

* * SUMMARY PARAGRAPHS EXPLAINING CLIENT'S ATTAINED SCALE SCORES * *

TRUTHFULNESS SCALE: PROBLEM RISK RANGE RISK PERCENTILE: 79
This person's response pattern on the Truthfulness Scale is in the Problem Risk (70 to 89th percentile) range. Truth-Corrected scores should be accurate, however, there is the possibility of some distortion. A conscious or perhaps subconscious attempt to present self in an overly favorable light is evident. This person is defensive and guarded regarding self-disclosure. Denial and resistance to further inquiry and self-report can be anticipated. This individual is self-protective and minimizing self-report information.

ALCOHOL SCALE: MAXIMUM RISK RANGE RISK PERCENTILE: 94
This person's response pattern on the Alcohol Scale is in the High Risk (90 to 100th percentile) range. Either this person's use of alcohol is out of control, or this person is a recovering (alcohol problem, but has stopped drinking) alcoholic. Relapse risk is high. Many self-report indicators of alcohol abuse are evident. RECOMMENDATIONS: Chemical dependency treatment (inpatient or outpatient) should be considered with supplemental Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) participation. Agency referral for diagnosis and treatment may be appropriate. Probation is consistent with treatment and public safety is needed.

CONTROL SCALE: MEDIUM RISK RANGE RISK PERCENTILE: 68
This person's score on the Control Scale is in the Medium Risk (40 to 69th percentile) range. Medium Risk scorers can be overly sensitive to perceived criticism, frustration, rejection or stress. At these times this person may attempt to dominate, browbeat or control others through intimidation. This individual's emotions can interfere with their judgment--resulting in unpredictable behavior. Contingent on this person's domestic violence history, anger management counseling may be appropriate. An area of interview inquiry should focus on this person's prior problems involving emotional, verbal or physical abuse.

DRUGS SCALE: MAXIMUM RISK RANGE RISK PERCENTILE: 90
This person's response pattern on the Drugs Scale is in the High Risk (90 to 100th percentile) range. Either drug use is not controlled or this person is recovering (drug problem, but has stopped using). Serious drug-related problems and a high probability of relapse are indicated. RECOMMENDATIONS: Mandatory chemical dependency treatment and close probation to ensure compliance might be considered. Agency referral for diagnosis and treatment, along with periodic and random urinalysis is warranted. Probation that is consistent with treatment needs and public safety is needed.

VIOLENCE SCALE: PROBLEM RISK RANGE RISK PERCENTILE: 83
This person's response pattern on the Violence Scale is in the Problem Risk (70 to 89th percentile) range. Problem Risk scorers are capable of committing acts of physical, emotional or verbal abuse. They frequently have communication difficulties and family/relationship problems. Many harbor a lot of poorly repressed resentment, anger and even hostility. RECOMMENDATIONS: Structure characterized by clearly understood behavioral expectations and consequences should be considered, along with close supervision. When upset (or during periods of substance abuse), this person's emotions all too easily interfere with his or her judgment. Family or domestic violence counseling or anger management program involvement is needed. When under perceived stress this individual could be assaultive and potentially dangerous.

STRESS COPING SCALE: PROBLEM RISK RANGE

RISK PERCENTILE: 71

This person's response pattern on the Stress Coping Abilities Scale is in the Problem Risk (70 to 89th percentile) range. Problem Risk scorers are not coping effectively with the stress, tension, anxiety and pressure. Symptoms of stress include irritability, depression, anxiety, substance abuse and marital/family problems. RECOMMENDATIONS: Stress management counseling would be helpful. This person should adjust his or her lifestyle to incorporate adequate sleep, nutrition, regular exercise and enjoyable leisure time.

SIGNIFICANT ITEMS: The following self-report responses represent direct admissions or unusual answers.

ALCOHOL

- 7. At times feels guilty
- 17. Drinks too much
- 42. Has asked for help
- 51. Admits drinking problem
- 71. Drank to avoid worries
- 79. Admits drinking problem
- 87. "Recovering" alcoholic

DRUGS

- 9. Family + social problems
- 13. Drugs make feel good
- 19. May or may not use
- 44. Used drugs to relax
- 69. Uses/abuses drugs
- 83. Drug use concerns
- 95. In counseling or treatment

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

- 5. Arguments and fights
- 15. Has violent temper
- 28. Pushes, shoves, hits
- 65. Revenge oriented
- 73. Cruel/hurt someone

CONTROL

- 3. Bully's to get own way
- 63. Often controls others
- 93. Admits a controlling person

TREATMENT NEEDS (PROGRAMS) SELECTED

- 131. Alcohol Treatment
- 133. Anger Management
- 136. Drug Treatment
- 137. Narcotics Anonymous
- 138. Counseling
- 139. Relaxation Training

MULTIPLE CHOICE: These answers, with all of their biases, are the answers selected by the client.

- 141. Temper problem: serious
- 142. Drinking problem: moderate
- 143. Drug problem: slight
- 144. D.V. problem: moderate
- 145. Alcohol treatment: wants help
- 146. Drug treatment: may need
- 147. D.V. counseling: not sure
- 148. No emotional/mental hlth prob.
- 149. Past year: suicidal/homicidal

RECOMMENDATIONS: _____

STAFF MEMBER SIGNATURE

DATE