

Behavioral Health Engagement for **HIV** Prevention & Care

SF HIV Frontline Workers
April 25 & May 4, 2017

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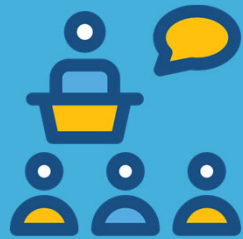
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■ LEARNING OBJECTIVES April 25

- Describe how to incorporate brief mental health screening tools into diverse HIV frontline worker environments
- Demonstrate how to conduct brief interventions that motivate client engagement in mental health wellness services

■ LEARNING OBJECTIVES May 4

- Explain how to navigate clients to behavioral health care services available under both public and private health insurance
- Describe three referrals in SF that support mental health wellness—including how a client can start services

In my role, I regularly interact with clients whose **substance use** negatively affects their ability to engage in HIV care or prevention services
(ex: take PrEP or HIV treatment consistently, come to appointments as scheduled)



A horizontal bar chart with three bars of different lengths. The top bar is very short and labeled 'Not Sure' with '2.3%'. The middle bar is slightly longer and labeled 'No' with '11.3%'. The bottom bar is the longest, spanning most of the width, and labeled 'Yes' with '86.4%'. The bars are light blue, and the background is a darker blue. The percentages are in yellow, and the labels are in white.


Response	Percentage
Not Sure	2.3%
No	11.3%
Yes	86.4%

2.3%
Not Sure

11.3%
No

86.4%
Yes

In my role, I regularly interact with clients whose **mental health condition** negatively affects their ability to engage in HIV care or prevention services
(**ex: consistently use condoms, take HIV meds daily**)



A horizontal bar chart with three bars of different lengths. The top bar is short and labeled 'Not Sure' with a value of 6.8%. The middle bar is slightly longer and labeled 'No' with a value of 9.1%. The bottom bar is the longest, spanning most of the width, and labeled 'Yes' with a value of 84.1%.

Response	Percentage
Not Sure	6.8%
No	9.1%
Yes	84.1%

6.8%
Not Sure

9.1%
No

84.1%
Yes



Mental Health Care

race ○ ethnicity ○ age ○ culture of origin
sexual orientation ○ gender ○ gender identity
stigma ○ HIV status ○ trauma

1.

Screening

Describe how to incorporate brief mental health screening tools into diverse frontline worker environments

■ YOU SAID...

Yes, mental health affects my clients

84.1%

Yes, substance use affects my clients

86.4%

■ LITERATURE SAYS...

Depression in PLWH may be associated with

- Accelerated HIV disease progression
- Decreased immune functioning
- Nonadherence to HIV medication regimens
- Increased risk of mortality ¹

■ LITERATURE SAYS...

Depression as a barrier to care

Higher PHQ-9 score in un-retained PLWH
12.5% vs. 33.3%

Support - family & social

PLWH retained in care are more likely to report
social support and disclosure of HIV status to
family ²

■ LITERATURE SAYS...

Depression 2-5x higher in PLWH
(especially in women) ⁴

Anxiety 15.8% PLWH vs 2.1% Gen Public ⁵

Trauma and **Serious Mental Illness**
increase likelihood for HIV infection
40-70% PLWH have experienced trauma
(20x general population) ⁴

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**Anxiety, depression, and
traumatic stress
“increase risk of acquiring HIV
and HIV treatment failure”⁶**

■ IAPAC, 2015

Optimizing the HIV Care Continuum

Proactive steps are recommended to **identify and manage** clinical mental health disorders (e.g., anxiety, depression, and traumatic stress) and/or mental health issues related to HIV diagnosis, disclosure of HIV status, and/or HIV treatment.

■ CONTRACT COMPLIANCE

ARIES requires annual MH & SU screening

- Level II providers
medical case management, substance abuse, and mental health services
- Level III providers
outpatient / ambulatory care

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■ DISCLAIMERS

- You are already doing the screening
- Screening tools are **not** to be used when clients present **suicidal / homicidal ideation** or **grave disability**
- Information presented today is **not** a training on how to administer and/or interpret these screening tools **for clinical diagnostic purposes** (e.g. for mental health diagnosis)

■ INFORMAL SCREENING

- Observation
What you observe about the client's presentation
- Interaction
What the client discloses and **how they respond** to questions

■ BRIEF MENTAL STATUS EXAM

Appearance

Behavior

Attitude

Eye contact

Orientation

Mood

Affect

Speech & Language

Thought
process & content

Suicidality &
Homicidality

Insight &
Judgment

Attention span

Memory

Intellectual
functioning

Conducting a Mental Status Exam

- What do you observe?
- What might be going on for this person?
- How might you help them and attend to their immediate needs?
- Where might you direct/refer them next?



