

Fecha de hoy/Today's Date: _____

Nombre del niño(a)/Child's Name: _____

Fecha de nacimiento/Date of Birth: _____

Nombre del padre y/o de la madre/Parent's Name: _____

Teléfono/Parent's Phone Number: _____

Instrucciones: Conteste basándose en lo que considera apropiado para un niño de esa edad. Al completar este cuestionario, piense por favor en la conducta de su niño durante los últimos seis meses.

Directions: Each rating should be considered in the context of what is appropriate for the age of your child. When completing this form, please think about your child's behaviors in the past 6 months.

Esta evaluación se refiere a un período en el que su hijo(a)

Is this evaluation based on a time when the child

 tomaba medicamentos
was on medication

 no tomaba medicamentos
was not on medication

 no lo recuerda
not sure?

Síntomas/ Symptoms	Nunca/ Never	A veces/ Occasionally	Seguido/ Often	Muy seguido/ Very Often
1. No pone atención a los detalles o comete errores por descuido, como por ejemplo, cuando hace la tarea <i>Does not pay attention to details or makes careless mistakes with, for example, homework</i>	0	1	2	3
2. Se le dificulta mantenerse atento al llevar a cabo sus actividades <i>Has difficulty keeping attention to what needs to be done</i>	0	1	2	3
3. Parece no estar escuchando cuando se le habla directamente <i>Does not seem to listen when spoken to directly</i>	0	1	2	3
4. No sigue las instrucciones hasta el final y no concluye sus actividades (no porque se rehúse a seguirlas o porque no las comprenda) <i>Does not follow through when given directions and fails to finish activities (not due to refusal or failure to understand)</i>	0	1	2	3
5. Tiene dificultad al organizar sus tareas diarias y actividades <i>Has difficulty organizing tasks and activities</i>	0	1	2	3
6. Evita, le disgusta o no quiere comenzar actividades que requieren un mayor esfuerzo mental <i>Avoids, dislikes, or does not want to start tasks that require ongoing mental effort</i>	0	1	2	3
7. Pierde cosas que son indispensables para cumplir con sus tareas o actividades (juguetes, tareas de la escuela, lápices o libros) <i>Loses things necessary for tasks or activities (toys, assignments, pencils, or books)</i>	0	1	2	3
8. Se distrae fácilmente con ruidos u otros estímulos externos <i>Is easily distracted by noises or other stimuli</i>	0	1	2	3
9. Es olvidadizo(a) en sus actividades cotidianas <i>Is forgetful in daily activities</i>	0	1	2	3
10. Mueve constantemente las manos o los pies, o no se está quieto(a) en su asiento <i>Fidgets with hands or feet or squirms in seat</i>	0	1	2	3
11. Se pone de pie cuando debiera permanecer sentado(a) <i>Leaves seat when remaining seated is expected</i>	0	1	2	3

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D3s2 Sistema NICHQ Vanderbilt de Evaluación. Continuación cuestionario para PADRES
NICHQ Vanderbilt Assessment Scale—PARENT Informant, continued

