

Client Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Client ID#: \_\_\_\_\_

**ADOLESCENT**  
**Initial Level of Care Assessment**

Staff completing the form: \_\_\_\_\_ Place of interview: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of screening: \_\_\_\_\_ Referral source (Name & Phone #): \_\_\_\_\_  
(if Referral is from an agency, document agency name): \_\_\_\_\_

**PERSONAL INFORMATION**

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ M.I. \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

Phone Number: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ OK to leave message?  YES  NO Preferred Language: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Street

City

State

Zip Code

What are the main reasons you are seeking help here today? \_\_\_\_\_

Gender Identity:  Male  Female  Transgender (M to F)  Transgender (F to M)

Questioning/Unsure  Other: \_\_\_\_\_  Decline to state

Sexual Orientation:  Heterosexual/Straight  Lesbian  Gay  Bisexual

Questioning/Unsure  Other: \_\_\_\_\_  Decline to state

Are you pregnant?  YES  NO Due Date: \_\_\_\_\_ # of Children : \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have Medi-Cal?  YES  NO Medi-Cal Card #: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have Health insurance?  YES  NO Insurance Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever been arrested/charged/convicted/registered for arson?  YES  NO

Have you ever been arrested/charged/convicted/registered for a sex crime(s)?  YES  NO

**EMERGENCY CONTACT**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

**PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMATION**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

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*The following sections are completed by the adolescent and counselor together*

**ASAM Dimension 1: Substance Use, Acute Intoxication and/or Withdrawal Potential**

In the past year, how many times have you used [X]?	Never	Once or Twice	Monthly	Weekly	Daily
Alcohol	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Marijuana	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Illegal Drugs (i.e. cocaine or Ecstasy)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Prescription drugs that were not prescribed for you (i.e. Pain Medication or Adderall)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Overuse of your prescription drugs (i.e. Pain Medication or Adderall)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Inhalants (i.e. nitrous oxide)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Herbs or synthetic drugs (i.e. salvia, K2, or bath salts)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other: _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Primary Drug	# of Days Used in past 30 days	Route of Admission	Age at first use	Date Last Used
Secondary Drug	# of Days Used in past 30 days	Route of Admission	Age at first use	Date Last Used
Tertiary Drug	# of Days Used in past 30 days	Route of Admission	Age at first use	Date Last Used

Have you used needles in the past 12 months?  YES  NO  Decline to state/NA If yes, last used: \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ / \_\_\_

Date you last used any drugs including alcohol: \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ Number of days in a row you have been using: \_\_\_

**ALCOHOL AND/OR OTHER DRUG TREATMENT HISTORY**

Have you received treatment for alcohol and/or other drugs in the past?  YES  NO

If yes, please give details:

Type of Recovery Treatment (Outpatient, Residential, Detoxification)	Name of Treatment Facility	Dates of Treatment	Treatment Completed (yes or no)

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**Severity Rating – Dimension 1 (Substance Use, Acute Intoxication, Withdrawal Potential)**

**COUNSELOR: Please Check one of the following levels of severity**

<input type="checkbox"/> <b>0: None</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>1: Mild</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>2: Moderate</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>3: Significant</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>4: Severe</b>
Fully functioning, no signs of intoxication or W/D present.	Mild to moderate intoxication interferes with daily functioning, but does not pose a danger to self/others. Minimal risk of severe W/D.	Intoxication may be severe, but responds to support; not posing a danger to self or others. Moderate risk of severe W/D.	Severe signs/symptoms of intoxication indicate an imminent danger to self/others. Risk of severe but manageable W/D; or W/D is worsening.	Incapacitated, with severe signs/symptoms. Severe W/D presents danger, such as seizures. Continued use poses an imminent threat to life (e.g., liver failure, GI bleeding, or fetal death).

