



## Adolescent Psychopathology Scale-Short Form™

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### Clinical Score Report

Client name: Sample Client  
Client ID: PAR Sample  
Test date: 09/15/2023  
Date of birth: 10/31/2005  
Age: 17  
Grade: 12<sup>th</sup> grade  
Prepared for: Dr Jones  
Ethnicity: Native American  
Gender: Female  
School/Agency: PHS

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## Use of the APS-SF Clinical Score Report

The summary information presented in this report is based on the adolescent's responses to the 115-item APS-SF. The *T* scores for each of the APS-SF scales presented below are standard scores with a mean of 50 and a standard deviation of 10 points. **The *T* scores are based on the APS-SF standardization sample of 1,076 adolescents, ages 15 to 19 years.** *T* scores based on other comparison samples (e.g., by gender, gender by age group, and total standardization sample) may be found in the APS-SF Professional Manual. Procedures related to interpretation of blank items, the use of cutoff scores, and the use of normative tables are also described in the APS-SF Professional Manual. The following steps are recommended for interpreting APS-SF scores.

### Steps in the Interpretation of APS-SF Scales and Scores

1. General protocol check.
2. Examination of Validity Scales.
3. Examination of Clinical Scales.
4. Examination of Critical Items.
5. Examination of APS-SF Scale Profile.

## Summary of APS-SF Scale Elevations

A basic component of APS-SF scale interpretation is the examination of scales that are elevated to clinically relevant levels of symptomatology. The primary cutoff score for most of the APS-SF scales, except those with very low base rates of occurrence, is 1 ½ standard deviations above the normative mean, a raw score that corresponds to a *T* score of 65. Using the APS-SF standardization sample as the reference base, *T* scores from 65 to 69 represent a mild clinical symptom range. *T* scores from 70 to 79 may be considered to represent a moderate clinical symptom range and *T* scores of 80 and above represent a severe clinical symptom range. Note that elevated APS-SF scores are not diagnostic of *DSM-IV* disorders. Clinical judgment and knowledge of the psychometric properties of each APS-SF scale should guide the clinical application of cutoff scores. In addition to elevated APS-SF scales, interpretation should also include referral information, other test data, behavioral observations, and reports from significant others.

### **Subclinical Symptom Range (60*T* to 64*T*)**

No scores in this range.

### **Mild Clinical Symptom Range (65*T* to 69*T*)**

Inconsistency (*CNR*; 69*T*)

### **Moderate Clinical Symptom Range (70*T* to 79*T*)**

Conduct Disorder (*CND*; 78*T*)

Major Depression (*DEP*; 71*T*)

### **Severe Clinical Symptom Range (80*T* and above)**

Substance Abuse Disorder (*SUB*; 109*T*)

Suicide (*SUI*; 85*T*)

