applicable
- 4) When noting comments, please write the question number.

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 warrant misrepresentation.
⇒ Misrepresentation = overt contradiction in information.

Probe, cross-check and make plenty of comments!

HOLLINGSHEAD CATEGORIES (Licit work only):

1. **Higher execs, major professionals, owners of large businesses**
2. **Business managers, proprietors of medium-sized businesses** (\$60,000-\$175,000), **lesser professionals** (e.g., optician, pharmacist, social worker, teacher [licensed], personnel manager, registered nurse).
3. **Administrative managers and personnel**, (e.g., appraiser, chief clerk, insurance agent, private secretary, major sales representative), **owners/ proprietors of small businesses** (value under \$60,000; e.g., bakery, beauty shop, cigarette machines, convenience store, engraving business, florist, decorator), **minor professionals** (e.g., actor, commercial artist, credit manager, oral hygienist, piano teacher, reporter, travel agent).
4. **Clerical and sales** (e.g., bank clerk or teller, bill collector, bookkeeper, car sales person, clerical worker, ferry worker, post office clerk, sales clerk, shipping or warehouse clerk, secretary), **technician** (e.g., camp counselor, dental technician, inspector, investigator, PBX operator, window trimmer), **proprietor of little business** (e.g., flower shop, food vendor, newsstand, sewing/tailor).
5. **Skilled manual (usually having had training)**. Baker, chef, cosmetician, barber, chef, electrician, fireman, hair stylist, lineman, locksmith, machinist, massage therapist, mechanic, paperhanger, painter, plumber, policeman, postal carrier, repairman, tailor (trained), word processing.
6. **Semi-skilled**. Apprentice (electrician, printer, etc.), assembly line worker, bartender, bus driver, checker, childcare in home (licensed, trained), cocktail waitress, convenience store clerk, cook (short order), daycare in a center (trained), delivery person, dressmaker (machine), filing clerk, garage and gas station attendant, hairdresser, hospital aide, housekeeper (some training), meter reader, trained nursing home aide, practical nurse, painter, security guard, taxi driver, truck driver, waitress (at one of the "better" places).
7. **Unskilled**. Amusement park workers (bowling alleys, pool rooms), attendant, cafeteria worker, car wash attendants, childcare in home (no training), construction helper, counterperson, domestic, home aide (unlicensed), home piecework, hotel maid (little training), hospital worker (unspecified), janitor, labor (unspecified), laundry worker, messenger, parking lot attendant, porter, telephone solicitor, stock handlers, waitress ("hash house"), **welfare recipient**. Include unemployed.
8. Never employed.

PSYCHIATRIC DIAGNOSES:

See appendix in UWASI manual.

Note that FAS is a medical, not a psychiatric diagnosis.

ALCOHOL/DRUG USE INSTRUCTIONS:

Alcohol and Commonly Used Drugs: Drug terms and amounts. See appendix in UWASI manual.

Code alcohol amounts by equivalent drinks:

Generally, 1 drink = 1 12-oz beer = 1 4-oz wine = 1 1.5-oz hard liquor (i.e., a "single"). A single 40-ouncer is not 1 drink!

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+ 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 of thumb, 3+ drinks in one sitting, or 5+ drinks in one day defines "intoxication."
- ⇒ How to ask these questions:
 - "How many days in the past 30 have you used....?"
 - "How many years in your life have you regularly used....?"

Client #: _____

Date: ___ / ___ / _____

MEDICAL STATUS (cont)

CONFIDENCE RATINGS

Is the above information significantly distorted by:

M10. Client's misrepresentation? _____

0 - No 1 - Yes

In all sections this means contradictory information has been presented by the client, conflicting reports that the client cannot justify.

It does not mean a simple "gut hunch." Disregard client's demeanor.

M11. Client's inability to understand? _____

0 - No 1 - Yes

INTERVIEWER CLIENT NEED RATING

M99. How would you rate this client's need for medical treatment? _____

- 0 - No medical problems, no need.
- 1 - Medical problems, but current tx has brought condition to a controlled, non-problematic state.
- 2 - Need for more tx in addition to client's current tx, but not immediately life-threatening.
- 3 - Urgent need for more tx in addition to client's current tx. Should be a high advocate priority.

MEDICAL COMMENTS

(Include the question number with your notes)

Client #: _____

Date: ___ / ___ / _____

ALCOHOL/DRUG USE (cont)

INTERVIEWER CLIENT NEED RATING

How would you rate this client's need for treatment for:

D99a. Alcohol Abuse _____

D99b. Drug Abuse _____

- 0 - No alc/drug problems, no need (can include those currently successfully maintaining abstinence with no tx currently needed).
- 1 - Alc/drug problems, current tx seems adequate.
- 2 - Need for more tx in addition to current tx.
- 3 - Urgent need for more alc/drug tx in addition to client's current (if any) tx.

ALCOHOL/DRUG COMMENTS

(Include the question number with your notes)