**ASAM Dimension 2: Biomedical Conditions/Complications**

*Note: Counselor, please review Client Health Questionnaire and TB Screening as part of this Dimension*

Are you currently taking prescription medications for any medical conditions?  YES  NO

If yes, please describe: \_\_\_\_\_

**Severity Rating – Dimension 2 (Biomedical Conditions and Complications)**

**COUNSELOR: Please Check one of the following levels of severity. Include information from Parent/Guardian Form when determining risk rating**

<input type="checkbox"/> <b>0: None</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>1: Mild</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>2: Moderate</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>3: Significant</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> <b>4: Severe</b>
Fully functioning and able to cope with any physical discomfort or pain.	Adequate ability to cope with physical discomfort. Mild to moderate symptoms (such as mild to moderate pain) interfere with daily functioning.	Some difficulty tolerating physical problems. Acute, non-life threatening medical symptoms (such as acute episodes of chronic, distracting pain, or signs of malnutrition or electrolyte imbalance) are present. Serious biomedical problems are neglected.	Poor ability to tolerate and cope with physical problems, and/or general health condition is poor. Serious medical problems neglected during outpatient or IOT services. Severe medical problems (such as severe pain requiring medication, or hard to control Type 1 Diabetes) are present but stable.	The person is incapacitated, with severe medical problems (such as extreme pain, uncontrolled diabetes, GI bleeding, or infection requiring IV antibiotics).

**ASAM Dimension 3: Emotional/Behavioral/Cognitive Conditions/Complications**

*Review Risk Assessment and Co-Occurring Conditions Screening form for historical information relevant to this dimension. Include as part of your assessment of severity, below.*

Do you have any current thoughts of hurting yourself or others?  YES  NO If yes, please describe:

\_\_\_\_\_

Are you currently seeing a therapist/counselor (or sought help in the past) for a mental health or behavioral need? (For example, depression, anxiety, ADHD, or other mental health condition)  YES  NO

If yes, please describe:

\_\_\_\_\_

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If yes to the previous question, are you currently prescribed medications for the mental health condition(s) you described?

YES  NO If yes, please describe: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever had trouble controlling your anger?  YES  NO

If yes, please describe: \_\_\_\_\_

Over the past 2 weeks, how often have you been bothered by any of the following problems?

- Feeling down, depressed or hopeless  
 Not at all  Several Days  More Than Half the Days  Nearly Every Day
- Needed much less sleep than usual and found you didn't really miss it  
 Not at all  Several Days  More Than Half the Days  Nearly Every Day
- Feeling nervous, anxious, or on edge  
 Not at all  Several Days  More Than Half the Days  Nearly Every Day
- Had nightmares about a frightening, horrible or upsetting event you've experienced  
 Not at all  Several Days  More Than Half the Days  Nearly Every Day
- Seen things that other people can't see or don't seem to see  
 Not at all  Several Days  More Than Half the Days  Nearly Every Day
- Heard things that other people can't hear or don't seem to hear  
 Not at all  Several Days  More Than Half the Days  Nearly Every Day

**Severity Rating – Dimension 3 (Emotional, Behavioral or Cognitive (EBC) Conditions or Complications)**

*COUNSELOR: Please Check one of the following levels of severity. Include information from Parent/Guardian Form when determining risk rating*

<input type="checkbox"/> 0: None	<input type="checkbox"/> 1: Mild	<input type="checkbox"/> 2: Moderate	<input type="checkbox"/> 3: Significant	<input type="checkbox"/> 4: Severe
Good impulse control, coping skills and sub-domains (dangerousness/lethality, interference with recovery efforts, social functioning, self-care ability, course of illness).	There is a suspected or diagnosed EBC condition that requires intervention, but does not significantly interfere with treatment. Relationships are being impaired but not endangered by substance use.	Persistent EBC condition, with symptoms that distract from recovery efforts, but are not an immediate threat to safety and do not prevent independent functioning.	Severe EBC symptomatology, but sufficient control that does not require involuntary confinement. Impulses to harm self/others, but not dangerous in a 24-hr. setting	Severe EBC symptomatology; requires involuntary confinement. Exhibits severe and acute life-threatening symptoms (e.g., dangerous or impulsive behavior or cognitive functioning) posing imminent danger to self/others.

