

Amphetamine Cessation Symptom Assessment Tool



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This resource is a clinical tool that assesses the severity of amphetamine withdrawal.

Amphetamine Cessation Symptom Assessment (ACSA)

Please circle (o) one response for each question regarding the past 24 hours

Question
score

1.	Have you had difficulty concentrating? 0 Not at all 1 A little 2 Moderately 3 Quite a bit 4 Extremely	<input type="radio"/>
2.	Have you been sleeping (or wanting to sleep) a lot? 0 Not at all 1 A little 2 Moderately 3 Quite a bit 4 Extremely	<input type="radio"/>
3.	Have you been tense? 0 Not at all 1 A little 2 Moderately 3 Quite a bit 4 Extremely	<input type="radio"/>
4.	Have you had vivid, unpleasant dreams? 0 Not at all 1 A little 2 Moderately 3 Quite a bit 4 Extremely	<input type="radio"/>
5.	Have you felt irritable? 0 Not at all 1 A little 2 Moderately 3 Quite a bit 4 Extremely	<input type="radio"/>
6.	Have you been tired? 0 Not at all 1 A little 2 Moderately 3 Quite a bit 4 Extremely	<input type="radio"/>

Summary: This 16 item Amphetamine Cessation Symptom Assessment (ACSA) is a clinician rating tool for assessing the severity of amphetamine **withdrawal** symptoms.

Developers: This training resource was developed by [National Centre for Education and Training on Addiction \(NCETA\)](#) at Flinders University.

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