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Comprehensive Assessment of Psychopathic Personality: Symptom Rating Scale



INFORMANT REPORT (CAPP SRS-IR), version 3

Name of Informant _____

Name of Assessee _____

Identification Number _____

Location _____

Date commenced _____

Date concluded (if different) _____

Using the CAPP SRS-IR

The purpose of the CAPP SRS-Informant Report is to capture information about the target person's personality **during an agreed timeframe (e.g., 6 months, one year) prior to the assessment**. We want your assessment of how the target person has behaved *during this time only*.

Completion of this rating scale should take place in conjunction with the **CAPP SRS Manual** and/or the support of **the person who has asked you to complete this assessment**. The **Glossary** might be helpful too to help you to distinguish between the different trait descriptive adjectives.

The first step in the assessment process is to identify the timeframe over which you will assess the target person's characteristics. It might help you to think of key dates within the time period being considered. Dates may include public events such as Christmas, Easter, the World Cup/Champions' League final, and so on, or more target person-specific events such as the target person's preparation for legal proceedings, his or her birthday, date of admission or transfer, and so on. These dates can help you to remember information about the target person, which will help you with your assessment.

The second step is to consider each symptom (represented by the words in bold at the top of each page). Each symptom should be rated using (a) a 7-point **global rating of symptom severity**, and (b) 4-point ratings of **trait descriptive adjectives**, words that we believe capture aspects of the symptom. It might help you to look at the list of **illustrative indicators** for each symptom as you think about the ratings you want to give this target person.

The third and final step is to note any other information that you have observed and which you consider to be evidence of the presence of a symptom in this target person.

Once you have completed your assessment, please hand this Rating Form back to the person who asked you to complete it.

Thank you.

A1) Detached

Global Rating of Symptom Severity:

Not Present	Very Mild	Mild	Moderate	Moderately Severe	Severe	Very Severe
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

Adjectival Descriptor Ratings:

	Not At All Descriptive	Somewhat Descriptive	Moderately Descriptive	Very Descriptive
Remote	0	1	2	3
Distant	0	1	2	3
Cold	0	1	2	3

Illustrative Indicators:

YES NO

- Unattached to others ___ ___
- Uncaring towards others ___ ___
- Does not keep friends for long ___ ___
- Does not have any friends ___ ___
- Does not report even superficial warmth or affection for another person ___ ___
- Describes self as a loner who does not value the company of others ___ ___
- The company of others is described in negative terms ___ ___
- Other people are no good ___ ___
- *Other indicators of this symptom? Describe ...*

A2) Uncommitted

Global Rating of Symptom Severity:

Not Present	Very Mild	Mild	Moderate	Moderately Severe	Severe	Very Severe
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

Adjectival Descriptor Ratings:

	Not At All Descriptive	Somewhat Descriptive	Moderately Descriptive	Very Descriptive
Unfaithful	0	1	2	3
Undevoted	0	1	2	3
Disloyal	0	1	2	3

Illustrative Indicators:

YES NO

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| ➤ Reneges on their promises to others | — | — |
| ➤ Demonstrates no allegiance to any cause apart from him or herself | — | — |
| ➤ Changes friends and alliances frequently | — | — |
| ➤ Is capable of informing on others to the authorities if it is thought that they might gain something by doing so | — | — |
| ➤ <i>Other indicators of this symptom? Describe ...</i> | | |

A3) Unempathic**Global Rating of Symptom Severity:**

Not Present	Very Mild	Mild	Moderate	Moderately Severe	Severe	Very Severe
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

Adjectival Descriptor Ratings:

	Not At All Descriptive	Somewhat Descriptive	Moderately Descriptive	Very Descriptive
Uncompassionate	0	1	2	3
Cruel	0	1	2	3
Callous	0	1	2	3

Illustrative Indicators:

	YES	NO
➤ Indifferent or unconcerned about the suffering of others	___	___
➤ Treats others cruelly or callously	___	___
➤ Able to describe extreme violence or the distress of others without any real emotion	___	___
➤ Can sustain threatening or intimidating behaviour towards another person over long periods of time, an activity that is not modified by evidence of the distress of the person being victimized	___	___
➤ <i>Other indicators of this symptom? Describe ...</i>		

A4) Uncaring**Global Rating of Symptom Severity:**

Not Present	Very Mild	Mild	Moderate	Moderately Severe	Severe	Very Severe
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

Adjectival Descriptor Ratings:

	Not At All Descriptive	Somewhat Descriptive	Moderately Descriptive	Very Descriptive
Inconsiderate	0	1	2	3
Thoughtless	0	1	2	3
Neglectful	0	1	2	3

Illustrative Indicators:**YES NO**

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| ➤ Picks on vulnerable or “inadequate” individuals | _____ | _____ |
| ➤ Looks out for own interests regardless of the costs to others | _____ | _____ |
| ➤ Does not help others, including those who are old or infirm | _____ | _____ |
| ➤ Destroys the valued possessions of others | _____ | _____ |
| ➤ Says hurtful things and does not care about the distress caused by doing so | _____ | _____ |
| ➤ <i>Other indicators of this symptom? Describe ...</i> | | |

