

ASAM LOC Recommendation

Client Name _____ Client ID # _____ Date _____

1.	ACUTE INTOXICATION AND/OR WITHDRAWAL (W/D) POTENTIAL	
<input type="checkbox"/>	0	Fully functioning, no signs of intoxication or W/D present.
<input type="checkbox"/>	1	Mild to moderate intoxication interferes with daily functioning, but does not pose a danger to self/others. Minimal risk of severe W/D.
<input type="checkbox"/>	2	Intoxication may be severe, but responds to support; not posing a danger to self or others. Moderate risk of severe W/D.
<input type="checkbox"/>	3	Severe signs/symptoms of intoxication indicate an imminent danger to self/others. Risk of severe but manageable W/D; or W/D is worsening.
<input type="checkbox"/>	4	Incapacitated, with severe signs/symptoms. Severe W/D presents danger, such as seizures. Continued use poses an imminent threat to life (e.g., liver failure, GI bleeding, or fetal death).

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2.	BIOMEDICAL CONDITIONS AND COMPLICATIONS	
<input type="checkbox"/>	0	Fully functioning and able to cope with any physical discomfort. No biomedical signs/symptoms present, or biomedical problems are stable (ex. <u>Adolescents</u> : stable asthma or stable juvenile arthritis. <u>Adults</u> : stable hypertension or chronic pain).
<input type="checkbox"/>	1	Adequate ability to cope with physical discomfort. Mild to moderate symptoms (such as mild to moderate pain) interfere with daily functioning.
<input type="checkbox"/>	2	Some difficulty tolerating physical problems. Acute, non-life threatening medical symptoms (such as acute episodes of chronic, distracting pain, or signs of malnutrition or electrolyte imbalance) are present. Serious biomedical problems are neglected.
<input type="checkbox"/>	3	Poor ability to tolerate and cope with physical problems, and/or general health condition is poor. Serious medical problems neglected during outpatient or IOT services. Severe medical problems (ex. <u>Adolescents</u> : asthma or diabetes is complicated, or client is on a new treatment regimen; <u>Adults</u> : severe pain requiring medication, or hard to control Type 1 Diabetes) are present but stable.
<input type="checkbox"/>	4	The person is incapacitated, with severe medical problems (such as extreme pain, uncontrolled diabetes, GI bleeding, or infection requiring IV antibiotics).

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3. EMOTIONAL, BEHAVIORAL OR COGNITIVE (EBC) CONDITIONS AND COMPLICATIONS		
<input type="checkbox"/>	0	Good impulse control, coping skills and sub-domains (dangerousness/lethality, interference with recovery efforts, social functioning, self-care ability, course of illness).
<input type="checkbox"/>	1	There is a suspected or diagnosed EBC condition that requires intervention, but does not significantly interfere with treatment. Relationships are being impaired but not endangered by substance use.
<input type="checkbox"/>	2	Persistent EBC condition, with symptoms that distract from recovery efforts, but are not an immediate threat to safety and do not prevent independent functioning.
<input type="checkbox"/>	3	Severe EBC symptomatology, but sufficient control that does not require involuntary confinement. Impulse to harm self/others, but not dangerous in a 24-hr. setting
<input type="checkbox"/>	4	Severe EBC symptomatology; requires involuntary confinement. Exhibits severe and acute life-threatening symptoms (e.g., dangerous or impulsive behavior or cognitive functioning) posing imminent danger to self/others.

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4. READINESS TO CHANGE (Consider both Substance Use and Mental Health Disorders)		
<input type="checkbox"/>	0	Engaged in treatment as a proactive, responsible participant. Committed to change.
<input type="checkbox"/>	1	Ambivalent of the need to change. Willing to explore need for treatment and strategies to reduce or stop substance use. May believe it will not be difficult to change, or does not accept a full recovery treatment plan.
<input type="checkbox"/>	2	Reluctant to agree to treatment. Able to articulate negative consequences (of substance use and/or mental health problems) but has low commitment to change. Passively involved in treatment (variable follow through, variable attendance)
<input type="checkbox"/>	3	Minimal awareness of need to change. Only partially able to follow through with treatment recommendations.
<input type="checkbox"/>	4	Unable to follow through, little or no awareness of problems, knows very little about addiction, sees no connection between substance use/consequences. Not willing to explore change. Unwilling/unable to follow through with treatment recommendations.

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