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Síntomas (continuación)/ Symptoms (continued)	Nunca/ Never	A veces/ Occasionally	Seguido/ Often	Muy seguido/ Very Often
12. Corre o camina por todos lados cuando debiera permanecer sentado <i>Runs about or climbs too much when remaining seated is expected</i>	0	1	2	3
13. Se le dificulta jugar o empezar actividades recreativas más tranquilas <i>Has difficulty playing or beginning quiet play activities</i>	0	1	2	3
14. Está en constante movimiento o actúa como si "tuviera un motor por dentro" <i>Is "on the go" or often acts as if "driven by a motor"</i>	0	1	2	3
15. Habla demasiado <i>Talks too much</i>	0	1	2	3
16. Responde precipitadamente, incluso antes de escuchar la pregunta completa <i>Blurts out answers before questions have been completed</i>	0	1	2	3
17. Tiene dificultad al esperar su turno <i>Has difficulty waiting his or her turn</i>	0	1	2	3
18. Interrumpe o se entromete en conversaciones o actividades ajenas <i>Interrupts or intrudes in on others' conversations and/or activities</i>	0	1	2	3
19. Discute con adultos <i>Argues with adults</i>	0	1	2	3
20. Se enfurece con facilidad <i>Loses temper</i>	0	1	2	3
21. Desafía abiertamente o se niega a cumplir las órdenes o las reglas de los adultos <i>Actively defies or refuses to go along with adults' requests or rules</i>	0	1	2	3
22. Molesta adrede a los demás <i>Deliberately annoys people</i>	0	1	2	3
23. Culpa a otros de sus propios errores o su mal comportamiento <i>Blames others for his or her mistakes or misbehaviors</i>	0	1	2	3
24. Se ofende o se molesta fácilmente con otros <i>Is touchy or easily annoyed by others</i>	0	1	2	3
25. Está enojado(a) o resentido(a) <i>Is angry or resentful</i>	0	1	2	3
26. Es rencoroso y vengativo <i>Is spiteful and wants to get even</i>	0	1	2	3
27. Reta, amenaza o intimida a otros <i>Bullies, threatens, or intimidates others</i>	0	1	2	3
28. Comienza peleas de contacto físico <i>Starts physical fights</i>	0	1	2	3
29. Miente con el fin de salir de apuros o para eludir sus obligaciones <i>Lies to get out of trouble or to avoid obligations (ie, "cons" others)</i>	0	1	2	3
30. Falta a la escuela sin permiso <i>Is truant from school (skips school) without permission</i>	0	1	2	3



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Síntomas (continuación)/ Symptoms (continued)	Nunca/ Never	A veces/ Occasionally	Seguido/ Often	Muy seguido/ Very Often
31. Es físicamente cruel con los demás <i>Is physically cruel to people</i>	0	1	2	3
32. Ha robado cosas de valor <i>Has stolen things that have value</i>	0	1	2	3
33. Destruye deliberadamente la propiedad ajena <i>Deliberately destroys others' property</i>	0	1	2	3
34. Ha usado un objeto que puede herir a alguien (bate, cuchillo, ladrillo, pistola) <i>Has used a weapon that can cause serious harm (bat, knife, brick, gun)</i>	0	1	2	3
35. Tortura animales <i>Is physically cruel to animals</i>	0	1	2	3
36. Ha provocado fuegos para causar daños <i>Has deliberately set fires to cause damage</i>	0	1	2	3
37. Ha entrado a una casa, un negocio o un carro ajeno <i>Has broken into someone else's home, business, or car</i>	0	1	2	3
38. Ha permanecido fuera de la casa sin permiso durante la noche <i>Has stayed out at night without permission</i>	0	1	2	3
39. Se ha escapado de la casa durante la noche <i>Has run away from home overnight</i>	0	1	2	3
40. Ha obligado a alguien a sostener algún tipo de actividad sexual <i>Has forced someone into sexual activity</i>	0	1	2	3
41. Siente miedo, ansiedad o está preocupado <i>Is fearful, anxious, or worried</i>	0	1	2	3
42. Teme hacer nuevas cosas por temor a cometer errores <i>Is afraid to try new things for fear of making mistakes</i>	0	1	2	3
43. Se desprecia a sí mismo se siente inferior <i>Feels worthless or inferior</i>	0	1	2	3
44. Siente que los problemas son responsabilidad suya y se siente culpable <i>Blames self for problems, feels guilty</i>	0	1	2	3
45. Se siente solo(a), rechazado(a) o sin amor; se queja de que nadie lo quiere <i>Feels lonely, unwanted, or unloved; complains that "no one loves him or her"</i>	0	1	2	3
46. Se siente triste, infeliz o deprimido(a) <i>Is sad, unhappy, or depressed</i>	0	1	2	3
47. Está al pendiente de sus actos o se avergüenza fácilmente <i>Is self-conscious or easily embarrassed</i>	0	1	2	3