**ASAM Dimension 4: Readiness to Change**

On a scale of 0 (not ready) to 4 (very ready) how important is it to you to stop drinking alcohol or using other drugs?

0  1  2  3  4

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you intend to reduce or quit drinking alcohol or using other drugs in the next 2 weeks?

Definitely no  Probably no  Probably yes  Definitely yes

Does your family or friends ever tell you that you should cut down on your drinking or drug use?  Yes  No

If yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Severity Rating – Dimension 4 (Readiness to Change)**

*COUNSELOR: Please Check one of the following levels of severity. Include information from Parent/Guardian Form when determining risk rating*

<input type="checkbox"/> 0: None	<input type="checkbox"/> 1: Mild	<input type="checkbox"/> 2: Moderate	<input type="checkbox"/> 3: Significant	<input type="checkbox"/> 4: Severe
Engaged in treatment as a proactive, responsible participant. Committed to change.	Ambivalent of the need to change. Willing to explore need for treatment and strategies to reduce or stop substance use. May believe it will not be difficult to change, or does not accept a full recovery treatment plan.	Reluctant to agree to treatment. Able to articulate negative consequences (of substance use and/or mental health problems) but has low commitment to change. Passively involved in treatment (variable follow through, variable attendance)	Minimal awareness of need to change. Only partially able to follow through with treatment recommendations.	Unable to follow through, little or no awareness of problems, knows very little about addiction, sees no connection between substance use/consequences. Not willing to explore change. Unwilling/unable to follow through with treatment recommendations.

**ASAM Dimension 5: Relapse, Continued Use, or Continued Problem Potential**

Do you ever use alcohol or drugs while you are by yourself or alone?  YES  NO

Do you ever use alcohol or drugs to relax, feel better about yourself, or fit in?  YES  NO

How often do you want to or feel like using or drinking? \_\_\_\_\_

What's the longest time you have gone without using alcohol and/or other drugs? \_\_\_\_\_

**Severity Rating – Dimension 5 (Relapse, Continued Use, or Continued Problem Potential)**

*COUNSELOR: Please Check one of the following levels of severity. Include information from Parent/Guardian Form when determining risk rating*

<input type="checkbox"/> 0: None	<input type="checkbox"/> 1: Mild	<input type="checkbox"/> 2: Moderate	<input type="checkbox"/> 3: Significant	<input type="checkbox"/> 4: Severe
Low or no potential for further substance use problems or has low relapse potential. Good coping skills in place.	Minimal relapse potential. Some risk, but fair coping and relapse prevention skills.	Impaired recognition and understanding of substance use relapse issues. Able to self-manage with prompting.	Little recognition and understanding of relapse issues, poor skills to cope with relapse.	Repeated treatment episodes have had little positive effect on functioning. No coping skills for relapse/addiction problems. Substance use/behavior places self/others in imminent danger.

**ASAM Dimension 6: Recovery Environment**

Have you ever gotten into trouble while you were using alcohol or other drugs?  YES  NO

If yes, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Vocational/Educational Achievements (Highest grade level completed, any training or technical education, etc.):

\_\_\_\_\_

Do you feel supported in your current living environment?  YES  NO

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Are you homeless or at risk?  YES  NO

Where do you live/who do you live with? \_\_\_\_\_

Does anyone else at home drink alcohol or use other drugs?  YES  NO  
 If yes, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Do your close friends drink alcohol or use other drugs?  YES  NO  
 If yes, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

**Severity Rating – Dimension 6 (Recovery/Living Environment)**

*COUNSELOR: Please Check one of the following levels of severity. Include information from Parent/Guardian Form when determining risk rating*

<input type="checkbox"/> 0: None	<input type="checkbox"/> 1: Mild	<input type="checkbox"/> 2: Moderate	<input type="checkbox"/> 3: Significant	<input type="checkbox"/> 4: Severe
Supportive environment and/or able to cope in environment.	Passive/disinterested social support, but not too distracted by this situation and still able to cope.	Unsupportive environment, but able to cope with clinical structure most of the time.	Unsupportive environment and the client has difficulty coping, even with clinical structure.	Environment toxic/hostile to recovery (i.e. many drug-using friends, or drugs are readily available in the home environment, or there are chronic lifestyle problems). Unable to cope with the negative effects of this environment on recovery (i.e. environment may pose a threat to recovery).

