CONDUCT DISORDER

CONDUCT DISORDER CRITERIA

Now I'm going to ask you some questions about different kinds of trouble that you may have gotten into over the past six months.

A. A repetitive and persistent pattern of behavior in which either the basic rights of others or major age-appropriate societal norms or rules are violated, as manifested by the presence of **at least three** of the following criteria **in the past 12 months**, with **at least one criterion present in the past six months**:

Have you often skipped school?

IF YES: What did you do instead of going to school? How many times did you do this in the past six months? (CODE '3' IF 2 OR MORE TIMES IN THE PAST MONTH). How old were you when you started cutting school?

IF EMPLOYED: Have you often skipped work for no good reason?

IF YES: How often?

(1) often truant from school, beginning before 13 years of age (for employed person, absent from work)

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Do you often stay out past the time you're supposed to be home?

IF YES: How many times have you done that over the last six months? How old were you when you started getting into trouble for staying out like that?

(2) often stays out at night despite parental prohibitions, beginning before 13 years of age

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Have you ever run away from home and stayed away overnight?

IF YES: Why did you run away? (Was it only because someone at home was hurting you very badly?)

(IF UNCLEAR:Was that more than once? How long did you stay away away?)

(3) has run away from home overnight at least twice while living in parental or parental surrogate home (or once without returning for a lengthy period)

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Do you lie a lot?

IF YES: (Have you often lied to or ”conned” someone to get out of having to do something you were supposed to do?)

IF YES:Give me some examples. (Did you only lie to someone at home who was hurting you very badly?) Have you lied more than once a week over the past six months?

IF NO: Have you often broken promises? (Has this happened often over the past six months?)

(4) often lies or breaks promises to obtain goods or favors or to avoid obligations (i.e., “cons” others)

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Do you often force kids to do what you want, even kids smaller than yourself (be a bully)?

IF YES: Tell me more about what you do

Have other kids, parents or teachers called you a bully?

(Has this happened at least once a month over the past six months?)

5) often bullies, threatens or intimidates others

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Do you often start fights where you push or punch other kids?

IF YES: Can you give me an example of what happens when you get into a physical fight? How many fights like this have you had in the past six months? (CODE ‘3’ IF TWO OR MORE).

(6) often initiates physical fights

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Have you ever done mean things to hurt someone on purpose, like twisting their arms, or kicking them really hard or pushing them over? Has anyone complained that you are a cruel or mean person?

(7) has been physically cruel to people

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IF YES: Tell me what you've done. Has that happened over the past six months?

Have you ever used a weapon to hurt someone like a bat, brick, broken bottle, knife or a gun?

(8) has used a weapon that can cause serious physical harm to others (e.g., a bat, brick, broken bottle, knife, gun)

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Have you ever robbed or mugged someone?
IF YES: Tell me more about that. Have you done that in the past six months?
IF NO: Did you ever force someone to give you something that you wanted (other than sex)?

(9) has stolen with confrontation with a victim (e.g., mugging, purse snatching, extortion, armed robbery)

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Have you ever forced someone to do something sexual, like taking off their clothes and showing you their private parts, or making them touch your private parts when they didn't want to? (Have you ever forced anyone to have sex with you?)
IF YES: Have you done that over the past six months?

(10) has forced someone into sexual activity

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Have you ever hurt or tortured an animal on purpose?
IF YES: What did you do? Has that happened over the past six months?

(11) has been physically cruel to animals

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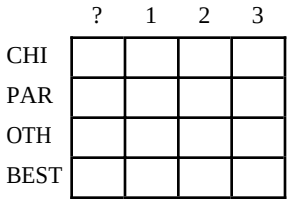
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Have you ever shoplifted things or stolen from a family member when other people were not around watching you?

IF YES: What kinds of things have you stolen? How much were they worth? Has this happened in the past six months?

IF NO: How about ever writing someone else's name to get money or something else in the last six months?

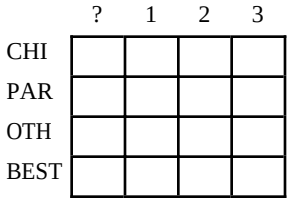
(12) has stolen items of nontrivial value without confrontation with the victim either within the home or outside the home (e.g., shoplifting, burglary, forgery)



Have you ever broken into someone else's house or car, or into a building?

IF YES: Tell me more about that. Has that happened in the past six months?

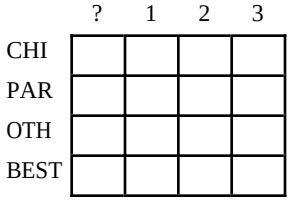
(13) has broken into someone else's house, building, or car



Have you ever set a fire to wreck something valuable or to hurt someone on purpose?

IF YES: Tell me about what you did. Have you done that in the past six months?

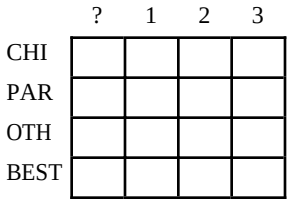
(14) has deliberately engaged in fire setting with the intention of causing serious damage

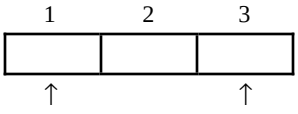


Did you ever break or destroy things that weren't yours on purpose, like windows or other kid's belongings?

IF YES: Tell me more about what you have done. Have you done anything like that in the past six months?

(15) has deliberately destroyed other's property (other than fire setting)





AT LEAST 3 OF THE SXS IN A ARE CODED "3" AND AT LEAST 1 SYMPTOM IN A WAS PRESENT DURING THE PAST 6 MONTHS

A criteria met

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IF UNKNOWN: How old are you now?

B. The impairment in behavior causes clinically significant impairment in social, academic, or occupational functioning.

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C. If age 18 or older, does not meet criteria for Antisocial Personality Disorder

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CONDUCT DISORDER CRITERIA A, B & C ARE CODED "3"

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Conduct Disorder

How old were you when you first started doing many of the things, like (LIST SXS), that we've just been talking about?

CODE AGE AT ONSET OF DISORDER

SUBTYPE OF CONDUCT DISORDER BASED ON AGE OF ONSET

1. NO CONDUCT PROBLEMS PRIOR TO AGE 10
TYPE IS **adolescent onset type**

2. ONSET OF AT LEAST ONE CONDUCT PROBLEM PRIOR TO AGE 10
TYPE IS **childhood onset type**

IF NECESSARY, RETURN AND FINISH OPPOSITIONAL DEFIANT DISORDER, A 10

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