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Comportamiento Performance	Excelente/ Excellent	Sobre lo normal/ Above Average	Normal/ Average	Cierta dificultad/ Somewhat of a Problem	Con dificultad/ Problematic
48. Comportamiento general en la escuela <i>Overall school performance</i>	1	2	3	4	5
49. Lectura <i>Reading</i>	1	2	3	4	5
50. Escritura <i>Writing</i>	1	2	3	4	5
51. Matemáticas <i>Mathematics</i>	1	2	3	4	5
52. Relación con sus padres <i>Relationship with parents</i>	1	2	3	4	5
53. Relación con sus hermanos <i>Relationship with siblings</i>	1	2	3	4	5
54. Relación con sus compañeros <i>Relationship with peers</i>	1	2	3	4	5
55. Participación en actividades organizadas (ejemplo: equipos deportivos) <i>Participation in organized activities (eg, teams)</i>	1	2	3	4	5

Comentarios/Comments:

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Total number of questions scored 2 or 3 in questions 1–9: _____

Total number of questions scored 2 or 3 in questions 10–18: _____

Total Symptom Score for questions 1–18: _____

Total number of questions scored 2 or 3 in questions 19–26: _____

Total number of questions scored 2 or 3 in questions 27–40: _____

Total number of questions scored 2 or 3 in questions 41–47: _____

Total number of questions scored 4 or 5 in questions 48–55: _____

Average Performance Score: _____



D5s1 Seguimiento de la Evaluación NICHQ Vanderbilt. Cuestionario para PADRES
NICHQ Vanderbilt Assessment Follow-up—PARENT Informant

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Fecha de nacimiento/Date of Birth: _____

Nombre del padre o de la madre/Parent's Name: _____

Teléfono/Parent's Phone Number: _____

Instrucciones: Conteste basándose en lo que considera apropiado para un niño de esa edad. Al completar este cuestionario, piense por favor en la conducta de su niño(a) desde la última vez que llenó el primer cuestionario.

Directions: Each rating should be considered in the context of what is appropriate for the age of your child. Please think about your child's behaviors since the last assessment scale was filled out when rating his/her behaviors.

Durante el período de evaluación su hijo(a)
Is this evaluation based on a time when the child

tomaba medicamentos
 was on medication

no tomaba medicamentos
 was not on medication

no lo recuerda
 not sure?

Síntomas/ Symptoms	Nunca/ Never	A veces/ Occasionally	Seguido/ Often	Muy seguido/ Very Often
1. No pone atención a los detalles o comete errores por descuido como por ejemplo, cuando hace la tarea <i>Does not pay attention to details or makes careless mistakes with, for example, homework</i>	0	1	2	3
2. Se le dificulta mantenerse atento al llevar a cabo sus actividades <i>Has difficulty keeping attention to what needs to be done</i>	0	1	2	3
3. Parece no estar escuchando cuando se le habla directamente <i>Does not seem to listen when spoken to directly</i>	0	1	2	3
4. No sigue las instrucciones hasta el final y no concluye sus actividades (no porque se rehúse a seguirlas o porque no las comprenda) <i>Does not follow through when given directions and fails to finish activities (not due to refusal or failure to understand)</i>	0	1	2	3
5. Tiene dificultad al organizar sus tareas y actividades <i>Has difficulty organizing tasks and activities</i>	0	1	2	3
6. Evita, le disgusta o no quiere comenzar actividades que requieren un continuo esfuerzo mental <i>Avoids, dislikes, or does not want to start tasks that require ongoing mental effort</i>	0	1	2	3
7. Pierde cosas que son indispensables para cumplir con sus tareas o actividades (juguetes, tareas de la escuela, lápices o libros) <i>Loses things necessary for tasks or activities (toys, assignments, pencils, or books)</i>	0	1	2	3
8. Se distrae fácilmente con ruidos u otros estímulos externos <i>Is easily distracted by noises or other stimuli</i>	0	1	2	3
9. Es olvidadizo(a) en sus actividades cotidianas <i>Is forgetful in daily activities</i>	0	1	2	3
10. Mueve constantemente las manos o los pies, o no se está quieto(a) en su asiento <i>Fidgets with hands or feet or squirms in seat</i>	0	1	2	3
11. Se pone de pie cuando debiera permanecer sentado(a) <i>Leaves seat when remaining seated is expected</i>	0	1	2	3