■ COMMON FORMAL SCREENING TOOLS

- PHQ-9
- SAMISS
- GAD-7
- CAGE-AID

PHQ-9

Patient Health Questionnaire

- Patient self-report; scored by the clinician or staff
- Administer at registration or while with the provider
- Assesses symptom criteria for Major Depressive Disorder (DSM-IV) including levels of severity
- Should not be used as a sole means to apply a diagnosis
- Diagnosis and further assessment should be done by licensed mental health or medical professional

SAMISS

Substance Abuse & Mental Illness Symptoms Screener

- 16 questions
- Screens for mental health and substance abuse conditions
- Takes under 15 minutes to administer

■ GAD-7

Generalized Anxiety Disorder (7-item scale)

- Based on the diagnostic criteria for Generalized Anxiety Disorder in DSM-IV
- Also screens for possible social phobia, post-traumatic stress disorder, and panic disorder
- Patient self-report; designed for use by a health professional
- Should not be used as a sole means to apply a diagnosis
- Diagnosis and further assessment should be done by licensed mental health or medical professional

CAGE-AID

- 4-item scale
 - ☐ Ever felt you needed to **cut down**?
 - ☐ Have people **annoyed** you by criticizing your drinking?
 - ☐ Ever felt **guilty** about drinking?
 - ☐ Ever needed an **eye-opener** to steady your nerves in the morning?
- Screens for problems related to alcohol and drug use

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Motivating Engagement

Demonstrate how to conduct brief interventions that motivate client engagement in mental health wellness services



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Linkage

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PATIENT HEALTH QUESTIONNAIRE – 9 (PHQ – 9)

Over the last 2 weeks, how often have you been bothered by any of the following problems?	None at All	Several Days	More than ½ the Days	Nearly Every Day
1. Little interest or pleasure in doing things	0	1	2	3
2. Feeling down, depressed, or hopeless	0	1	2	3
3. Trouble falling or staying asleep, or sleeping too much	0	1	2	3
4. Feeling tired or having little energy	0	1	2	3
5. Poor appetite or overeating	0	1	2	3
6. Feeling bad about yourself, that you are a failure, or have let you and/or your family/friends down	0	1	2	3
7. Trouble concentrating on things, such as reading the newspaper or watching television	0	1	2	3
8. Moving or speaking so slowly that other people could have noticed? Or the opposite – being so fidgety or restless that you have been moving around a lot more than usual?	0	1	2	3
9. Thoughts that you would be better off dead or of hurting yourself in some way	0	1	2	3
<p style="text-align: center;">If you checked off <u>any</u> problems, <u>how difficult</u> have these problems made it for you to do your work, take care of things at home, or get along with other people?</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: flex-end;"> <div style="text-align: center;"> Not difficult at all <input type="checkbox"/> </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> Somewhat difficult <input type="checkbox"/> </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> Very difficult <input type="checkbox"/> </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> Extremely difficult <input type="checkbox"/> </div> </div>				
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		Total Score from all columns:		

ENCUESTA DE SALUD PACIENTE – 9 (PHQ – 9, SIGLAS EN INGLES)