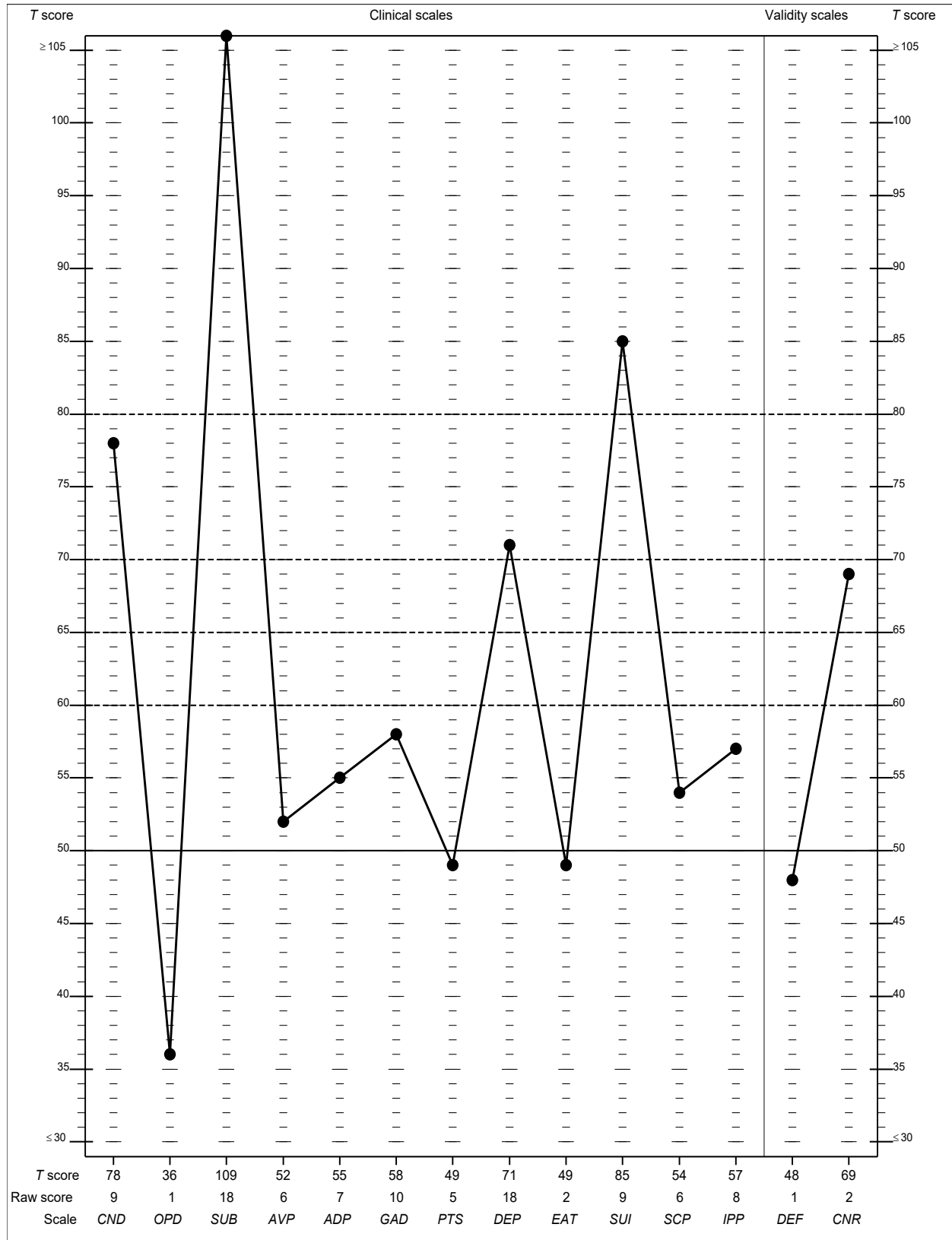
## APS-SF Score Summary Table

APS-SF scale	Raw score	T score	Percent completed
<b>Clinical scales</b>			
Conduct Disorder ( <i>CND</i> )	9	78	100%
Oppositional Defiant Disorder ( <i>OPD</i> )	1	36	100%
Substance Abuse Disorder ( <i>SUB</i> )	18	109	100%
Anger/Violence Proneness ( <i>AVP</i> )	6	52	100%
Academic Problems ( <i>ADP</i> )	7	55	100%
Generalized Anxiety Disorder ( <i>GAD</i> )	10	58	100%
Posttraumatic Stress Disorder ( <i>PTS</i> )	5	49	100%
Major Depression ( <i>DEP</i> )	18	71	100%
Eating Disturbance ( <i>EAT</i> )	2	49	100%
Suicide ( <i>SUI</i> )	9	85	100%
Self-Concept ( <i>SCP</i> )	6	54	100%
Interpersonal Problems ( <i>IPP</i> )	8	57	100%
<b>Validity scales</b>			
Defensiveness ( <i>DEF</i> )	1	48	100%
Inconsistency ( <i>CNR</i> )	2	69	100%

*Note.* "---" indicates a scale is invalid due to an excessive number of missing item responses.

\*Prorated raw score.

# Profile of APS-SF Scales



Note. "----" indicates a scale that is invalid due to an excessive number of missing items.

## Critical Items Summary Form

Item number	Response	Critical Item
3.	F	I broke into a house, car, or building.
4.	F	I ran away from home two or more times.
6.	T **	I hurt animals.
7.	F	<i>[Redacted for Sample Report]</i>
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*Note.* APS-SF Critical Items should be interpreted cautiously. Use of the Critical Items is one level of APS-SF scale interpretation. See the APS-SF Professional Manual for additional guidelines for the use of the Critical Items. Asterisks (\*\*) denote Critical Items endorsed in the keyed direction or left blank.

*Response Legend.* T = True; F = False; N = Never or almost never; ST = Sometimes; A = Nearly all the time; 1-2 = Once or twice a week; 3+ = Three or more times a week; E = Nearly every day; CM = Couple of times a month; 1W = Once a week; CW = Couple of times a week; ED = Nearly every day; ? = Item left blank.

## Item Response Summary Table

Item	Resp.	Item	Resp.	Item	Resp.
1.	T	51.	N	101.	N
2.	T	52.	A	102.	E
3.	F	53.	ST	103.	E
4.	F	54.	N	104.	E
5.	F	55.	A	105.	E
6.	T	56.	ST	106.	N
7.	F	57.	N	107.	N
8.	T	58.	N	108.	CM
9.	T	59.	N	109.	CM
10.	F	60.	A	110.	CM
11.	T	61.	A	111.	1W
12.	F	62.	A	112.	1W
13.	T	63.	ST	113.	ED
14.	T	64.	ST	114.	ED
15.	T	65.	N	115.	CW
16.	T	66.	A		
17.	F	67.	A		
18.	F	68.	A		
19.	F	69.	ST		
20.	T	70.	N		
21.	F	71.	ST		
22.	T	72.	N		
23.	F	73.	A		
24.	F	74.	A		
25.	T	75.	ST		
26.	F	76.	N		
27.	N	77.	ST		
28.	ST	78.	N		
29.	N	79.	ST		
30.	ST	80.	N		
31.	N	81.	A		
32.	ST	82.	ST		
33.	N	83.	A		
34.	ST	84.	N		
35.	N	85.	N		
36.	ST	86.	N		
37.	ST	87.	N		
38.	N	88.	N		
39.	N	89.	1-2		
40.	N	90.	1-2		
41.	N	91.	E		
42.	N	92.	E		
43.	N	93.	E		
44.	ST	94.	E		
45.	ST	95.	N		
46.	ST	96.	E		
47.	ST	97.	N		
48.	N	98.	E		
49.	N	99.	N		
50.	N	100.	E		

**\*\*\* End of Report \*\*\***