

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

TRUTHFULNESS SCALE: MEDIUM RISK RANGE

RISK PERCENTILE: 64

This young person's response pattern on the Truthfulness Scale is in the Medium Risk (40 to 69th percentile) range. The JSAP 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 JSAP items in a reasonably accurate manner.

ALCOHOL SCALE: PROBLEM RISK RANGE

RISK PERCENTILE: 72

This juvenile's score on the Alcohol Scale is in the Problem Drinker (70 to 89th percentile) range. Either an established pattern of alcohol use and abuse is present, or this juvenile is a recovering (alcohol problem, but has stopped drinking) alcoholic. Alcohol use or abuse is likely a focal issue in this juvenile's adjustment problems. An alcohol (beer, wine or alcohol) or drinking-related problem is evident. RECOMMENDATIONS: Participation in alcohol-related counseling (individual, family or group), alcohol-related education classes and/or 12-Step community program involvement should be considered. Relapse is possible. If recovering, this individual should continue in counseling (individual or group) or Alcoholics Anonymous (AA). Family counseling should be encouraged. Reporting of treatment compliance and attendance throughout probation is desirable. With regard to alcohol, moderately intensive probation is recommended.

DRUGS SCALE: MEDIUM RISK RANGE

RISK PERCENTILE: 60

This troubled youth's score on the Drugs Scale is in the Medium Risk (40 to 69th percentile) range. Some indicators of drug use are present, yet an established pattern of drug abuse is not evident. RECOMMENDATIONS: Review of this youth's court history appears warranted and if additional drug-related offenses exist, probation and counseling or treatment recommendations should be upgraded accordingly. A fine might be imposed as a possible disposition. If other drug-related arrests exist consideration might be given to a week-end incarceration for the "shock" effect. Community service could incorporate attendance at Narcotics Anonymous (NA) or Cocaine Anonymous (CA) meetings. Credit might be given toward a fine disposition if classes and/or meetings are attended and completed as required. Wherever possible parental involvement should be encouraged. This youth may be in the early stages of drug involvement, consequently we are recommending prompt intervention. This is a medium risk Drug Scale score.

AGGRESSIVENESS SCALE: PROBLEM RISK RANGE

RISK PERCENTILE: 72

An aggressive problem is evident. Problem risk scorers can be expected to seek excitement and can be intimidating or threatening. Low frustration tolerance, disruptiveness, verbal abusiveness, impulsiveness and aggressive behavior are likely. This person could be disruptive and hostile. Aggressiveness can be exacerbated by frustration, perceived stress and/or substance (alcohol or other drugs) use or abuse.

STRESS COPING SCALE: MAXIMUM RISK RANGE RISK PERCENTILE: 91
 Poor stress coping abilities are evident. Stress, or this youth's inability to cope with stress, is contributing to emotional or adjustment problems. This youth may have identifiable mental health or adjustment problems. Any substance use or abuse could exacerbate other stress-related symptoms. This youth's score is in the High Risk (90 to 100 percentile) or Severe Problem range.

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SIGNIFICANT ITEMS: The following self-report responses represent topics that may help in understanding the youth's situation.

ALCOHOL

20. A drinking problem: last year

DRUGS

14. Uses and abuses drugs
** Score due to drug arrests

AGGRESSIVENESS

41. Denies being a quiet person

MULTIPLE CHOICE (JUVENILE'S SELF-REPORT)

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| 98. Not ill after drinking | 108. Denies drug-related symptoms |
| 99. Drinking: No speech/coord. prob. | 109. Denies drug use or abuse |
| 100. Denies increase tolerance | 110. No drug problem |
| 101. Minimal, if any drinking | 111. No drug help need |
| 102. Drinking: not a problem | 112. Drug rating: serious problems |
| 103. No need for alcohol help | 113. Rates self very aggressive |
| 104. Not a recovering person | 114. Reports no family problems |
| 105. Rates alcohol: serious problem | 115. Denies emotional problems |
| 106. Does not use drugs | 116. No need to see a counselor |
| 107. Denies withdrawal symptoms | |

OBSERVATIONS AND COMMENTS

STAFF MEMBER SIGNATURE _____

DATE _____