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Síntomas (continuación)/ Symptoms (continued)	Nunca/ Never	A veces/ Occasionally	Seguido/ Often	Muy seguido/ Very Often	
12. Corre o camina por todos lados cuando debiera permanecer sentado <i>Runs about or climbs too much when remaining seated is expected</i>	0	1	2	3	
13. Se le dificulta jugar o empezar actividades recreativas más tranquilas <i>Has difficulty playing or beginning quiet play activities</i>	0	1	2	3	
14. Está en constante movimiento o actúa como si "tuviera un motor por dentro" <i>Is "on the go" or often acts as if "driven by a motor"</i>	0	1	2	3	
15. Habla demasiado <i>Talks too much</i>	0	1	2	3	
16. Responde precipitadamente, incluso antes de escuchar la pregunta completa <i>Blurts out answers before questions have been completed</i>	0	1	2	3	
17. Tiene dificultad al esperar su turno <i>Has difficulty waiting his or her turn</i>	0	1	2	3	
18. Interrumpe o se entromete en conversaciones o actividades ajenas <i>Interrupts or intrudes in on others' conversations and/or activities</i>	0	1	2	3	
Comportamiento Performance	Excelente/ Excellent	Sobre lo normal/ Above Average	Normal/ Average	Cierta dificultad/ Somewhat of a Problem	Con dificultad/ Problematic
19. Comportamiento general en la escuela <i>Overall school performance</i>	1	2	3	4	5
20. Lectura <i>Reading</i>	1	2	3	4	5
21. Escritura <i>Writing</i>	1	2	3	4	5
22. Matemáticas <i>Mathematics</i>	1	2	3	4	5
23. Relación con sus padres <i>Relationship with parents</i>	1	2	3	4	5
24. Relación con sus hermanos <i>Relationship with siblings</i>	1	2	3	4	5
25. Relación con sus compañeros <i>Relationship with peers</i>	1	2	3	4	5
26. Participación en actividades organizadas (ejemplo: equipos deportivos) <i>Participation in organized activities (eg, teams)</i>	1	2	3	4	5



Fecha de hoy/Today's Date: _____

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Efectos colaterales: Durante la semana pasada, ¿ha padecido su hijo(a) alguno de los siguientes problemas de salud o posibles efectos colaterales del tratamiento? Side Effects: Has your child experienced any of the following side effects or problems in the past week?	¿Estos efectos colaterales son un problema actual? Are these side effects currently a problem?			
	No/ None	Leve/ Mild	Moderado/ Moderate	Severo/ Severe
Dolor de cabeza <i>Headache</i>				
Dolor de estómago <i>Stomachache</i>				
Alteración del apetito (explique abajo) <i>Change of appetite—explain below</i>				
Problemas para dormir <i>Trouble sleeping</i>				
Irritabilidad al mediodía, al anochecer o por las tardes (explique abajo) <i>Irritability in the late morning, late afternoon, or evening—explain below</i>				
Conducta antisocial (su interacción con los otros se ha reducido) <i>Socially withdrawn—decreased interaction with others</i>				
Tristeza profunda o llanto sin motivo aparente <i>Extreme sadness or unusual crying</i>				
Aburrido(a), cansado(a), apático(a) <i>Dull, tired, listless behavior</i>				
Escalofríos/siente que le tiembla el cuerpo <i>Tremors/feeling shaky</i>				
Movimientos involuntarios, tic nerviosos, pestañeos continuos (explique abajo) <i>Repetitive movements, tics, jerking, twitching, eye blinking—explain below</i>				
Se come las uñas, se rasca la piel o se muerde los labios (explique abajo) <i>Picking at skin or fingers, nail biting, lip or cheek chewing—explain below</i>				
Ve o escucha cosas imaginarias <i>Sees or hears things that aren't there</i>				

Explique/Comentarios:
Explain/Comments:

<p>For Office Use Only</p> <p>Total Symptom Score for questions 1–18: _____</p> <p>Average Performance Score for questions 19–26: _____</p>
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Este cuadro clínico se basa en el Índice de efectos colaterales de Pittsburgh, desarrollado por William E. Pelham, Jr, PhD.
 En el sitio <http://wings.buffalo.edu/adhd> encontrará información disponible para descargarlo en formato expandido a su computadora sin ningún costo.



