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Date of birth:

AOD COMPREHENSIVE ASSESSMENT



**PURPOSE OF AOD
COMPREHENSIVE
ASSESSMENT**

To ensure that the clients comprehensive treatment needs are adequately assessed so they can access the services most suitable to their needs.

FOR STAFF ONLY

Clinician name: Agency:

Catchment: Referral source: Date referral received:



Signature: Date:

AOD COMPREHENSIVE ASSESSMENT INSTRUCTIONS

- Use the intake tool as a starting point so that you can refer back instead of repeating questions that the client may have already answered
- Complete the core part of the assessment
- Complete any Optional Modules as appropriate
- Complete final case summary sheet and your agency's care plan, and review regularly - including risk assessments
- Review of the Victorian AOD Intake & Assessment Tool's Clinical Guide and e-learning package should be undertaken before using this tool

OPTIONAL MODULES

Individual modules can be found in the links below (scroll down to locate information required).

OPTIONAL MODULE 1: [Physical Examination](#)

OPTIONAL MODULE 2: [ABI Referral Tool for Neuropsychology Assessment](#)

OPTIONAL MODULE 3: [Mental Health](#)

OPTIONAL MODULE 4: [PsyCheck](#)

OPTIONAL MODULE 5: [Quality of Life](#)

OPTIONAL MODULE 6: [Gambling](#)

OPTIONAL MODULE 7: [Goals](#)

OPTIONAL MODULE 8: [Assessment of Recovery Capital](#)

OPTIONAL MODULE 9: [Strengths](#)

~~OPTIONAL MODULE 10:~~ Replaced by [MARAM Tools / Practice Guides for Victim Survivors](#)

OPTIONAL MODULE 11: [Impact of AOD use on Family Member \(Significant Other Survey\)](#)

OPTIONAL MODULE 12: [Forensic Module](#)

NEW MARAM Practice Guides and Tools (Victim Survivors ONLY):

Appendix 3: Screening and Identification Tool

Screen and identify family violence for Victim Survivors only

Appendix 4: Basic Safety Plan

The MARAM template for conducting the family violence safety plan

Appendix 5: Brief Risk Assessment Tool

Family violence risk assessment for time sensitive circumstances (briefer) for Victim Survivors Only

Appendix 6: Adult Intermediate Risk Assessment Tool for Victim Survivors Only

The standard family violence risk assessment tool for AOD agencies

Appendix 7: Child Victim Survivor Risk Assessment Tool

Assess and manage family violence risk involving children

[All MARAM practice guides and tools are found here](#)

1. ALCOHOL AND OTHER DRUGS (AOD)

1A) CURRENT LEVELS OF AOD USE

(check intake tool for additional information. If client was in hospital/prison/rehab in the previous month, record their substance use in the four weeks before that)

SUBSTANCE USE <small>(Detail name of specific substances used)</small>	AGE AT FIRST USE	AGE OF REGULAR USE	ROUTE OF USE <small>(ingests, smokes, injects, sniffs powder, inhales vapour etc.)</small>	AVERAGE DAILY USE <small>(Quantity per day in past four weeks, cost, no. of injections, binge use etc)</small>	DAYS USED IN PAST WEEK	DAYS USED IN PAST FOUR WEEKS	DAYS INJECTED IN PAST FOUR WEEKS	DATE OF LAST USE	SEEKING HELP FOR THIS DRUG
Tobacco products Smoking cessation support desired? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Quitline number (13 7848)									
Alcoholic beverages									
Cannabis <small>(marijuana, pot, grass, hash, synthetic cannabis etc)</small>									
Cocaine									
Methamphetamine <small>(ice, speed, base)</small>									
Other amphetamine type stimulants <small>(MDMA/ecstasy, diet pills, synthetic ATS etc)</small>									

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Inhalants <small>(nitrous, glue, petrol, paint thinner, Amyl etc)</small>									
Non-prescribed sedatives or sleeping pills <small>(benzodiazepines, xanax, valium, serapax, rohypnol, stilnox etc)</small>									
Prescribed sedatives or sleeping pills									
Hallucinogens <small>(LSD, acid, mushrooms, PCP, ketamine, synthetic hallucinogens etc)</small>									
Non-prescribed opioids <small>(heroin, codeine, methadone, oxycodone, morphine etc)</small>									
GHB									
Prescribed opioids									
Other <small>(steroids, caffeine/energy drinks, Phenergan, new and emerging drugs etc)</small>									

