

CHILDHOOD SYMPTOMS SCALE—OTHER REPORT FORM

Your name _____ Date _____

Person to be rated by you _____

Your relationship to that person _____

Instructions: Please circle the number next to each item that best describes the behavior of the person being rated when he/she was *a child age 5 to 12 years*.

| Items: | Never or rarely | Sometimes | Often | Very often |
|---|--------------------|-----------|-------|---------------|
| 1. Failed to give close attention to details or made careless mistakes in his/her work | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 2. Fidgeted with hands or feet or squirmed in seat | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 3. Had difficulty sustaining his/her attention in tasks or fun activities | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 4. Left his/her seat in classroom or in other situations in which seating was expected | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 5. Didn't listen when spoken to directly | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 6. Seemed restless | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 7. Didn't follow through on instructions and failed to finish work | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 8. Had difficulty engaging in leisure activities or doing fun things quietly | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 9. Had difficulty organizing tasks and activities | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 10. Seemed "on the go" or "driven by a motor" | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 11. Avoided, disliked, or was reluctant to engage in work that required sustained mental effort | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 12. Talked excessively | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 13. Lost things necessary for tasks or activities | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 14. Blurted out answers before questions were completed | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 15. Was easily distracted | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 16. Had difficulty awaiting turn | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |

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| 17. Was forgetful in daily activities | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 18. Interrupted or intruded on others | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |

To what extent did the problems you may have circled on the previous page interfere with this person's ability to function in each of these areas of life activities *when he/she was a child between 5 and 12 years of age?*

| Areas: | Never or rarely | Sometimes | Often | Very often |
|--|--------------------|-----------|-------|---------------|
| In his/her home life with the immediate family | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| In his/her social interactions with other children | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| In his/her activities or dealings in the community | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| In school | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| In sports, clubs, or other organizations | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| In learning to take care of him/herself | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| In his/her play, leisure, or recreational activities | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| In his/her handling of daily chores or other responsibilities | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |

Instructions: Again, please circle the number next to each item that best describes the behavior of the person being rated *when he/she was a child age 5 to 12 years.*

| Items: | Never or rarely | Sometimes | Often | Very often |
|---|--------------------|-----------|-------|---------------|
| 1. Lost temper | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 2. Argued with adults | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 3. Actively defied or refused to comply with adults' requests or rules | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 4. Deliberately annoyed people | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 5. Blamed others for his/her mistakes or misbehavior | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 6. Was touchy or easily annoyed by others | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 7. Was angry or resentful | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 8. Was spiteful or vindictive | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |

(cont.)

Instructions: Please indicate whether the person being rated on this form engaged in any of the following items *between 5 and 18 years of age*:

| | | |
|---|----|-----|
| 1. Often bullied, threatened, or intimidated others | No | Yes |
| 2. Often initiated physical fights | No | Yes |
| 3. Used a weapon that can cause serious physical harm to others (e.g., a bat, brick, broken bottle, knife, or gun) | No | Yes |
| 4. Was physically cruel to people | No | Yes |
| 5. Was physically cruel to animals | No | Yes |
| 6. Stole while confronting a victim (e.g., mugging, purse snatching, extortion, armed robbery) | No | Yes |
| 7. Forced someone into sexual activity | No | Yes |
| 8. Deliberately engaged in fire setting with the intention of causing serious damage | No | Yes |
| 9. Deliberately destroyed others' property (other than by fire setting) | No | Yes |
| 10. Broke into someone else's house, building, or car | No | Yes |
| 11. Often lied to obtain goods or favors or to avoid obligations (i.e., "conned" others) | No | Yes |
| 12. Stole items of nontrivial value without confronting a victim (e.g., shoplifting, but without breaking and entering; forgery) | No | Yes |
| 13. Often stayed out at night despite parental prohibitions If so, at what age did this begin? _____ | No | Yes |
| 14. Ran away from home overnight at least twice while living in parents' home, foster care, or group home. If so, how many times? _____ | No | Yes |
| 15. Was often truant from school If so, at what age did this begin? _____ | No | Yes |