

Client ID # _____

Date of Administration: _____

FUNCTIONING

CLINICIAN-COMPLETED

Global Functioning: Social Scale

Please rate the patient's most impaired level of social functioning in the past month. Rate actual functioning regardless of etiology of social problems.

Rating (1-10): _____

SUPERIOR SOCIAL/INTERPERSONAL FUNCTIONING	
Criteria: 10	Superior functioning in a wide range of social and interpersonal activities. Frequently seeks out others and has multiple satisfying interpersonal relationships, including multiple close and casual friends. Is sought out by others because of his or her many positive qualities. Age-appropriate involvement in intimate relationships.
ABOVE AVERAGE SOCIAL/INTERPERSONAL FUNCTIONING	
Criteria: 9	Good functioning in all social areas, and interpersonally effective. Interested and involved in a wide range of social and interpersonal activities, including both close and casual friends. Age-appropriate involvement in intimate relationships. No more than everyday interpersonal problems or concerns (e.g., an occasional argument with spouse, girlfriend/boyfriend, friends, coworkers, or classmates). Able to resolve such conflicts appropriately.
GOOD SOCIAL/INTERPERSONAL FUNCTIONING	
Criteria: 8	Some transient mild impairment in social functioning. Mild social impairment is present, but transient and expectable reactions to psychosocial stressors (e.g., after minor arguments with spouse, girlfriend/boyfriend, friends, coworkers, or classmates). Has some meaningful interpersonal relationships with peers (casual and close friends), and/or age-appropriate intimate relationships. Has infrequent interpersonal conflict with peers.
MILD PROBLEMS IN SOCIAL/INTERPERSONAL FUNCTIONING	
Criteria: 7	Some persistent mild difficulty in social functioning. Mild impairment present that is NOT just expectable reaction to psychosocial stressors (e.g., mild conflicts with peers, coworkers or classmates; difficulty resolving conflicts appropriately). Has some meaningful interpersonal relationships with peers (casual and/or close friends). Has some difficulty developing or maintaining age-appropriate intimate relationships (e.g., multiple short-term relationships).

MODERATE IMPAIRMENT IN SOCIAL/INTERPERSONAL FUNCTIONING	
Criteria: 6	Moderate impairment in social functioning. Moderate impairment present (e.g., few close friends; significant but intermittent conflicts with peers, coworkers, or classmates). Moderate difficulty developing age-appropriate intimate relationships (e.g., infrequent dating). Occasionally seeks out others but will respond if invited by others to participate in an activity.
SERIOUS IMPAIRMENT IN SOCIAL/INTERPERSONAL FUNCTIONING	
Criteria: 5	Serious impairment in social functioning. No close friends or intimate partner, but has some casual social contacts (e.g., acquaintances, school/work friends only). Rarely seeks out others. Occasional combative or verbally argumentative behavior with peers. Beginning to withdraw from family members (e.g., does not initiate conversation with family, but will respond if addressed).
MAJOR IMPAIRMENT IN SOCIAL AND INTERPERSONAL FUNCTIONING	
Criteria: 4	Major impairment in social functioning. Serious impairment in relationships with friends or peers (e.g., very few or no friends, frequent conflicts with friends, or frequently avoids friends). Frequent combative or verbally argumentative behavior with peers. Infrequent contact with family members (e.g., sometimes does not respond to family or avoids family members).
MARGINAL ABILITY TO FUNCTION SOCIALLY	
Criteria: 3	Marginal ability to function socially or maintain interpersonal relationships. Frequently alone and socially isolated. Serious impairment in relationships with all peers, including acquaintances. Few interactions with family members (e.g., often alone in room). Serious impairment in communication with others (e.g., avoids participating in most social activities).
INABILITY TO FUNCTION SOCIALLY	
Criteria: 2	Unable to function socially or to maintain any interpersonal relationships. Typically alone and socially isolated. Rarely leaves home. Rarely answers the phone or the door. Rarely participates in interactions with others at home or in other settings (e.g., work, school).
EXTREME SOCIAL ISOLATION	
Criteria: 1	Extreme social isolation. No social or family member contact at all. Does not leave home. Refuses to answer the phone or door.