Durante las últimas 2 semanas ¿Con qué frecuencia le han afectado los siguientes problemas?	Nunca	Varios días	Más de la mitad de los días	Casi todos los días
10. Tener poco interés o placer en hacer las cosas	0	1	2	3
11. Sentirse desanimado/a, deprimido/a, o sin esperanza	0	1	2	3
12. Con problemas en dormir o en mantenerse dormido/a, o en dormir demasiado	0	1	2	3
13. Sentirse cansado/a o tener poco energía	0	1	2	3
14. Tener poco apetito o comer en exceso	0	1	2	3
15. Sentir falta de amor propio – o que sea un fracaso o que decepcione a si mismo/a o a su familia	0	1	2	3
16. Tener dificultad en concentrarse en cosas tales como leer el periódico o mirar el televisor	0	1	2	3
17. Se mueve o habla tan lentamente que otra gente se podría darse cuenta – o de lo contrario, esta tan agitado/a o inquieto/a que se mueve mucho más de lo acostumbrado	0	1	2	3
18. Se le han ocurrido pensamientos de que sería mejor estar muerto/a o de que haría daño de alguna manera	0	1	2	3
<p>Si usted se identificó con cualquier problema en esta encuesta ¿Qué tanta dificultad le han presentado en cumplir con su trabajo, atender su casa, o relacionarse con otras personas debido a estos problemas?</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; margin-top: 10px;"> <div style="text-align: center;"> Nada en absoluto <input type="checkbox"/> </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> Algo difícil <input type="checkbox"/> </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> Muy difícil <input type="checkbox"/> </div> <div style="text-align: center;"> Extremadamente difícil <input type="checkbox"/> </div> </div>				
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Total Score from all columns:				

Mental Status Exam

Client Name		Date	
OBSERVATIONS			
Appearance	<input type="checkbox"/> Neat	<input type="checkbox"/> Disheveled	<input type="checkbox"/> Inappropriate <input type="checkbox"/> Bizarre <input type="checkbox"/> Other
Speech	<input type="checkbox"/> Normal	<input type="checkbox"/> Tangential	<input type="checkbox"/> Pressured <input type="checkbox"/> Impoverished <input type="checkbox"/> Other
Eye Contact	<input type="checkbox"/> Normal	<input type="checkbox"/> Intense	<input type="checkbox"/> Avoidant <input type="checkbox"/> Other
Motor Activity	<input type="checkbox"/> Normal	<input type="checkbox"/> Restless	<input type="checkbox"/> Tics <input type="checkbox"/> Slowed <input type="checkbox"/> Other
Affect	<input type="checkbox"/> Full	<input type="checkbox"/> Constricted	<input type="checkbox"/> Flat <input type="checkbox"/> Labile <input type="checkbox"/> Other
Comments:			
MOOD			
<input type="checkbox"/> Euthymic <input type="checkbox"/> Anxious <input type="checkbox"/> Angry <input type="checkbox"/> Depressed <input type="checkbox"/> Euphoric <input type="checkbox"/> Irritable <input type="checkbox"/> Other			
Comments:			
COGNITION			
Orientation Impairment	<input type="checkbox"/> None	<input type="checkbox"/> Place	<input type="checkbox"/> Object <input type="checkbox"/> Person <input type="checkbox"/> Time
Memory Impairment	<input type="checkbox"/> None	<input type="checkbox"/> Short-Term	<input type="checkbox"/> Long-Term <input type="checkbox"/> Other
Attention	<input type="checkbox"/> Normal	<input type="checkbox"/> Distracted	<input type="checkbox"/> Other
Comments:			
PERCEPTION			
Hallucinations	<input type="checkbox"/> None	<input type="checkbox"/> Auditory	<input type="checkbox"/> Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Other
Other	<input type="checkbox"/> None	<input type="checkbox"/> Derealization	<input type="checkbox"/> Depersonalization
Comments:			
THOUGHTS			
Suicidality	<input type="checkbox"/> None	<input type="checkbox"/> Ideation	<input type="checkbox"/> Plan <input type="checkbox"/> Intent <input type="checkbox"/> Self-Harm
Homicidality	<input type="checkbox"/> None	<input type="checkbox"/> Aggressive	<input type="checkbox"/> Intent <input type="checkbox"/> Plan
Delusions	<input type="checkbox"/> None	<input type="checkbox"/> Grandiose	<input type="checkbox"/> Paranoid <input type="checkbox"/> Religious <input type="checkbox"/> Other
Comments:			
BEHAVIOR			
<input type="checkbox"/> Cooperative	<input type="checkbox"/> Guarded	<input type="checkbox"/> Hyperactive	<input type="checkbox"/> Agitated <input type="checkbox"/> Paranoid
<input type="checkbox"/> Stereotyped	<input type="checkbox"/> Aggressive	<input type="checkbox"/> Bizarre	<input type="checkbox"/> Withdrawn <input type="checkbox"/> Other
Comments:			
INSIGHT	<input type="checkbox"/> Good	<input type="checkbox"/> Fair	<input type="checkbox"/> Poor <input type="checkbox"/> Comments:
JUDGMENT	<input type="checkbox"/> Good	<input type="checkbox"/> Fair	<input type="checkbox"/> Poor <input type="checkbox"/> Comments:

CAGE Questionnaire

This is a commonly-used screening to identify problematic use of alcohol.