B1) Lacks Perseverance

Global Rating of Symptom Severity:

Not Present	Very Mild	Mild	Moderate	Moderately Severe	Severe	Very Severe
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

Adjectival Descriptor Ratings:

	Not At All Descriptive	Somewhat Descriptive	Moderately Descriptive	Very Descriptive
Idle	0	1	2	3
Undisciplined	0	1	2	3
Un-conscientious	0	1	2	3

Illustrative Indicators:

YES NO

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Refuses or is reluctant to get up for work or other duties (e.g., family responsibilities) ➤ Is untidy or has an untidy living area ➤ ‘Swings the lead’ (shirks one’s responsibilities) at work or at home ➤ Has poor general hygiene ➤ Is a poor time keeper ➤ Often fails to complete tasks started with enthusiasm ➤ Half hearted attention to work and other tasks ➤ Has to be prompted to carry out routine tasks ➤ <i>Other indicators of this symptom? Describe ...</i> | <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> | <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> |
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B2) Unreliable

Global Rating of Symptom Severity:

Not Present	Very Mild	Mild	Moderate	Moderately Severe	Severe	Very Severe
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

Adjectival Descriptor Ratings:

	Not At All Descriptive	Somewhat Descriptive	Moderately Descriptive	Very Descriptive
Undependable	0	1	2	3
Untrustworthy	0	1	2	3
Irresponsible	0	1	2	3

Illustrative Indicators:

YES NO

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| ➤ Cannot be relied upon | — | — |
| ➤ Does not do the things he or she promised they would do, or honour his or her commitments to others | — | — |
| ➤ Breaks promises | — | — |
| ➤ Difficult to track their activities | — | — |
| ➤ Does not pay back their debts promptly | — | — |
| ➤ Does not do tasks asked of them | — | — |
| ➤ Frequently late for routine commitments | — | — |
| ➤ Causes hardship to family | — | — |
| ➤ Demands items from family that they cannot afford | — | — |
| ➤ Damages the property of others and/or returns it broken | — | — |
| ➤ <i>Other indicators of this symptom? Describe ...</i> | — | — |

B3) Reckless

Global Rating of Symptom Severity:

Not Present	Very Mild	Mild	Moderate	Moderately Severe	Severe	Very Severe
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

Adjectival Descriptor Ratings:

	Not At All Descriptive	Somewhat Descriptive	Moderately Descriptive	Very Descriptive
Rash	0	1	2	3
Impetuous	0	1	2	3
Risk-taking	0	1	2	3

Illustrative Indicators:

YES NO

- Does things that could harm others e.g., driving while under the influence

- Overreacts to provocation

- Engages in risky behaviour

- Does things without thinking of the consequences

- *Other indicators of this symptom? Describe ...*

B4) Restless

Global Rating of Symptom Severity:

Not Present	Very Mild	Mild	Moderate	Moderately Severe	Severe	Very Severe
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

Adjectival Descriptor Ratings:

	Not At All Descriptive	Somewhat Descriptive	Moderately Descriptive	Very Descriptive
Overactive	0	1	2	3
Fidgety	0	1	2	3
Energetic	0	1	2	3

Illustrative Indicators:

YES NO

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| ➤ Always on the move | — | — |
| ➤ Cannot sit still | — | — |
| ➤ Uses many hand gestures | — | — |
| ➤ Fidgets a lot | — | — |
| ➤ Paces up and down | — | — |
| ➤ <i>Other indicators of this symptom? Describe ...</i> | | |

B5) Disruptive

Global Rating of Symptom Severity:

Not Present	Very Mild	Mild	Moderate	Moderately Severe	Severe	Very Severe
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

Adjectival Descriptor Ratings:

	Not At All Descriptive	Somewhat Descriptive	Moderately Descriptive	Very Descriptive
Disobedient	0	1	2	3
Unruly	0	1	2	3
Unmanageable	0	1	2	3

Illustrative Indicators:

	YES	NO
➤ Refuses to obey rules or orders	—	—
➤ Openly defies rules	—	—
➤ Verbally abusive	—	—
➤ Curses and swears in an abusive manner	—	—
➤ Always challenging authority with excessive number of complaints or legal challenges	—	—
➤ Aggressive towards those who try to encourage him or her to go along with the rules	—	—
➤ Stirs up trouble amongst others in the same situation as him or her	—	—
➤ Tests the boundaries e.g., tries to get others to break the rules, or to do things they shouldn't	—	—
➤ Questions even simple requests	—	—
➤ Oppositional attitudes	—	—
➤ Regards challenging the system as a worthwhile activity as well as good sport	—	—
➤ <i>Other indicators of this symptom? Describe ...</i>	—	—

B6) Aggressive

Global Rating of Symptom Severity:

Not Present	Very Mild	Mild	Moderate	Moderately Severe	Severe	Very Severe
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

Adjectival Descriptor Ratings:

	Not At All Descriptive	Somewhat Descriptive	Moderately Descriptive	Very Descriptive
Threatening	0	1	2	3
Violent	0	1	2	3
Bullying	0	1	2	3

