

ADI-R ADULT SCALES

A: Relationships		None	Little	Some	High	Extreme
Difficulty in establishing/maintaining friendships		0	1	2	3	4
Difficulty with relationships outside caregivers		0	1	2	3	4
Difficulty in establishing/maintaining romantic relationships		0	1	2	3	4
Idiosyncratic behaviors with others impairing relationships		0	1	2	3	4
Language limitations impairing relationships		0	1	2	3	4
Limited perspective taking abilities		0	1	2	3	4
Difficulty listening to others		0	1	2	3	4
A Total						
B: Non-verbal communication challenges		None	Little	Some	High	Extreme
Difficulty interpreting facial expressions		0	1	2	3	4
Difficulty interpreting gestures		0	1	2	3	4
Difficulty establishing/maintaining eye contact		0	1	2	3	4
Feeling of "missing" something when interacting with people		0	1	2	3	4
Frequently misreads other people		0	1	2	3	4
B Total						
C: Sensory process disorders		None	Little	Some	High	Extreme
Over-sensitivity to stimuli						
Smells		0	1	2	3	4
Sounds		0	1	2	3	4
Sights		0	1	2	3	4
Light		0	1	2	3	4
Dark		0	1	2	3	4
Temperature		0	1	2	3	4
Craving of stimuli						
Speed		0	1	2	3	4
Heights		0	1	2	3	4
Light		0	1	2	3	4
Sounds		0	1	2	3	4
Heat		0	1	2	3	4
Cold		0	1	2	3	4
C Total						
D: Lack of empathy or shared perspective		None	Little	Some	High	Extreme
Difficulty in understanding the perspective of others		0	1	2	3	4
Difficulty in sharing another person's interests		0	1	2	3	4
Difficulty in sympathizing with other people		0	1	2	3	4
Difficulty in understanding what others want, feel or think		0	1	2	3	4
Difficulty in decoding humor or understanding jokes		0	1	2	3	4
D Total						
E: Verbal communication problems		None	Little	Some	High	Extreme
Difficulty in starting and maintaining a conversation		0	1	2	3	4
Words disappear when talking to others		0	1	2	3	4
Difficulty processing thoughts into words		0	1	2	3	4
Difficulty processing feelings into words		0	1	2	3	4
E Total						

F: Preoccupation with items or topics	None	Little	Some	High	Extreme
Exhibits a limited range of interests	0	1	2	3	4
Extremely knowledgeable about a single topic	0	1	2	3	4
Hyperfocused on a specific area of interest	0	1	2	3	4
Desire to discuss a topic at great length with any listener	0	1	2	3	4
F Total					
G: Repetitive or stereotypical behaviors	None	Little	Some	High	Extreme
Repeats the same words, phrases, or behaviors frequently	0	1	2	3	4
Routinely and repeatedly sings the same tune or jingle	0	1	2	3	4
Speech content is of little social, practical, or communication value	0	1	2	3	4
G Total					
H: Need for routine	None	Little	Some	High	Extreme
Dislike of travel, geographic displacement to a new environment	0	1	2	3	4
Refusal to try new foods or restaurants	0	1	2	3	4
Follows the same schedule every day	0	1	2	3	4
Feels great discomfort if forced to deviate from routine	0	1	2	3	4
Difficulty changing plans	0	1	2	3	4
Always follows the same route from one place to another	0	1	2	3	4
H Total					
I: Savant skills	None	Little	Some	High	Extreme
Excels well above the norm in a specific area only	0	1	2	3	4
Has exceptional memory or recall skills	0	1	2	3	4
Has exceptional mathematical abilities	0	1	2	3	4
Has exceptional music abilities	0	1	2	3	4
I Total					
J: Sleep problems and anxiety	None	Little	Some	High	Extreme
Has difficulty falling, staying asleep	0	1	2	3	4
Exhibits clinical anxiety symptoms	0	1	2	3	4
Difficulty in controlling temper	0	1	2	3	4
Shows frequent mood changes	0	1	2	3	4
Exhibits clinical depression symptoms	0	1	2	3	4
J Total					
K: Substance Abuse	None	Little	Some	High	Extreme
Uses alcohol to reduce distress and social anxiety symptoms	0	1	2	3	4
Uses marijuana to reduce distress and social anxiety symptoms	0	1	2	3	4
Uses prescription opiates to reduce distress and anxiety symptoms	0	1	2	3	4
K Total					

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