1. Have you ever felt you should cut down on your drinking? Yes ☐ No ☐
2. Have people annoyed you by criticizing your drinking? Yes ☐ No ☐
3. Have you ever felt bad or guilty about your drinking? Yes ☐ No ☐
4. Have you ever had a drink first thing in the morning to steady your nerves or get rid of a hangover (eye-opener)? Yes ☐ No ☐

Scoring: Responses on the CAGE are scored 0 for "no" and 1 for "yes," with a higher score an indication of alcohol problems. A total score of 2 or greater is considered clinically significant.

Reference: Ewing, J. A. (1984). Detecting alcoholism: The CAGE Questionnaire. *Journal of the American Medical Association*, 252, 1905-1907. Retrieved from http://pubs.niaaa.nih.gov/publications/assessing%20alcohol/InstrumentPDFs/16_CAGE.pdf

Primary Care PTSD Screen (C-PTSD)

This is a commonly-used screening for Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder.

Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder has been identified as a significant contributor to mental illness and cognitive impairment. This 4-question screen was developed for use with veterans, but is appropriate for use with all patients.

In your life, have you ever had any experience that was so frightening, horrible, or upsetting that, in the past month, you:

1. Have had nightmares about it or thought about it when you did not want to? Yes ☐ No ☐
2. Tried hard not to think about it or went out of your way to avoid situations that reminded you of it? Yes ☐ No ☐
3. Were constantly on guard, watchful, or easily startled? Yes ☐ No ☐
4. Felt numb or detached from others, activities, or your surroundings? Yes ☐ No ☐

Scoring: The results of the PC-PTSD should be considered "positive" if a patient answers "yes" to any three items.

Reference: Prins, A., Ouimette, P., Kimerling, R., Cameron, R. P., Hugelshofer, D. S., Shaw-Hegwer, J., Thrailkill, A., Gusman, F. D., Sheikh, J. I. (2004). The primary care PTSD screen (PC-PTSD): Corrigendum. *Primary Care Psychiatry*, 9, 151

Resources: US Dept. of Veterans Affairs, National Center for PTSD: <http://www.ptsd.va.gov/professional/pages/assessments/pc-ptsd.asp>

Depression Screen

This two-question depression screen is designed for use in medical visits.

This screening was designed for use with chronically ill patients, but was adapted for use by primary care clinicians, for use with all patients.

1. During the past month have you often been bothered by feeling down, depressed, or hopeless? Yes ☐ No ☐
2. During the past month have you often been bothered by little interest or pleasure in doing things? Yes ☐ No ☐

Scoring: "A positive response to either question is extremely sensitive and identifies more than 90 percent of patients with major depression. However, it is only approximately 60 percent specific and requires confirmation using a detailed clinical interview or a more specific tool such as the Patient Health Questionnaire (PHQ-9)."

Reference: American Association of Family Physicians: <http://www.aafp.org>
Point of Care Guides: Routine Screening for Depression, Alcohol Problems, and Domestic Violence
<http://www.aafp.org/afp/2004/0515/p2421.html>

The Generalized Anxiety Disorder 7-Item Scale

Over the <u>last 2 weeks</u> , how often have you been bothered by the following problems?	Not at all	Several Days	More than half the days	Nearly every day
1. Feeling nervous, anxious, or on edge	0	1	2	3
2. Not being able to stop or control worrying	0	1	2	3
3. Worrying too much about different things	0	1	2	3
4. Trouble relaxing	0	1	2	3
5. Being so restless that it is hard to sit still	0	1	2	3
6. Becoming easily annoyed or irritable	0	1	2	3
7. Feeling afraid as if something awful might happen	0	1	2	3

Total Score: = **Add Columns** _____ + _____ + _____

If you checked off any problems, how difficult have these problems made it for you to do your work, take care of things at home, or get along with other people?

