

Weiss Diagnostic Screen

Name of Patient	Age	Name of the person completing this form
Current medications:		
School/Occupation	Date	Patient__Teacher__Parent__Friend__Partner__ Other:

The following is a list of different kind of problems. Everyone has some of these difficulties at some time. We want to know if any of these things are causing more difficulty than is typical for most people. If the item is not relevant check N/A for not applicable. The scale refers to the last month.

Scoring: *Clinical:* review items scored 2 or 3. *Diagnostic:* Items scored 2 or 3 summed to determine if they meet DSM criteria. *Severity:* Total dx score

		N/A	No	A little	Pretty much	Very much
ADHD						
<i>IA</i>	Making careless mistakes					
<i>6/9</i>	Difficulty staying focussed					
	Difficulty listening					
	Trouble following instructions					
	Disorganized					
	Procrastinates and avoids boring tasks					
	Losing things					
	Distractible					
	Forgetful					
ADHD						
<i>HI</i>	Fidgets					
<i>6/9</i>	Restless					
	Hyperactive					
	Difficulty engaging in quiet time					
	Always on the go					
	Talks too much					
	Talks out of turn					
	Difficulty waiting					
	Interrupting					
ODD						
<i>ODD</i>	Loses temper					
<i>4/8</i>	Argues with people					
	Defiant					
	Annoys people					
	Blames others instead of his or herself					
	Touchy					
	Angry					
	Mean or spiteful					
CD						
<i>CD</i>	Skiping class or not showing up at work					
<i>>3</i>	Lies					
	Bullies					
	Physical fights					
	Verbal fights					
	Stealing					
	Setting fires					
	Cruel to animals					
	Sexually inappropriate					
	Does not really feel sorry when in trouble					

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<i>TD</i>	Repetitive movements (blinking, twitching)					
¹	Makes noises (throat clearing, sniffing)					
<i>GAD</i>	Worry					
¹	Fearful					
	Nervous					
	Complains of aches and pains when not sick					
<i>OCD</i>	Fear of germs, dirt					
¹	Checking, counting					
	Doing something over and over					
	Cannot shake strange or distressing thoughts					
	Perfectionist					
<i>PD</i>	Panic attacks					
<i>SAD</i>	Shy					
	Self conscious doing things in front of others					
<i>PTSD</i>	Still haunted by a past traumatic event					
<i>Sep A</i>	Trouble separating					
<i>SP</i>	A specific fear (heights, crowds, bugs, animals etc.)					
<i>MDD</i>	Bad mood					
>5	No enthusiasm for doing things					
	Negative thoughts					
	Feels worthless					
	Hopeless					
	No energy					
	Not happy					
	Feeling guilty					
	Thoughts of death					
	Violent thoughts					
	Change in weight					
	Change in sleep					
	Change in concentration					
<i>SAD</i>	Mood changes with the season					
<i>BAD</i>	Feels speeded up					
>3	Feeling powerful					
	Does not sleep and does not feel tired					
	Seems out of control					
	Mood swings					
<i>PD</i>	Ideas run together in an illogical way					
¹	Hearing voices					
	Seeing things that are not there					
	Feels super powerful					
	Feeling people are against you					
	Can read peoples thoughts					
	Feeling the radio or TV talks about you					

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	Strange and fixed beliefs					
<i>ASD</i>	Not interested in people					
>5	Gets stuck on details					
	Does not understand feelings					
	Poor people skills					
	Strange behaviours					
	Trouble playing or socializing with groups of people					
	Does not seek out other people for company					
	Trouble making close friends					
	Poor ability for mutual emotional connectedness					
	Distant, hard to cuddle					
	Problems with communication					
	Talks in an odd voice (flat, robot like or monotonous)					
	Poor eye contact					
	Preoccupied with one area of interest					
	Repeats an action or phrase over and over					
	Gets stuck on one thing					
	Difficulty understanding social relationships					
	Does not always understand jokes					
	Lacks sensitivity to whether others are interested					
	Over sensitive to noise, smells, or the feel of clothes					
	Reactive to changes in routine					
	Thinking is concrete, poor abstraction					
<i>BPD</i>	Stormy					
>5	Sees people as good or bad					
	Feels empty inside					
	Easily disappointed					
	Manipulative					
	Mood swings					
	Self destructive					
	Fears abandonment					
	Emotionally sensitive					
	Distorted or unstable self image					
	Self injury (cutting, piercing, head banging)					
<i>NPD</i>	Self centred					
>2	Entitled (feeling the world owes you)					
<i>SD</i>	Trouble sleeping					
	Daytime fatigue					
	Napping					
	Trouble falling asleep					
	Waking in the night					
	Difficulty getting up in the morning					
	Nightmares					
	Snoring					

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<i>ED</i>	Eats too much					
	Eating binges					
	Eats too little					
	Eats too much junk food					
	Vomiting					
	Poor body image					
	Picky eater					
	Overweight					
	Binges					
	Diarrhea					
	Constipation					
	Soiling					
	Cannot control urination (peeing the bed or in clothes)					
<i>LD</i>	Difficulty reading					
	Difficulty writing or printing					
	Difficulty with arithmetic					
	Performance seems very variable					
	Difficulty following instructions					
	Difficulty doing several steps in order					
	Trouble with maps, puzzles, sense of direction					
	Difficulty getting the main idea in conversation					
	Makes irrelevant comments					
	Rambling speech					
	Immature for age					
	Clumsy					
	Not interested in learning					
	Performs below potential					
<i>Other</i>	Procrastination					
	Lack of motivation					
	Rages					
	Explosive					
	Reactive to stress					
	<i>(If age appropriate) Misuses, abuses, or dependency on:</i>					
<i>SUD</i>	Alcohol					
	Cigarettes					
	Marijuana					
	Other drugs					
	<i>If female and adult:</i>					
	Problems with menstruation					
	Problems with menopause					

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