

Brief Directions for:

An Assessment of the Psychosocial and Environmental Problems for Persons Who Have Intellectual Disability

For the purposes of this assessment "Acute Events" events are situations that have happened within the past six months. "Enduring Situations" are situations that have persisted for longer than 6 months. These standards are not rigid as this assessment is intended to demonstrate areas of a person's life in which they may need support as the Person Centered Planning process is initiated/ revised. It may however be also used as a baseline and subsequent indicator of a relative change in stressors for that individual.

This is a 3 page assessment. Read each item. For every item that is descriptive of the individual put a mark beside the statement.

In the column marked Score, total the number of marks for that line. Each line will then have a total of 0, 1, or 2 "points". Sub-Total the points for each category and then aggregate the Sub-Totals for the entire list "Total of All Scores" (page 3).

Example:

Person Evaluated: <i>John Example</i>		Date: <i>3/1/2006</i>	Other:
	Acute Events	Enduring Situations	Score
Problems with primary support group			
Death of a family member	<i>1</i>	Illness of a family member	<i>1</i>
Divorce/separation		Illness of housemate	<i>0</i>
Sexual/physical abuse (recent/current)		Sexual/physical abuse	<i>0</i>
Removal from the home		No family or no family involvement	<i>1</i>
Major change in expectations by others (especially parents or surrogates)	<i>1</i>	Poor home staff quality/stability	<i>1</i>

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