Not at all **Somewhat difficult** **Very difficult** **Extremely Difficult**

Interpreting the Score:

Total Score	Interpretation
≥10	Possible diagnosis of GAD; confirm by further evaluation
5	Mild Anxiety
10	Moderate anxiety
15	Severe anxiety

The Patient Health Questionnaire (PHQ-9) Scoring

Use of the PHQ-9 to Make a Tentative Depression Diagnosis:

The clinician should rule out physical causes of depression, normal bereavement and a history of a manic/hypomanic episode

Step 1: Questions 1 and 2

Need one or both of the first two questions endorsed as a "2" or a "3"
(2 = "More than half the days" or 3 = "Nearly every day")

Step 2: Questions 1 through 9

Need a total of five or more boxes endorsed within the shaded area of the form to arrive at the total symptom count. (Questions 1-8 must be endorsed as a "2" or a "3"; Question 9 must be endorsed as "1" a "2" or a "3")

Step 3: Question 10

This question must be endorsed as "Somewhat difficult" or "Very difficult" or "Extremely difficult"

Use of the PHQ-9 for Treatment Selection and Monitoring

Step 1

A depression diagnosis that warrants treatment or a treatment change, needs at least one of the first two questions endorsed as positive ("more than half the days" or "nearly every day") in the past two weeks. In addition, the tenth question, about difficulty at work or home or getting along with others should be answered at least "somewhat difficult"

Step 2

Add the total points for each of the columns 2-4 separately
(Column 1 = Several days; Column 2 = More than half the days; Column 3 = Nearly every day. Add the totals for each of the three columns together. This is the Total Score
The Total Score = the Severity Score

Step 3

Review the Severity Score using the following TABLE.

PHQ-9 Score	Provisional Diagnosis	Treatment Recommendation <i>Patient Preferences should be considered</i>
5-9	Minimal Symptoms*	Support, educate to call if worse, return in one month
10-14	Minor depression ++ Dysthymia* Major Depression, mild	Support, watchful waiting Antidepressant or psychotherapy Antidepressant or psychotherapy
15-19	Major depression, moderately severe	Antidepressant or psychotherapy
>20	Major Depression, severe	Antidepressant and psychotherapy (especially if not improved on monotherapy)

* If symptoms present \geq two years, then probable chronic depression which warrants antidepressants or psychotherapy (ask "In the past 2 years have you felt depressed or sad most days, even if you felt okay sometimes?")

++ If symptoms present \geq one month or severe functional impairment, consider active treatment

The Patient Health Questionnaire (PHQ-9) - Overview

The PHQ-9 is a multipurpose instrument for screening, diagnosing, monitoring and measuring the severity of depression:

- The PHQ-9 incorporates DSM-IV depression diagnostic criteria with other leading major depressive symptoms into a brief self-report tool.
- The tool rates the frequency of the symptoms which factors into the scoring severity index.
- Question 9 on the PHQ-9 screens for the presence and duration of suicide ideation.
- A follow up, non-scored question on the PHQ-9 screens and assigns weight to the degree to which depressive problems have affected the patient's level of function.

Clinical Utility

The PHQ-9 is brief and useful in clinical practice. The PHQ-9 is completed by the patient in minutes and is rapidly scored by the clinician. The PHQ-9 can also be administered repeatedly, which can reflect improvement or worsening of depression in response to treatment.

Scoring

See PHQ-9 Scoring on next page.

Psychometric Properties

- The diagnostic validity of the PHQ-9 was established in studies involving 8 primary care and 7 obstetrical clinics.
- PHQ scores ≥ 10 had a sensitivity of 88% and a specificity of 88% for major depression.
- PHQ-9 scores of 5, 10, 15, and 20 represents mild, moderate, moderately severe and severe depression.¹

1. Kroenke K, Spitzer R, Williams W. The PHQ-9: Validity of a brief depression severity measure. *JGIM*, 2001, 16:606-616

SUBSTANCE ABUSE AND MENTAL ILLNESS SYMPTOMS SCREENER (SAMISS)

