

# ADD Screening

## ADD Rating Scale

61 questions answered by the adult patient recalling his or her childhood behavior  
5 possible responses scored from 0 to 4 points

	<b>As a child I was (or had):</b>	not at all or very slightly	mildly	moder- ately	quite a bit	very much
1	active restless always on the go	0	1	2	3	4
2	afraid of things	0	1	2	3	4
3	concentration problems easily distracted	0	1	2	3	4
4	anxious worrying	0	1	2	3	4
5	nervous fidgety	0	1	2	3	4
6	inattentive daydreaming	0	1	2	3	4
7	hot- or short-tempered low boiling point	0	1	2	3	4
8	shy sensitive	0	1	2	3	4
9	temper outbursts tantrums	0	1	2	3	4
10	trouble with stick-to-it- tiveness not following through. failing to finish things started	0	1	2	3	4
11	stubborn strong-willed	0	1	2	3	4
12	sad or blue depressed unhappy	0	1	2	3	4
13	incautious. dare-devilish involved in pranks	0	1	2	3	4
14	not getting a kick out of things dissatisfied with life	0	1	2	3	4
15	disobedient with parents rebellious sassy	0	1	2	3	4
16	low opinion of myself	0	1	2	3	4
17	irritable	0	1	2	3	4

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18	outgoing friendly enjoyed company of people	0	1	2	3	4
19	sloppy disorganized	0	1	2	3	4
20	moody ups and downs	0	1	2	3	4
21	angry	0	1	2	3	4
22	friends popular	0	1	2	3	4
23	well-organized tidy neat	0	1	2	3	4
24	acting without thinking impulsive	0	1	2	3	4
25	tendency to be immature	0	1	2	3	4
26	guilty feelings regretful	0	1	2	3	4
27	losing control of myself	0	1	2	3	4
28	tendency to be or act irrational	0	1	2	3	4
29	unpopular with other children didn't keep friends for long didn't get along with other children	0	1	2	3	4
30	poorly coordinated did not participate in sports	0	1	2	3	4
31	afraid of losing control of self	0	1	2	3	4
32	well-coordinated picked first in games	0	1	2	3	4
33	tomboyish (for women only)	0	1	2	3	4
34	running away from home	0	1	2	3	4
35	getting into fights	0	1	2	3	4
36	teasing other children	0	1	2	3	4
37	leader bossy	0	1	2	3	4
38	difficulty getting awake	0	1	2	3	4
39	follower led around too much	0	1	2	3	4
40	trouble seeing things from someone else's point of view	0	1	2	3	4
41	trouble with authorities trouble with school visits to principal's office	0	1	2	3	4
42	trouble with police booked convicted	0	1	2	3	4

	<b>Medical problems as a child</b>	not at all or very slightly	mildly	moderately	quite a bit	very much
43	headaches	0	1	2	3	4
44	stomachaches	0	1	2	3	4
45	constipation	0	1	2	3	4
46	diarrhea	0	1	2	3	4
47	food allergies	0	1	2	3	4
48	other allergies	0	1	2	3	4
49	bedwetting	0	1	2	3	4
	<b>As a child in school I was (or had)</b>	not at all or very slightly	mildly	moderately	quite a bit	very much
50	overall a good student fast	0	1	2	3	4
51	overall a poor student slow learner	0	1	2	3	4
52	slow in learning to read	0	1	2	3	4
53	slow reader	0	1	2	3	4
54	trouble reversing letters	0	1	2	3	4
55	problems with spelling	0	1	2	3	4
56	trouble with mathematics or numbers	0	1	2	3	4
57	bad handwriting	0	1	2	3	4
58	able to read pretty well but never really enjoyed reading	0	1	2	3	4
59	not achieving up to potential	0	1	2	3	4
60	repeating grades	0	1	2	3	4
61	suspended or expelled	0	1	2	3	4

ADD rating scale subscore = \_\_\_\_\_ (sum of 25 questions associated with ADHD)