**Youth "At Risk"**

*Per DHCS, the intergovernmental agreement between the County of San Diego and the State allows at-risk youth to be served at the **ASAM Level 0.5 (Early Intervention) level of care**. At-risk youth (those without a DSM-5 SUD Diagnosis) would not meet medical necessity criteria for outpatient or residential services.*

**Youth is at-risk for SUD and does not have a SUD Diagnosis:**  Yes  No  
 (If yes, refer to appropriate community resource)

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Optional Risk Rating Summary	
Dimension	Risk Rating
1 (page 3)	
2 (page 3)	
3 (page 4)	
4 (page 5)	
5 (page 5)	
6 (page 6)	

**Level of Care Determination Instructions**

After completing the screening (and determining the risk ratings) in each of the six dimensions, review the "Levels of Care" document which describes the typical risk ratings associated with each level of care and can help guide your level of care recommendation.

Once the recommended level of care is determined, document it in the space below. Also document the level of care to be provided. If there is a discrepancy between the two, document the reason(s) for the discrepancy in the spaces provided.

If the screening results indicate a level of care different than the one your program provides, complete the "Designated Treatment Provider Name/Location" field with the information from the program you will be linking the client to.

DMC-ODS regulations require that a "Licensed Practitioner of the Healing Arts" (LPHA)\* make level of care determinations. In the event an LPHA does not conduct the screening (and an AOD/SUD Counselor does), the Counselor and LPHA must have a face-to-face review of the information, and the LPHA must co-sign the form, indicating their agreement with the level of care determination.

**Recommended Level of Care:** Enter the ASAM Level of Care that offers the most appropriate treatment setting given client's current severity and functioning: \_\_\_\_\_

**Actual Level of Care:** If a level of care other than the determination is provided, enter the next appropriate level of care: \_\_\_\_\_

**Reason for Discrepancy (Clinical Override):** Check off the reason for Discrepancy between level of care determination and level of care provided, and document the reason(s) why:

- |  |  |  |  |
|--|--|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Not Applicable            | <input type="checkbox"/> Service not available | <input type="checkbox"/> Provider judgment | <input type="checkbox"/> Client preference |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Transportation            | <input type="checkbox"/> Accessibility         | <input type="checkbox"/> Financial         | <input type="checkbox"/> Preferred to wait |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Language/Cultural Factors | <input type="checkbox"/> Environment           | <input type="checkbox"/> Mental Health     | <input type="checkbox"/> Physical Health   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Court/Probation Ordered   | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____          |  |  |

**Explanation of Discrepancy:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Designated Treatment Provider Name/Location:** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Counselor Name** (if applicable)

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Signature** (if applicable)

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Date**

**Provisional Diagnosis**

*All programs must provide a provisional diagnosis*

**Provisional Diagnosis DSM-5 Diagnostic Label(s) & ICD-10 Code(s):** \_\_\_\_\_

**A face-to face interaction between the AOD counselor and the LPHA to verify the determination of medical necessity for the client regarding this intake screening and related forms occurred on:** \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_ (if applicable)

\_\_\_\_\_  
**LPHA\* Name**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Signature**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Date**

\*Licensed Practitioner of the Healing Arts (LPHA) includes: MD, Nurse Practitioners, Physician Assistants, Registered Nurses, Registered Pharmacists, Licensed Clinical Psychologist (LCP), Licensed Clinical Social Worker (LCSW), Licensed Professional Clinical Counselor (LPCC), and Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist (LMFT) and licensed-eligible practitioners working under the supervision of licensed clinicians.