Teacher's Name: _____ Class Time: _____ Class Name/Period: _____

Today's Date: _____ Child's Name: _____ Grade Level: _____

Directions: Each rating should be considered in the context of what is appropriate for the age of the child you are rating and should reflect that child's behavior since the beginning of the school year. Please indicate the number of weeks or months you have been able to evaluate the behaviors: _____.

Is this evaluation based on a time when the child was on medication was not on medication not sure?

Symptoms	Never	Occasionally	Often	Very Often
1. Fails to give attention to details or makes careless mistakes in schoolwork	0	1	2	3
2. Has difficulty sustaining attention to tasks or activities	0	1	2	3
3. Does not seem to listen when spoken to directly	0	1	2	3
4. Does not follow through on instructions and fails to finish schoolwork (not due to oppositional behavior or failure to understand)	0	1	2	3
5. Has difficulty organizing tasks and activities	0	1	2	3
6. Avoids, dislikes, or is reluctant to engage in tasks that require sustained mental effort	0	1	2	3
7. Loses things necessary for tasks or activities (school assignments, pencils, or books)	0	1	2	3
8. Is easily distracted by extraneous stimuli	0	1	2	3
9. Is forgetful in daily activities	0	1	2	3
10. Fidgets with hands or feet or squirms in seat	0	1	2	3
11. Leaves seat in classroom or in other situations in which remaining seated is expected	0	1	2	3
12. Runs about or climbs excessively in situations in which remaining seated is expected	0	1	2	3
13. Has difficulty playing or engaging in leisure activities quietly	0	1	2	3
14. Is "on the go" or often acts as if "driven by a motor"	0	1	2	3
15. Talks excessively	0	1	2	3
16. Blurts out answers before questions have been completed	0	1	2	3
17. Has difficulty waiting in line	0	1	2	3
18. Interrupts or intrudes on others (eg, butts into conversations/games)	0	1	2	3
19. Loses temper	0	1	2	3
20. Actively defies or refuses to comply with adult's requests or rules	0	1	2	3
21. Is angry or resentful	0	1	2	3
22. Is spiteful and vindictive	0	1	2	3
23. Bullies, threatens, or intimidates others	0	1	2	3
24. Initiates physical fights	0	1	2	3
25. Lies to obtain goods for favors or to avoid obligations (eg, "cons" others)	0	1	2	3
26. Is physically cruel to people	0	1	2	3
27. Has stolen items of nontrivial value	0	1	2	3
28. Deliberately destroys others' property	0	1	2	3
29. Is fearful, anxious, or worried	0	1	2	3
30. Is self-conscious or easily embarrassed	0	1	2	3
31. Is afraid to try new things for fear of making mistakes	0	1	2	3

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Teacher's Name: _____ Class Time: _____ Class Name/Period: _____

Today's Date: _____ Child's Name: _____ Grade Level: _____

Symptoms (continued)	Never	Occasionally	Often	Very Often
32. Feels worthless or inferior	0	1	2	3
33. Blames self for problems; feels guilty	0	1	2	3
34. Feels lonely, unwanted, or unloved; complains that "no one loves him or her"	0	1	2	3
35. Is sad, unhappy, or depressed	0	1	2	3

Performance	Excellent	Above Average	Average	Somewhat of a Problem	Problematic
Academic Performance					
36. Reading	1	2	3	4	5
37. Mathematics	1	2	3	4	5
38. Written expression	1	2	3	4	5

Classroom Behavioral Performance	Excellent	Above Average	Average	Somewhat of a Problem	Problematic
39. Relationship with peers	1	2	3	4	5
40. Following directions	1	2	3	4	5
41. Disrupting class	1	2	3	4	5
42. Assignment completion	1	2	3	4	5
43. Organizational skills	1	2	3	4	5

Comments:

Please return this form to: _____

Mailing address: _____

Fax number: _____

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Total number of questions scored 2 or 3 in questions 1–9: _____

