



### SEVERITY SCALES

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	No Impairment	Minimal Impairment	Low Impairment	Low Impairment	Moderate Impairment	Moderate Impairment	Marked Impairment	Marked Impairment	Severe Impairment	Severe Impairment
<b>F E E L I N G S</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="radio"/> Stable mood, control of feelings.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Feelings are appropriate.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Emotions are under control.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Responses to questions/requests are calm and composed.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="radio"/> Affect elevated but generally appropriate.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Brief periods of slightly elevated negative mood.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Emotions are substantially under control.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Responses to questions/requests are emotional but composed.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="radio"/> Evidence of negative feelings pronounced and are increasingly inappropriate.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Duration of feeling intensity longer than situation warrants.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Emotions are controlled but focused on crisis event.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Responses to questions/requests vary from rapid and agitated to slow and subdued.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="radio"/> Feelings are primarily negative and are exaggerated or increasingly diminished.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Efforts to control emotions are not always successful.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Emotions not under control but remain focused on crisis.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Responses to questions/requests are emotionally volatile or beginning to shut down.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="radio"/> Feelings are negative and highly volatile or may be nonexistent.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Extremely limited control of emotions.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Emotions start to generalize from crisis event to other people and situations.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Responses to questions/requests noncompliant due to interference of emotions.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="radio"/> Feelings are extremely pronounced to being devoid of feeling.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> No ability to control feelings regardless of potential danger to self or others.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Emotions of the crisis are generalized to other people and situations.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Cannot respond to questions/requests because of interference of emotions.</li> </ul>				
<b>B E H A V I O R S</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Behaviors are socially appropriate.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Daily functioning unimpeded.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Threat or danger nonexistent.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Behavior is stable and non-offensive.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Behaviors mostly effective, outbursts if present are inconsequential.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Can perform tasks needed for daily functioning with minimal effort.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Behavior demonstrates frustration, but is nonthreatening.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Behaviors mostly stable and non-offensive.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Behaviors are somewhat ineffective, yet not dangerous.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Performing tasks needed for daily living minimally compromised.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Behaviors minimal threat to self or others.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Behavior becoming unstable and offensive.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Behaviors are maladaptive but not immediately destructive.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Performance of tasks needed for daily living is noticeably compromised.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Behavior is a potential threat to self or others.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Upon request, behaviors can be controlled with effort.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Behaviors are likely to intensify crisis situation.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Ability to perform tasks needed for daily functioning seriously impaired.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Impulsivity has the potential to be harmful to self or others.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Behaviors are very difficult to control even with repeated requests.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Behaviors are totally ineffective and accelerate the crisis.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Unable to perform even simple tasks needed for daily functioning.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Behaviors are highly destructive possibly to cause injury/death to self or others.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Behavior is out of control and nonresponsive to requests.</li> </ul>				
<b>T H O U G H T S</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="radio"/> Decisions are considerate of others.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Decisions are logical and reasonable.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Perception of crisis event substantially matches reality.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Able to carry on reasonable dialog and understand and acknowledge views of others.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Problem solving intact.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="radio"/> Decisions may not be considerate of others.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Decisions becoming indecisive but only with respect to crisis.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Thinking influenced by crisis, but under control.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Able to carry on reasonable dialog, understand and acknowledge views of others.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Problem solving minimally compromised</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="radio"/> Decisions are inconsiderate of others.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Decisions becoming illogical, unreasonable, and generalized beyond crisis.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Thinking focused on crisis but not all consuming.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Ability to carry on reasonable dialog restricted and problems in understanding and acknowledging views of others.</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> Problem solving limited.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="radio"/> Decisions are offensive and antagonistic of others.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Decisions about crisis beginning to interfere with general functioning.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Thoughts are limited to crisis situation and are becoming all consuming.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Responses to questions and requests are restricted or inappropriate and denies understanding views of others.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Problem solving blocked.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="radio"/> Decisions have the potential to be harmful to self or others.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Decisions are illogical, have little basis in reality, and general functioning is compromised.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Thoughts about crisis have become pervasive.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Defiant to requests and questions and/or inappropriate with and antagonistic of others.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Problem solving ability absent.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="radio"/> Decisions are a clear and present danger to self and others.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Decision making frenetic or frozen and not based in reality and shuts down general functioning.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Thoughts are chaotic and completely controlled by crisis.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Requests and questions are believed as threat and responded to aggressively.</li> <li><input type="radio"/> Problem solving not observable with no ability to concentrate.</li> </ul>				