

JUVENILE PRETRIAL TEST

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 CONFIDENTIAL REPORT  
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NAME : Example Report  
 ID # : 0000000000  
 AGE: 16 SEX : Male  
 ETHNICITY/RACE : Caucasian  
 EDUCATION/GRADE : 10th Grade  
 DATE JPT SCORED : 12/11/2010

Juvenile Pretrial Test results are confidential and should be considered working hypotheses. No decision should be based solely upon these results. The Juvenile Pretrial Test is to be used in conjunction with experienced staff judgment.

MEASURES	%ile	JUVENILE PRETRIAL TEST PROFILE			
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		- LOW RISK	- MEDIUM	-PROBLEM-	-MAX-
		-	-	-	-
TRUTHFULNESS	64	*****	.....	.....	.....
ALCOHOL SEVERITY	90	*****	.....	.....	.....
DRUGS SEVERITY	73	*****	.....	.....	.....
LETHALITY	75	*****	.....	.....	.....
DISTRESS	72	*****	.....	.....	.....
ADJUSTMENT	54	*****	.....	.....	.....
STRESS QUOTIENT	73	*****	.....	.....	.....
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		0	40	70	90 100
		----- PERCENTILE SCORES -----			

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 ADDITIONAL INFORMATION PROVIDED BY CLIENT  
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Age at First Arrest.....	15	Times in Juvenile Detention.....	1
Times on Probation.....	1	Juvenile Court Hearings.....	1
Probation Revocations.....	0	Alcohol-Related Arrests.....	1
Total Number of Arrests.....	1	Drug-Related Arrests.....	1

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

## TRUTHFULNESS SCALE: MEDIUM RISK RANGE

RISK PERCENTILE:64

This young person's response pattern on the Validity (Truthfulness) Scale is in the Medium Risk (40 to 69th percentile) range. The Juvenile Pretrial Test profile is accurate, however, this client is attempting to deny common problems and portray self in an overly favorable light. Truth-Corrected scores should be accurate. This youth tends to be guarded, defensive and self-protective. This individual has adequate reading skills. Some denial is evident, yet this youth has answered Juvenile Pretrial Test items in a reasonably accurate manner.

## ALCOHOL SEVERITY SCALE: MAXIMUM RISK RANGE

RISK PERCENTILE:90

This juvenile's score on the Alcohol Severity Scale is in the High Risk or Severe Problem (90 to 100th percentile) range. Either this individual's use of alcohol (beer, wine or liquor) is out of control or this juvenile is a recovering (alcohol problem, but has stopped drinking) alcoholic. Serious alcohol abuse is indicated and many self-report indicators of alcohol abuse are evident. This juvenile has an alcohol-related problem. RECOMMENDATIONS: Annual re-evaluation throughout probation is recommended. Options include: substance (alcohol) abuse outpatient counseling, chemical dependency treatment, intensive outpatient counseling services. If recovering, this juvenile should continue in treatment, counseling or 12-step community program involvement. Relapse risk is high. Family counseling should be encouraged.

## DRUGS SEVERITY SCALE: PROBLEM RISK RANGE

RISK PERCENTILE:73

This juvenile's response pattern on the Drugs Severity Scale is in the Problem Risk (70 to 89th percentile) range. Either drug use is not controlled or this person is recovering (drug problem, but has stopped using). Drug (marijuana, cocaine, LSD, heroin, etc.) abuse is indicated. Drug use or abuse is likely a focal issue in this juvenile's adjustment problems. An established pattern of drug abuse is indicated. Annual re-evaluation is desirable. RECOMMENDATIONS: Moderately intensive probation including personal reporting and participation in drug-related counseling (individual or group) or 12-step community program involvement should be considered. If recovering, this juvenile should continue in treatment, counseling or Young People in NA. Relapse is possible. Family counseling could be helpful. A firm probationary structure combined with monitored counseling attendance and compliance is desirable.

## LETHALITY SCALE: PROBLEM RISK RANGE

RISK PERCENTILE:75

This juvenile's response pattern on the Lethality (Violence) Scale is in the Problem Risk (70 to 89th percentile) range. When frustrated or angered this youth can all too easily become agitated, uncontrolled, threatening or even combative. Whether boisterous, distraught or disorderly, this client's behavior has an unpredictable ugly or violent quality. RECOMMENDATIONS: Participation in a group counseling program designed to resolve anger/violent behavior is recommended. Regular probation incorporating personal reporting is appropriate. Review the other Juvenile Pretrial Test scales to assess the range of contributing stressors and areas of conflict or concern. This is a

problem risk profile. This troubled youth needs help.