Total number of questions scored 2 or 3 in questions 10–18: _____

Total Symptom Score for questions 1–18: _____

Total number of questions scored 2 or 3 in questions 19–28: _____

Total number of questions scored 2 or 3 in questions 29–35: _____

Total number of questions scored 4 or 5 in questions 36–43: _____

Average Performance Score: _____

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Teacher's Name: _____ Class Time: _____ Class Name/Period: _____

Today's Date: _____ Child's Name: _____ Grade Level: _____

Directions: Each rating should be considered in the context of what is appropriate for the age of the child you are rating and should reflect that child's behavior since the last assessment scale was filled out. Please indicate the number of weeks or months you have been able to evaluate the behaviors: _____.

Is this evaluation based on a time when the child was on medication was not on medication not sure?

Symptoms	Never	Occasionally	Often	Very Often
1. Does not pay attention to details or makes careless mistakes with, for example, homework	0	1	2	3
2. Has difficulty keeping attention to what needs to be done	0	1	2	3
3. Does not seem to listen when spoken to directly	0	1	2	3
4. Does not follow through when given directions and fails to finish activities (not due to refusal or failure to understand)	0	1	2	3
5. Has difficulty organizing tasks and activities	0	1	2	3
6. Avoids, dislikes, or does not want to start tasks that require ongoing mental effort	0	1	2	3
7. Loses things necessary for tasks or activities (toys, assignments, pencils, or books)	0	1	2	3
8. Is easily distracted by noises or other stimuli	0	1	2	3
9. Is forgetful in daily activities	0	1	2	3
10. Fidgets with hands or feet or squirms in seat	0	1	2	3
11. Leaves seat when remaining seated is expected	0	1	2	3
12. Runs about or climbs too much when remaining seated is expected	0	1	2	3
13. Has difficulty playing or beginning quiet play activities	0	1	2	3
14. Is "on the go" or often acts as if "driven by a motor"	0	1	2	3
15. Talks too much	0	1	2	3
16. Blurts out answers before questions have been completed	0	1	2	3
17. Has difficulty waiting his or her turn	0	1	2	3
18. Interrupts or intrudes in on others' conversations and/or activities	0	1	2	3

Performance	Excellent	Somewhat			
		Above Average	Average	of a Problem	Problematic
19. Reading	1	2	3	4	5
20. Mathematics	1	2	3	4	5
21. Written expression	1	2	3	4	5
22. Relationship with peers	1	2	3	4	5
23. Following direction	1	2	3	4	5
24. Disrupting class	1	2	3	4	5
25. Assignment completion	1	2	3	4	5
26. Organizational skills	1	2	3	4	5

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Teacher's Name: _____ Class Time: _____ Class Name/Period: _____

Today's Date: _____ Child's Name: _____ Grade Level: _____

Side Effects: Has the child experienced any of the following side effects or problems in the past week?	Are these side effects currently a problem?			
	None	Mild	Moderate	Severe
Headache				
Stomachache				
Change of appetite—explain below				
Trouble sleeping				
Irritability in the late morning, late afternoon, or evening—explain below				
Socially withdrawn—decreased interaction with others				
Extreme sadness or unusual crying				
Dull, tired, listless behavior				
Tremors/feeling shaky				
Repetitive movements, tics, jerking, twitching, eye blinking—explain below				
Picking at skin or fingers, nail biting, lip or cheek chewing—explain below				
Sees or hears things that aren't there				

Explain/Comments:**For Office Use Only**

Total Symptom Score for questions 1–18: _____

Average Performance Score: _____

Please return this form to: _____

Mailing address: _____

Fax number: _____

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Scoring Instructions for the NICHQ Vanderbilt Assessment Scales

These scales should NOT be used alone to make any diagnosis. You must take into consideration information from multiple sources. Scores of 2 or 3 on a single Symptom question reflect *often-occurring* behaviors. Scores of 4 or 5 on Performance questions reflect problems in performance.

The initial assessment scales, parent and teacher, have 2 components: symptom assessment and impairment in performance. On both the parent and teacher initial scales, the symptom assessment screens for symptoms that meet criteria for both inattentive (items 1–9) and hyperactive ADHD (items 10–18).