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1B) CURRENT DRUG USE STATE (signs of intoxication, withdrawal, BAC)

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1C) AOD USE HISTORY AND BEHAVIOURS

TICK AS MANY BOXES AS RELEVANT TO INDICATE WHEN EXPERIENCED	NOTES
<p>Periods of abstinence</p> <p>Current (within the last four weeks) <input type="checkbox"/> Past <input type="checkbox"/> Never <input type="checkbox"/></p>	
<p>Treatment / interventions</p> <p>Current (within the last four weeks) <input type="checkbox"/> Past <input type="checkbox"/> Never <input type="checkbox"/></p>	
<p>Hospitalisations/ED presentations related to AOD use</p> <p>Current (within the last four weeks) <input type="checkbox"/> Past <input type="checkbox"/> Never <input type="checkbox"/></p>	
<p>Drug overdose</p> <p>Current (within the last four weeks) <input type="checkbox"/> Past <input type="checkbox"/> Never <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>Aware of naloxone? No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/></p>	
<p>Withdrawal and related complications (seizures, delirium, hallucinations etc)</p> <p>Current (within the last four weeks) <input type="checkbox"/> Past <input type="checkbox"/> Never <input type="checkbox"/></p>	
<p>Risky injecting practices (shares equipment, is injected by another etc)</p> <p>Current (within the last four weeks) <input type="checkbox"/> Past <input type="checkbox"/> Never <input type="checkbox"/></p>	
<p>Uses alone</p> <p>Current (within the last four weeks) <input type="checkbox"/> Past <input type="checkbox"/> Never <input type="checkbox"/></p>	
<p>Drives while intoxicated (or under the influence of other drugs)</p> <p>Current (within the last four weeks) <input type="checkbox"/> Past <input type="checkbox"/> Never <input type="checkbox"/></p>	

Notes/actions/patterns of use:

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2. PSYCHOSOCIAL

(check INTAKE TOOL. OPTIONAL MODULE 5: QUALITY OF LIFE; OPTIONAL MODULE 6: GAMBLING; OPTIONAL MODULE 7: GOALS also available)

2A) RESOURCES AND SUPPORTS (OPTIONAL MODULE 8: ASSESSMENT OF RECOVERY CAPITAL & OPTIONAL MODULE 9: STRENGTHS available)

Informal:

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Formal:

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Other services involved:

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2B) GENOGRAM / ECOMAP / SOCIOGRAM

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2C) FAMILY, CHILDREN, DEPENDANTS AND SOCIAL RELATIONSHIPS

(include responsibilities for children/dependants, the impact of substance use on these, whether they are vulnerable, risk of harm to others, DHHS/child protection involvement and responsibility for pets)

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Are children /dependants safe? No Yes

Details:

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DHHS/Child Protection Involvement? No Yes

If yes, current Child Protection Worker name and contact details:

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Children's names & DOB's:

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2D) HOUSING

Are you supported around housing? No Yes

Details:

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Have you ever been forced out of housing by a partner/family member? No Yes (Victim Survivors Only)

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Have you ever needed to stay in emergency housing or refuge? No Yes

Details:

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2E) FINANCES, EMPLOYMENT AND TRAINING (consider main income source such as benefits or employment, unpaid fines/bills and/or and need for financial counselling)

Does anyone have access to your bank account or control your finances? No Yes

Details:

2F) CURRENT LEGAL STATUS (OPTIONAL MODULE 12: FORENSIC available)

Have you recently been charged with a crime? No Yes

Details:

Are you currently:

Awaiting charges (charges pending) Awaiting trial/court (specify date: / /)

On bail On parole (If yes, provide contact details and office of parole officer)

On a post sentence supervision order On a drug treatment order On a community corrections order (CCO)

On drug-diversion (courts, police, etc.) Involved with youth justice Corrections officer/CISP manager

Details (CCO name, phone, justice office location, etc):

Other (please specify):

Current Family Violence Intervention Order (FVIO)? No Yes

As AFM As Respondent Are children included on FVIO? Any breaches of FVIO (current or historical)?