Pt label

FOR EACH QUESTION, PLEASE CHECK ONLY ONE BOX

SUBSTANCE USE

1. HOW OFTEN DO YOU HAVE A DRINK CONTAINING ALCOHOL?
☐ NEVER ☐ 2-3 TIMES/WEEK
☐ MONTHLY OR LESS ☐ 4 OR MORE TIMES/WEEK
☐ 2-4 TIMES/MONTH
2. HOW MANY DRINKS DO YOU HAVE ON A TYPICAL DAY WHEN YOU ARE DRINKING?
☐ NONE ☐ 5 OR 6
☐ 1 OR 2 ☐ 7 TO 9
☐ 3 OR 4 ☐ 10 OR MORE
3. HOW OFTEN DO YOU HAVE 4 OR MORE DRINKS ON ONE OCCASION?
☐ NEVER ☐ WEEKLY
☐ LESS THAN MONTHLY ☐ DAILY OR ALMOST DAILY
☐ MONTHLY
4. IN THE PAST YEAR, HOW OFTEN DID YOU USE NON-PRESCRIPTION DRUGS TO GET HIGH OR TO CHANGE THE WAY YOU FEEL?
☐ NEVER ☐ WEEKLY
☐ LESS THAN MONTHLY ☐ DAILY OR ALMOST DAILY
☐ MONTHLY
5. IN THE PAST YEAR, HOW OFTEN DID YOU USE DRUGS PRESCRIBED TO YOU OR TO SOMEONE ELSE TO GET HIGH OR CHANGE THE WAY YOU FEEL?
☐ NEVER ☐ WEEKLY
☐ LESS THAN MONTHLY ☐ DAILY OR ALMOST DAILY
☐ MONTHLY
6. IN THE PAST YEAR, HOW OFTEN DID YOU DRINK OR USE DRUGS MORE THAN YOU MEANT TO?
☐ NEVER ☐ WEEKLY
☐ LESS THAN MONTHLY ☐ DAILY OR ALMOST DAILY
☐ MONTHLY
7. HOW OFTEN DID YOU FEEL YOU WANTED OR NEEDED TO CUT DOWN ON YOUR DRINKING OR DRUG USE IN THE PAST YEAR AND WERE NOT ABLE TO?
☐ NEVER ☐ WEEKLY
☐ LESS THAN MONTHLY ☐ DAILY OR ALMOST DAILY
☐ MONTHLY

MENTAL HEALTH

8. IN THE PAST YEAR, WHEN NOT HIGH OR INTOXICATED, DID YOU EVER FEEL EXTREMELY ENERGETIC OR IRRITABLE AND MORE TALKATIVE THAN USUAL?
☐ YES ☐ NO
9. IN THE PAST YEAR, WERE YOU EVER ON MEDICATION OR ANTIDEPRESSANTS FOR DEPRESSION OR A NERVE PROBLEM?
☐ YES ☐ NO
10. IN THE PAST YEAR, WAS THERE EVER A TIME WHEN YOU FELT SAD, BLUE, OR DEPRESSED FOR MORE THAN TWO WEEKS IN A ROW?
☐ YES ☐ NO
11. IN THE PAST YEAR, WAS THERE EVER A TIME LASTING MORE THAN TWO WEEKS WHEN YOU LOST INTEREST IN MOST THINGS LIKE HOBBIES, WORK, OR ACTIVITIES THAT USUALLY GIVE YOU PLEASURE?
☐ YES ☐ NO
12. IN THE PAST YEAR, DID YOU EVER HAVE A PERIOD LASTING MORE THAN 1 MONTH WHEN MOST OF THE TIME YOU FELT WORRIED AND ANXIOUS?
☐ YES ☐ NO
13. IN THE PAST YEAR, DID YOU HAVE A SPELL OR AN ATTACK WHEN ALL OF A SUDDEN YOU FELT FRIGHTENED, ANXIOUS OR VERY UNEASY WHEN MOST PEOPLE WOULD NOT BE AFRAID OR ANXIOUS?
☐ YES ☐ NO
14. IN THE PAST YEAR, DID YOU EVER HAVE A SPELL OR AN ATTACK WHEN FOR NO REASON YOUR HEART SUDDENLY STARTED TO RACE, YOU FELT FAINT, OR YOU COULDN'T CATCH YOUR BREATH? (IF IT WAS ONLY WHEN HAVING A HEART ATTACK OR DUE TO PHYSICAL CAUSES, MARK "NO".)
☐ YES ☐ NO
15. DURING YOUR LIFETIME, AS A CHILD OR ADULT, HAVE YOU EXPERIENCED OR WITNESSED TRAUMATIC EVENT(S) THAT INVOLVED HARM TO YOURSELF OR OTHERS?
☐ YES ☐ NO
IF YES: IN THE PAST YEAR, HAVE YOU BEEN TROUBLED BY FLASHBACKS, NIGHTMARES, OR THOUGHTS OF THE TRAUMA?
☐ YES ☐ NO
16. IN THE PAST 3 MONTHS, HAVE YOU EXPERIENCED ANY EVENT(S) OR RECEIVED INFORMATION THAT WAS SO UPSETTING IT AFFECTED HOW YOU COPE WITH EVERYDAY LIFE?
☐ YES ☐ NO

SUBSTANCE ABUSE AND MENTAL ILLNESS SYMPTOMS SCREENER (SAMISS)

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MARQUE UNA RESPUESTA POR PREGUNTA

SUBSTANCE USE

1. ¿CON QUE FRECUENCIA TOMA UNA BEBIDA ALCOHÓLICA?