To meet *DSM-IV* criteria for the diagnosis, one must have at least 6 positive responses to either the inattentive 9 or hyperactive 9 core symptoms, or both. A positive response is a 2 or 3 (often, very often) (you could draw a line straight down the page and count the positive answers in each subsegment). There is a place to

record the number of positives in each subsegment, and a place for total score for the first 18 symptoms (just add them up).

The initial scales also have symptom screens for 3 other co-morbidities—oppositional-defiant, conduct, and anxiety/depression. These are screened by the number of positive responses in each of the segments separated by the “squares.” The specific item sets and numbers of positives required for each co-morbid symptom screen set are detailed below.

The second section of the scale has a set of performance measures, scored 1 to 5, with 4 and 5 being somewhat of a problem/problematic. To meet criteria for ADHD there must be at least one item of the Performance set in which the child scores a 4 or 5; ie, there must be impairment, not just symptoms to meet diagnostic criteria. The sheet has a place to record the number of positives (4s, 5s) and an Average Performance Score—add them up and divide by number of Performance criteria answered.

Parent Assessment Scale	Teacher Assessment Scale
<p>Predominantly Inattentive subtype</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Must score a 2 or 3 on 6 out of 9 items on questions 1–9 <u>AND</u> ■ Score a 4 or 5 on any of the Performance questions 48–55 <p>Predominantly Hyperactive/Impulsive subtype</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Must score a 2 or 3 on 6 out of 9 items on questions 10–18 <u>AND</u> ■ Score a 4 or 5 on any of the Performance questions 48–55 <p>ADHD Combined Inattention/Hyperactivity</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Requires the above criteria on both inattention and hyperactivity/impulsivity <p>Oppositional-Defiant Disorder Screen</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Must score a 2 or 3 on 4 out of 8 behaviors on questions 19–26 <u>AND</u> ■ Score a 4 or 5 on any of the Performance questions 48–55 <p>Conduct Disorder Screen</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Must score a 2 or 3 on 3 out of 14 behaviors on questions 27–40 <u>AND</u> ■ Score a 4 or 5 on any of the Performance questions 48–55 <p>Anxiety/Depression Screen</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Must score a 2 or 3 on 3 out of 7 behaviors on questions 41–47 <u>AND</u> ■ Score a 4 or 5 on any of the Performance questions 48–55 	<p>Predominantly Inattentive subtype</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Must score a 2 or 3 on 6 out of 9 items on questions 1–9 <u>AND</u> ■ Score a 4 or 5 on any of the Performance questions 36–43 <p>Predominantly Hyperactive/Impulsive subtype</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Must score a 2 or 3 on 6 out of 9 items on questions 10–18 <u>AND</u> ■ Score a 4 or 5 on any of the Performance questions 36–43 <p>ADHD Combined Inattention/Hyperactivity</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Requires the above criteria on both inattention and hyperactivity/impulsivity <p>Oppositional-Defiant/Conduct Disorder Screen</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Must score a 2 or 3 on 3 out of 10 items on questions 19–28 <u>AND</u> ■ Score a 4 or 5 on any of the Performance questions 36–43 <p>Anxiety/Depression Screen</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Must score a 2 or 3 on 3 out of 7 items on questions 29–35 <u>AND</u> ■ Score a 4 or 5 on any of the Performance questions 36–43

The parent and teacher follow-up scales have the first 18 core ADHD symptoms, not the co-morbid symptoms. The section segment has the same Performance items and impairment assessment as the initial scales, and then has a side-effect reporting scale that can be used to both assess and monitor the presence of adverse reactions to medications prescribed, if any.

Scoring the follow-up scales involves only calculating a total symptom score for items 1–18 that can be tracked over time, and

the average of the Performance items answered as measures of improvement over time with treatment.

Parent Assessment Follow-up

- Calculate Total Symptom Score for questions 1–18.
- Calculate Average Performance Score for questions 19–26.

Teacher Assessment Follow-up

- Calculate Total Symptom Score for questions 1–18.
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