

For office use only: Client ID: _____

Date: _____

Timepoint: _____

Parent/Caregiver Name: _____

What is your relationship to the child? _____

Disruptive Behavior Disorders Scale - Parent/Caregiver

Instructions: Check the response that best describes your child.

	Not At All	Just A Little	Pretty Much	Very Much
1. Often interrupts or intrudes on others (e.g., butts into conversations or games).	0	1	2	3
2. 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).	0	1	2	3
3. Often argues with adults.	0	1	2	3
4. Often lies to obtain goods or favors or to avoid obligations (i.e., "cons" others).	0	1	2	3
5. Often initiates physical fights with other members of their household.	0	1	2	3
6. Has been physically cruel to people.	0	1	2	3
7. Often talks excessively.	0	1	2	3
8. Has stolen items of nontrivial value without confronting a victim (e.g., shoplifting, but without breaking and entering; forgery).	0	1	2	3
9. Is often easily distracted by extraneous stimuli.	0	1	2	3
10. Often engages in physically dangerous activities without considering possible consequences (not for the purpose of thrill-seeking), e.g., runs into street without looking.	0	1	2	3
11. Often truant from school, beginning before age 13 years.	0	1	2	3
12. Often fidgets with hands or feet or squirms in seat.	0	1	2	3
13. Is often spiteful or vindictive.	0	1	2	3
14. Often swears or uses obscene language.	0	1	2	3
15. Often blames others for their mistakes or misbehavior.	0	1	2	3
16. Has deliberately destroyed others' property (other than by fire setting).	0	1	2	3
17. Often actively defies or refuses to comply with adults' requests or rules.	0	1	2	3
18. Often does not seem to listen when spoken to directly.	0	1	2	3
19. Often blurts out answers before questions have been completed.	0	1	2	3
20. Often initiates physical fights with others who do not live in his or her household (e.g., peers at school or in the neighborhood).	0	1	2	3
21. Often shifts from one uncompleted activity to another.	0	1	2	3

	Never	Sometimes	Often	Always
22. Often has difficulty playing or engaging in leisure activities quietly.	0	1	2	3
23. Often fails to give close attention to details or makes careless mistakes in schoolwork, work, or other activities.	0	1	2	3
24. Is often angry and resentful.	0	1	2	3
25. Often leaves seat in classroom or in other situations in which remaining seated is expected.	0	1	2	3
26. Is often touchy or easily annoyed by others.	0	1	2	3
27. Often does not follow through on instructions and fails to finish schoolwork, chores, or duties in the workplace (not due to oppositional behavior or failure to understand instructions).	0	1	2	3
28. Often loses temper.	0	1	2	3
29. Often has difficulty sustaining attention in tasks or play activities.	0	1	2	3
30. Often has difficulty awaiting turn.	0	1	2	3
31. Has forced someone into sexual activity.	0	1	2	3
32. Often bullies, threatens, or intimidates others.	0	1	2	3
33. Is often "on the go" or often acts as if "driven by a motor."	0	1	2	3
34. Often loses things necessary for tasks or activities (e.g., toys, school assignments, pencils, books, or tools).	0	1	2	3
35. Often runs about or climbs excessively in situations in which it is inappropriate (in adolescents or adults, may be limited to subjective feelings of restlessness).	0	1	2	3
36. Has been physically cruel to animals.	0	1	2	3
37. Often avoids, dislikes, or is reluctant to engage in tasks that require sustained mental effort (such as schoolwork or homework).	0	1	2	3
38. Often stays out at night despite parental prohibitions, beginning before age 13 years.	0	1	2	3
39. Often deliberately annoys people.	0	1	2	3
40. Has stolen while confronting a victim (e.g., mugging, purse snatching, extortion, armed robbery).	0	1	2	3
41. Has deliberately engaged in fire setting with the intention of causing serious damage.	0	1	2	3
42. Often has difficulty organizing tasks and activities.	0	1	2	3
43. Has broken into someone else's house, building, or car.	0	1	2	3
44. Is often forgetful in daily activities.	0	1	2	3
45. Has used a weapon that can cause serious physical harm to others (e.g., a bat, brick, broken bottle, knife, gun).	0	1	2	3