

*** * SUMMARY PARAGRAPHS EXPLAINING CLIENT'S ATTAINED SCALE SCORES * *****TRUTHFULNESS SCALE: LOW RISK RANGE****RISK PERCENTILE:37**

This person's response pattern on the Truthfulness Scale is in the Low Risk (zero to 39th percentile) range. This is an accurate DVI profile and other DVI scale scores are accurate. The Truthfulness Scale identifies self-protective, recalcitrant and guarded people who minimize or even attempt to conceal problems and self-report information. This person has adequate reading skills and was truthful. Denial and distortion are minimal. This individual responded to the DVI test in a non-defensive, cooperative and truthful manner.

ALCOHOL SCALE: PROBLEM RISK RANGE**RISK PERCENTILE:72**

This person's response pattern on the Alcohol Scale is in the Problem Risk (70 to 89th percentile) range. Alcohol use and abuse is indicated. Alcohol abuse may be a focal issue in this person's adjustment problems. Either this person is a recovering alcoholic, or an established pattern of alcohol abuse is indicated. **RECOMMENDATIONS:** Consideration might be given to moderately intensive probation including personal reporting. Individual or group counseling and/or Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) participation on at least a weekly basis could be helpful. A firm probationary structure with a counseling or self-help component is desirable.

CONTROL SCALE: MEDIUM RISK RANGE**RISK PERCENTILE:59**

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: PROBLEM RISK RANGE RISK PERCENTILE:75

This person's response pattern on the Drug Scale is in the Problem Risk (70 to 89th percentile) range. Drug use or abuse is indicated and may be a focal issue in this person's adjustment problems. Either this person is a recovering (drug problem, but has stopped using) drug user, or manifests an established pattern of drug abuse. **RECOMMENDATIONS:** Consideration might be given to moderately intensive probation, personal reporting and counseling (individual or group), with supplemental Narcotics Anonymous (NA) or Cocaine Anonymous (CA) meetings. This is a problem risk Drug Scale score.

VIOLENCE SCALE: MEDIUM RISK RANGE**RISK PERCENTILE:65**

This person's response pattern on the Violence Scale is in the Medium Risk (40 to 69th percentile) range. Medium risk scorers are easily provoked, resentful and can be hostile. Under stress or when upset this person can be overly reactive. Substance (alcohol and other drugs) abuse would exacerbate anger, hostility and even rage. **RECOMMENDATIONS:** Close supervision might be considered until the nature or the presenting situation is clarified and domestic stability is achieved. Family and/or domestic violence counseling appears appropriate. Any prior violent or assaultive convictions should upgrade this individual's supervision level accordingly. Other DVI scale scores should help in understanding this person's risk and needs.

STRESS COPING SCALE: MEDIUM RISK RANGE

RISK PERCENTILE:43

This person's response pattern on the Stress Coping Abilities Scale is in the Medium Risk (40 to 69th percentile) range. Medium risk scorers typically have average stress coping abilities. Stress, or this person's ability to cope with stress does not appear to be a focal area of concern.

RECOMMENDATIONS: Stress-related counseling or treatment does not appear to be needed at this time. It should be noted that stress can exacerbate other emotional or mental health problems. However, this person's stress coping score is in the average range.

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

ALCOHOL

- 17. Admits drinking too much
- 47. Concerned about drinking
- 79. Admits to drinking problem

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

- 5. Lot of arguments/fights
- 10. Admits anger control problem
- 45. Has threatened/hurt others

DRUGS

- 13. Uses pot or cocaine
- 19. May use drugs
- 44. In last year used drugs

CONTROL

- 23. Intimidates with anger
- 28. Gets physical when angry
- 48. Concedes avoided by family
- 63. Controls whom family sees
- 72. Admits dominates/controls
- 82. Apologizes, and does it again
- 84. Admits hurts/abuses others

TREATMENT NEEDS (PROGRAMS SELECTED BY CLIENT)

- 138. Anger Management
- 145. Temper Control

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

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| 146. Temper problem: moderate | 151. Drug treatment: unmotivated |
| 147. Drinking problem: slight | 152. D.V. counseling: not sure |
| 148. Drug problem: no problem | 153. No emotional/mental hlth prob. |
| 149. D.V. problem: slight | 154. Past year: not dangerous |
| 150. Alcohol treatment: may need | 155. No DV or anger programs |

DVI RESPONSES

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