- ☐ NUNCA ☐ 2-3 VECES/SEMANA
☐ MENSUALMENTE O MENOS ☐ 4 VECES O MAS/SEMANA
☐ 2-4 VECES/MES

2. ¿CUANTAS BEBIDAS ALCOHÓLICAS CONSUME EN UN DÍA TÍPICO EN EL QUE TOMA?

- ☐ NINGUNA ☐ 5 o 6
☐ 1 o 2 ☐ 7 a 9
☐ 3 o 4 ☐ 10 o MAS

3. ¿CON QUE FRECUENCIA TOMA 4 BEBIDAS O MÁS EN UNA OCASIÓN?

- ☐ NUNCA ☐ SEMANALMENTE
☐ MENOS DE MENSUALMENTE ☐ A DIARIO O CASI A DIARIO
☐ MENSUALMENTE

4. EL AÑO PASADO ¿CON QUÉ FRECUENCIA USÓ FÁRMACOS NO RECETADOS PARA DROGARSE O CAMBIAR COMO SE SIENTE?

- ☐ NUNCA ☐ SEMANALMENTE
☐ MENOS DE MENSUALMENTE ☐ A DIARIO O CASI A DIARIO
☐ MENSUALMENTE

5. EL AÑO PASADO ¿CON QUÉ FRECUENCIA USÓ FÁRMACOS QUE LE RECETARON A USTED O ALGUIEN MÁS PARA DROGARSE O CAMBIAR COMO SE SIENTE?

- ☐ NUNCA ☐ SEMANALMENTE
☐ MENOS DE MENSUALMENTE ☐ A DIARIO O CASI A DIARIO
☐ MENSUALMENTE

6. EL AÑO PASADO ¿CON QUÉ FRECUENCIA BEBIÓ O USÓ DROGAS MÁS QUE LO QUE INTENTABA?

- ☐ NUNCA ☐ SEMANALMENTE
☐ MENOS DE MENSUALMENTE ☐ A DIARIO O CASI A DIARIO
☐ MENSUALMENTE

7. EL AÑO PASADO ¿QUE TANTO DESEABA O PENSABA EN REDUCIR PERO NO PUDO SU CONSUMO DE BEBIDAS ALCOHÓLICAS O USO DE DROGAS?

- ☐ NUNCA ☐ SEMANALMENTE
☐ MENOS DE MENSUALMENTE ☐ A DIARIO O CASI A DIARIO
☐ MENSUALMENTE

MENTAL HEALTH

8. EL AÑO PASADO, AL NO ESTAR DROGADO O EBRIO ¿LLEGÓ A SENTIRSE EXTREMADAMENTE LLENO DE ENERGÍA O COLÉRICO Y MÁS CONVERSADOR DE LO NORMAL?

- ☐ SÍ ☐ No

9. EL AÑO PASADO, ¿FUE MEDICADO O TOMÓ ANTIDEPRESIVOS PARA LA DEPRESIÓN O PROBLEMAS NERVIOSOS?

- ☐ SÍ ☐ No

10. EL AÑO PASADO, ¿LE TOCÓ ALGÚN PERIODO EN EL QUE SE SINTIÓ TRISTE O DEPRIMIDO POR MÁS DE 2 SEMANAS SEGUIDAS?

- ☐ SÍ ☐ No

11. EL AÑO PASADO, ¿LE TOCÓ ALGÚN PERIODO DE MÁS DE 2 SEMANAS EN EL QUE PERDIÓ INTERÉS EN LA MAYORÍA DE LAS COSAS, COMO PASATIEMPOS, TRABAJO, Y/O ACTIVIDADES QUE GENERALMENTE LE BRINDAN PLACER?