Details of order:

2G) FAMILY VIOLENCE (Victim Survivors Only) MARAM assessment undertaken at intake No Yes

NOTE: Before asking the following, check that client feels safe to answer questions about family violence

a) Is there a partner or family member(s) who does things that make you or your children feel unsafe? No Yes

Examples include:

- Controlled your day-to-day activities (eg. who you see, where you go)
- Physically hurt you or your children (eg. Hit, slapped, kicked)
- Made threats to hurt you or your children in any way

b) Do you have concerns about your immediate safety? No Yes

c) Do you and your children feel safe when you leave here today? No Yes

Details:

(Note - if you are concerned about the **immediate safety** of your client – escalate to your supervisor, call Safe Steps on 1800 015 188 or call police if necessary).

- If Family Violence is disclosed or identified use the MARAM Intermediate Risk Assessment Tool to assess risk.
- Use MARAM safety plan or MARAM aligned basic family violence safety plan in section 7 on page 15.

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3. MEDICAL HISTORY

(OPTIONAL MODULE 1: PHYSICAL EXAMINATION available)

3A) PROBLEM/CONDITION/EXPERIENCE

CONDITIONS (tick as many as relevant)	History of conditions, hospital admissions, past and needed investigations, actions, or treatments where appropriate
<input type="checkbox"/> Allergies	
<input type="checkbox"/> Dietary requirements	
<input type="checkbox"/> Cardiac or respiratory problems (e.g. asthma, emphysema, high blood pressure, heart attack/angina)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Gastrointestinal/hepatic problems (e.g. liver disease, pancreatitis, gastric ulcer, reflux)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Physical injuries or problems (e.g. back injury, limb fracture or injury)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Endocrine problems (e.g. diabetes)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Neurological problems (e.g. fits, seizures, epilepsy, migraines)	

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CONDITIONS (tick as many as relevant)	History of conditions, hospital admissions, past and needed investigations, actions, or treatments where appropriate
<input type="checkbox"/> Head injuries or Acquired Brain Injury (ABI) (Optional Module 2: ABI Referral Tool available)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Dental problems	
<input type="checkbox"/> Chronic pain condition	
<input type="checkbox"/> Pregnancy	
<input type="checkbox"/> Skin conditions	
<input type="checkbox"/> STIs (e.g. Chlamydia, gonorrhoea, herpes etc.) Would the client like to be tested? No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	
Blood borne viruses Has the client been tested for blood borne viruses? No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> Would the client like to be tested for blood borne viruses? No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> Would the client like info about current treatments (e.g. Prep, Hep C)? No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Other	

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4. MENTAL HEALTH

4A) CURRENT DIAGNOSED CONDITIONS (consider administering OPTIONAL MODULE 3: MODIFIED MINI SCREEN or OPTIONAL MODULE 4: PSYCHECK if possible undiagnosed mental health issues suspected or indicated by K10)

CURRENT DIAGNOSED CONDITIONS (tick as many as relevant)	History of conditions, who diagnosed it and when, investigations, and treatments where appropriate
<p>Mood [affective] disorders</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Depressive disorder</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Bipolar affective Disorder</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Mood Disorder (Unspecified)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Other</p>	
<p>Anxiety disorders</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Generalised Anxiety Disorder</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Social phobia</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Panic disorder</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Specific phobias</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> OCD</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Other</p>	
<p>Psychotic disorders</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Schizophrenia /schizoaffective disorder</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Psychosis</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Drug-induced psychosis</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Other</p>	
<p>Personality disorders</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Borderline Personality Disorder</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Anti-social Personality Disorder</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Personality Disorder (other)</p>	

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Position:

Signature:

Date:

CURRENT DIAGNOSED CONDITIONS (tick as many as relevant)	History of conditions, who diagnosed it and when, investigations, and treatments where appropriate
Behavioral Addictions <input type="checkbox"/> Pathological Gambling <input type="checkbox"/> Other (e.g. sex addiction)	
Eating disorders <input type="checkbox"/> Bulimia Nervosa <input type="checkbox"/> Anorexia Nervosa <input type="checkbox"/> Other	
Other disorders <input type="checkbox"/> Intellectual Disability <input type="checkbox"/> Dementia <input type="checkbox"/> Attention Deficit Hyperactive Disorder (ADHD) <input type="checkbox"/> Autism <input type="checkbox"/> Other. Please Specify:	