DISTRESS SCALE: PROBLEM RISK RANGE RISK PERCENTILE:72

This juvenile's score on the Distress Scale is in the Problem Risk (70 to 89th percentile) range. Distress incorporates both anxiety and depression and represents the most common reason for seeking counseling. Symptoms include uneasiness, apprehension, unhappiness and varying degrees of anger, guilt or shame. Distress is contributing to this person's emotional and adjustment problems. This juvenile is distressed or disturbed and needs help. RECOMMENDATIONS: This is a troubled youth that should talk to somebody about existing problems and concerns. Counseling (individual, family or group) is recommended. With regard to distress, moderately intensive probation including participation in counseling (as warranted) is recommended.

ADJUSTMENT SCALE: MEDIUM RISK RANGE RISK PERCENTILE:54

This juvenile's Adjustment Scale Score is in the Medium Risk (40 to 69th percentile) range. The Adjustment Scale measures the youth's ability to adapt, conform, and function. It involves personal and social forces involved in adapting to one's environment. The effects of stressors (home, school and peer group) are becoming apparent. Other Juvenile Pretrial Test scale scores that should be checked include violence, substance (alcohol and other drugs) use or abuse, distress (anxiety and depression) and stress coping abilities. RECOMMENDATIONS: With regard to this youth's adjustment stressor reactions are only beginning to become apparent. Adjustment does not present as a problem. Review this juvenile's court-related records. If additional delinquency oriented offenses are revealed probation might be individualized and upgraded as warranted. If no additional delinquency oriented offenses are evident, simply talking with this youth should help.

STRESS QUOTIENT SCALE: PROBLEM RISK RANGE RISK PERCENTILE:73

High levels of experienced stress and/or below average stress coping abilities are indicated. Stress can exacerbate other symptoms and contribute to adjustment difficulties. This person manifests impaired stress coping abilities. This person's score on the Stress Quotient Scale is in the Problem Risk (70 to 89th percentile) range.

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JUVENILE PRETRIAL TEST RESPONSES

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1- 50	TFFFTFFTF	FTTFFTTFFT	TFFTTFFFTF	FFTFFTTFFT	FTFTTFFTF
51-100	FTTFFFTFFT	TFFTTFFTF	FTTFFTTFFT	TFFTTFFTF	FTTFFTFFT
101-140	3323213222	2212221221	3221222223	4444444444	

SIGNIFICANT ITEMS: These answers are the youth's responses. They represent direct admissions or unusual answers which when explored in interview often help in understanding the juvenile's motivation.

ALCOHOL SEVERITY

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- 21. Drinking becoming a problem
- 33. Drinking problem in last year
- 45. Family and social problems
- 57. Admits to a drinking problem
- 89. Attended AA meetings for help

DRUGS SEVERITY

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- 5. Has used drugs excessively
- 17. Many close friends use drugs
- 29. Uses and sometimes abuses drugs
- 53. Attended NA or CA meetings
- 85. Had counseling for drug use

LETHALITY (VIOLENCE)

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- 36. More dangerous than age peers
- 48. Violent temper tantrums
- 60. Admits a gang member
- 65. States a violent person

DISTRESS

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- 8. Unhappy with life
- 20. Frequently discouraged
- 44. Last year: unhappy & depressed
- 69. Thinks about death & suicide
- 81. Wants to talk with a counselor

ADJUSTMENT

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- 16. "Turned off" in school

STRUCTURED INTERVIEW; These answers reflect the youth's opinions with all their biases, defensiveness and minimization. Sometimes comparison of a youth's subjective answers with their objective scale scores facilitates insight and client understanding.

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|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 131. Drinking is not a problem     | 136. Drug use no problem          |
| 132. No need for alcohol treatment | 137. No need for drug treatment   |
| 133. Not a recovering person       | 138. Rates 9-10 (severe distress) |
| 134. Never been a gang member      | 139. Not suicidal or homicidal    |
| 135. Denies any family problems    | 140. No need to see a counselor   |

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OBSERVATIONS AND COMMENTS

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STAFF MEMBER SIGNATURE

DATE

(TEST # 1 )