- ☐ SÍ ☐ No

12. EL AÑO PASADO, ¿PASÓ UN PERIODO DE MÁS DE 1 MES EN EL QUE LA MAYORÍA DEL TIEMPO SE SINTIÓ PREOCUPADO Y ANSIOSO?

- ☐ SÍ ☐ No

13. EL AÑO PASADO, ¿LE TOCÓ UN MAREO O UN ATAQUE QUE LE HIZO SENTIRSE DE REPENTE CON MIEDO, ANSIEDAD O INQUIETUD CUANDO LA MAYORÍA DE LA GENTE NO TENDRÍA MIEDO NI ANSIEDAD?

- ☐ SÍ ☐ No

14. EL AÑO PASADO, ¿LE TOCÓ UN MAREO O UN ATAQUE QUE POR NINGUNA RAZÓN SU CORAZÓN DE REPENTE EMPEZÓ A LATIR RÁPIDAMENTE, SE SENTÍA MAREADO, O NO PODÍA RESPIRAR?

- ☐ SÍ ☐ No

15. EN SU VIDA, DE NIÑO O ADULTO, ¿HA EXPERIMENTADO O PRESENCIADO ALGÚN EVENTO O EVENTOS TRAUMÁTICOS QUE TUVIERON QUE VER CON HACERSE DAÑO A USTED MISMO O A LOS DEMÁS?

- ☐ SÍ ☐ No

DE SER ASÍ: EL AÑO PASADO, ¿HA SUFRIDO DE RETROSPECCIONES ("FLASHBACKS") PESADILLAS, O PENSAMIENTOS RELATIVOS AL TRAUMA?

- ☐ SÍ ☐ No

16. EN LOS ÚLTIMOS 3 MESES ¿LE HA EXPERIMENTADO EVENTOS O SE HA ENTERADO INFORMACIÓN QUE LE ALTERÓ TANTO QUE LE AFECTÓ LA MANERA EN QUE LIDIA LA VIDA DIARIA?

- ☐ SÍ ☐ No

SCORING THE SUBSTANCE ABUSE AND MENTAL ILLNESS SYMPTOMS SCREENER (SAMISS)

Substance Abuse

Respondent screens **positive** if...

- Sum of responses to **question 1–3** is equal to or **greater than 5**
- Response to **question 4 or 5** is **equal to or greater than 3**
- Response to **question 6 or 7** is **equal to or greater than 1**

Questions 1-3 look at alcohol use

A total score of 5 or greater on these three questions equals a positive screen.

1. How often do you have a drink containing alcohol?

Never = 0

Monthly or less = 1

2–4 times/mo = 2

2–3 times/wk = 3

4 or more times/wk = 4

2. How many drinks do you have on a typical day when you are drinking?

None = 0

1 or 2 = 1

3 or 4 = 2

5 or 6 = 3

7 to 9 = 4

10 or more = 5

3. How often do you have 4 or more drinks on 1 occasion?

Never = 0

Less than monthly = 1

Monthly = 2

Weekly = 3

Daily or almost daily = 4

Questions 4 and 5 look at substances other than alcohol

A score of 3 or greater on either question equals a positive screen.

4. In the past year, how often did you use nonprescription drugs to get high or to change the way you feel?

Never = 0

Less than monthly = 1

Monthly = 2

Weekly = 3

Daily or almost daily = 4

5. In the past year, how often did you use drugs prescribed to you or to someone else to get high or change the way you feel?

Never = 0

Less than monthly = 1

Monthly = 2

Weekly = 3

Daily or almost daily = 4

Questions 6-7 look at the effects of substance use on daily living

A score of 1 or greater on either question equals a positive screen

6. In the past year, how often did you drink or use drugs more than you meant to?

Never = 0

Less than monthly = 1

Monthly = 2

Weekly = 3

Daily or almost daily = 4

7. How often did you feel you wanted or needed to cut down on your drinking or drug use in the past year and were not able to?

Never = 0

Less than monthly = 1

Monthly = 2

Weekly = 3

Daily or almost daily = 4

Mental Illness

Respondent screens **positive** if response to **any question** is “Yes.”

Question 8 looks at the manic side of bipolar disorder

Question 9 - 11 look at depression

Questions 12 - 14 look at anxiety

Question 15 looks at PTSD-like symptoms

Question 16 could be a few things, PTSD or depression

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