Client has a mental health case manager or other mental health worker? No Yes

If Yes, worker name and contact details

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Client has a MH care plan from GP No Yes

If Yes details

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Current undiagnosed mental health concerns No Yes

If Yes details

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4B) MENTAL STATE

<p>Appearance/Behaviour</p> <p>Grooming, hygiene, eye contact, motor activity, abnormal movements</p>	
<p>Speech</p> <p>Rate, volume (loud, quiet, whispered), quantity (poverty of speech, monotonous, mutism), fluency (stuttering, slurring, normal)</p>	
<p>Mood/Affect</p> <p>Client (Self) rated mood on a scale of 1-10. Staff observed affect; Anxious, elevated, blunted, labile (uncontrollably/excessively sad, happy, angry), incongruent, range and intensity</p>	
<p>Thoughts: Form</p> <p>Amount and speed of thought, poverty of ideas. Flight of ideas, perseveration, loosening of associations, continuity of ideas, disturbances in language (incoherence)</p>	
<p>Thoughts: Content</p> <p>Delusions, suicidal thought, obsession and phobias</p>	
<p>Perceptions</p> <p>Hallucinations (auditory, visual taste, touch, smell), depersonalisation, derealisation, illusions, distortion of senses, misinterpretation of true sensation</p>	
<p>Cognition</p> <p>Level of consciousness & alertness, memory (recent and past), orientation, concentration</p>	
<p>Insight/Judgement</p> <p>Client's knowledge of problem and need for treatment. Reasoned, poor or impaired judgement</p>	

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6. SUICIDE & SELF-HARM RISK

Complete your agency's risk assessment form. The below table is just a guide, and not a replacement for your current risk assessment.

6A) SUICIDE AND SELF-HARM RISK (based upon SAFE-T approach)

Risk	Comments
<input type="checkbox"/> Sense of hopelessness/worthlessness <input type="checkbox"/> Current/past psychiatric diagnoses <input type="checkbox"/> Ongoing medical illness <input type="checkbox"/> History of abuse/neglect trauma <input type="checkbox"/> Intoxication <input type="checkbox"/> Stressful or triggering events <input type="checkbox"/> Previous attempts of suicide or self-harm	
Suicidal inquiry	Comments
<input type="checkbox"/> Ideation (Do you ever think about killing/harming yourself) <input type="checkbox"/> Intent (Do you want to kill/harm yourself) <input type="checkbox"/> Plan (How would you do it) <input type="checkbox"/> Lethality (Is the method likely to be lethal) <input type="checkbox"/> Accessibility to means <input type="checkbox"/> Suicide/attempted-suicide of significant other or family member	
Protective factors	Comments
<input type="checkbox"/> Internal (coping ability, resilience spirituality, work etc.) <input type="checkbox"/> External (responsibility to children or pets, social support, therapeutic relationships, meaningful activities)	
High risk?	If YES, action taken (ie. referral etc)
<input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes Reason/s:	

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Date:

SAFETY PLAN: when do you need to call someone?

What happens before you reach this point? How to recognise when this is happening

People you can call:

Phone numbers:

Lifeline - Call 13 11 14 for 24 hour crisis support & suicide prevention

SuicideLine Victoria - Call 1300 651 251 for 24 hour suicide prevention using qualified counsellors

DirectLine - Call 1800 888 236 for 24 hour free and confidential advice, counselling and referral for any alcohol or other drug related issues

Emergency services - 000

Actions for you:

Who has a copy of plan?

Provide a copy of this page to the client

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Position:

Signature:

Date:

7. FAMILY VIOLENCE

Basic MARAM Aligned Safety Plan- with a range of referral options

(MARAM risk assessment and management tools and practice guides available- including MARAM Safety plan)

FAMILY VIOLENCE SAFETY PLAN

- This template is to support and guide your safety planning with victim/survivors of family violence. It should be led by victim/survivors as evidence shows that they are the best predictor of their own risk
- Safety planning is not a static process and any /all safety plans need to be reviewed for effectiveness as the elements of risk and circumstance change

Note: it may not be safe for the client to take a copy of this plan with them. Record details of this plan for handover and monitoring on page 16.

Protective Factors:

What is currently working to keep you / you and your children safe?

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What resources do you currently have? Eg. Cash, phone with safe sim, car, Myki card, important documents/scripts are hidden away in safe place

Who are the safe people in your life who could support you at this point in time?

Who else do you need to consider on your safety plan eg. Children, pets?

How would you get to safety if you needed to leave your home quickly?

Where If you needed to leave where could you go to be safe?

When If you needed to leave, when would be a good time or opportunity?

Is Tech safety required Turn off Find my Phone, change social media settings, new sim, access to safe Internet?

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Options for crisis intervention/in immediate danger:

Safesteps (24/7) 1800 105 188 the statewide crisis service for family violence/referral to refuge

Sexual Assault crisis line (24/7) 1800 806 292 immediate crisis response for sexual assault

000 (24/7) to utilize police to come to the home **victim/survivors, especially rural clients, may not choose this option. Victim/survivors are the best predictor of their risk and must lead*

Referral Needs:

- Specialist Family Violence Service in your area
- 1800Respect (1800 737 732), 24/7 Counselling service, information & referrals (non-crisis)
- The Orange Door
- Culturally-specific services to include on plan (eg. Aboriginal, LGBTIQ+, disability)
- Male Victims: Men's Referral Service (MRS) 1300 766 491
- Other

Existing supports:

Consent to contact: No Yes

Any clinician follow-up actions to be completed:

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Agreed date to review this safety plan:

Permission to share information:

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8. FINAL CASE SUMMARY SHEET

Allergies:

GOALS AND REASONS FOR PRESENTATION (including client demographics e.g. gender, age & presenting issues)

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MAIN SUBSTANCES OF CONCERN:

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AUDIT score:

DUDIT score:

K10 score:

Tier (1-5):

Main substance

Other substances

0-7 low risk
 8-15 moderate risk
 16-19 high risk
 >20 dependence likely

Potentially harmful use:
 >1 and the client is female
 >5 and the client is male

0-24 dependence unlikely
 >24 dependence likely

10-19 low psychological distress
 20-24 mild psychological distress
 25-29 moderate psychological distress
 30-50 high psychological distress

1 = Not dependent and no complexity factors
 2 = Not dependent and complexity factors
 3 = Dependent and 0-1 complexity factors
 4 = Dependent and 2-3 complexity factors
 5 = Dependent and 4+ complexity factors

SUBSTANCE USE AND MENTAL HEALTH

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RISK

Suicide, Self Harm, Harm to Others Risk:

- Risk Assessment completed? No Yes
- Safety Plan completed? No Yes
- Risk of harm to others No Yes

Details:

Family Violence:

- MARAM Victim Risk Assessment completed? No Yes
- Safety Plan completed? No Yes
- FVISS/CISS utilised? No Yes

Details:

Risk level:

- Requires immediate protection
- Serious Risk
- Elevated Risk
- At Risk

Safety plan actions with handover notes to treating clinician if required:

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Person identified as using/perpetrating family violence (disclosed, referred or court ordered for mandated engagement, is the respondent on a family violence intervention order, identified through information sharing entity) No Yes

Details:

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TREATMENT TYPE/S REQUIRED	DATE REFERRAL MADE	AGREED ACTIONS (note referrals including agency name, contact worker, referral reason, & appointment time and date, & if referral letter sent, etc)
<input type="checkbox"/> Brief intervention		
<input type="checkbox"/> Bridging support		
<input type="checkbox"/> Standard counselling		
<input type="checkbox"/> Complex counselling		
<input type="checkbox"/> Residential withdrawal (include general hospital)		
<input type="checkbox"/> Non-residential withdrawal		
<input type="checkbox"/> Residential rehabilitation		
<input type="checkbox"/> Therapeutic day rehabilitation		
<input type="checkbox"/> Care and recovery coordination		
<input type="checkbox"/> Pharmacotherapy		
<input type="checkbox"/> Family support		
<input type="checkbox"/> Youth outreach		
<input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify)		

Date Assessment completed: Number of sessions to complete assessment:

Number of assessment sessions the client did not attend:

Setting where assessment was completed: Residential Non-residential Home Off-site Phone Other

Has the agency 'consent to share information' form been completed? No Yes

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