Illustrative Indicators:

YES NO

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| ➤ Threatens others when they do not get their own way | — | — |
| ➤ Has charges, convictions and/or adjudications For threatening, aggressive, violent or bullying conduct | — | — |
| ➤ Threatens others for goods or drugs | — | — |
| ➤ Preys on weaker peers or associates | — | — |
| ➤ Volatile | — | — |
| ➤ Poor temper control | — | — |
| ➤ Flies off the handle and is almost uncontrollable when angry, but recovers quickly | — | — |
| ➤ Adjudication for aggressive behaviour | — | — |
| ➤ Hostile and coercive | — | — |
| ➤ <i>Other indicators of this symptom? Describe ...</i> | — | — |

C1) Suspicious

Global Rating of Symptom Severity:

Not Present	Very Mild	Mild	Moderate	Moderately Severe	Severe	Very Severe
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

Adjectival Descriptor Ratings:

	Not At All Descriptive	Somewhat Descriptive	Moderately Descriptive	Very Descriptive
Distrustful	0	1	2	3
Guarded	0	1	2	3
Hypervigilant	0	1	2	3

Illustrative Indicators:

YES NO

- Gives little away ____ ____
- Appears to monitor others ____ ____
- Is over sensitive to criticism ____ ____
- Reluctant to talk freely about self and others ____ ____
- Talks a lot about trust and how it is important to them ____ ____
- Expects that people are trying to deceive them or get one over on them ____ ____
- Questions why people want to know things about them ____ ____
- Is defensive and sometimes hostile if they feel threatened by the comments of others, including the interviewer ____ ____
- *Other indicators of this symptom? Describe ...* ____ ____

C2) Lacks Concentration

Global Rating of Symptom Severity:

Not Present	Very Mild	Mild	Moderate	Moderately Severe	Severe	Very Severe
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

Adjectival Descriptor Ratings:

	Not At All Descriptive	Somewhat Descriptive	Moderately Descriptive	Very Descriptive
Distractible	0	1	2	3
Inattentive	0	1	2	3
Unfocused	0	1	2	3

Illustrative Indicators:

	YES	NO
➤ Does not complete tasks	—	—
➤ Has to be directed to attend	—	—
➤ Does not sustain attention	—	—
➤ Loses interest in jobs or tasks because they become boring	—	—
➤ Short attention span	—	—
➤ Always on the move, active and fidgety	—	—
➤ Complains that people criticise them for not completing tasks that they find boring or pointless	—	—
➤ <i>Other indicators of this symptom? Describe ...</i>	—	—

C3) Intolerant

Global Rating of Symptom Severity:

Not Present	Very Mild	Mild	Moderate	Moderately Severe	Severe	Very Severe
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

Adjectival Descriptor Ratings:

	Not At All Descriptive	Somewhat Descriptive	Moderately Descriptive	Very Descriptive
Narrow-minded	0	1	2	3
Bigoted	0	1	2	3
Hypercritical	0	1	2	3

Illustrative Indicators:

	YES	NO
➤ Makes derogatory remarks about others	___	___
➤ Is unaccepting of others	___	___
➤ Makes frequent racist/sexist comments	___	___
➤ Is quick to make usually negative judgments about people based on superficial characteristics (e.g., gender, ethnicity, disability or religion)	___	___
➤ Has negative opinions about most people unless it seems that they have something to offer	___	___
➤ Is impatient of the failings or weaknesses of others	___	___
➤ Negative and dismissive of others who have no value to them	___	___
➤ Unforgiving, bears grudges over a long period of time usually because of the perception that the other person has not been totally loyal	___	___
➤ <i>Other indicators of this symptom? Describe ...</i>	___	___

C4) Inflexible

Global Rating of Symptom Severity:

Not Present	Very Mild	Mild	Moderate	Moderately Severe	Severe	Very Severe
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

Adjectival Descriptor Ratings:

	Not At All Descriptive	Somewhat Descriptive	Moderately Descriptive	Very Descriptive
Stubborn	0	1	2	3
Rigid	0	1	2	3
Uncompromising	0	1	2	3

Illustrative Indicators:

YES NO

- Wants to do things their own way ___ ___
- Will not agree to compromises ___ ___
- Is dogmatic in their statements ___ ___
- Usually refuses to back down in an argument ___ ___
- Enjoys seeing other people become frustrated with their inflexibility ___ ___
- A strong conviction that they are right and that other people are wrong almost regardless of the evidence to the contrary ___ ___
- *Other indicators of this symptom? Describe ...*

C5) Lack Planfulness

Global Rating of Symptom Severity:

Not Present	Very Mild	Mild	Moderate	Moderately Severe	Severe	Very Severe
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

Adjectival Descriptor Ratings:

	Not At All Descriptive	Somewhat Descriptive	Moderately Descriptive	Very Descriptive
Aimless	0	1	2	3
Unsystematic	0	1	2	3
Disorganised	0	1	2	3

Illustrative Indicators:

	YES	NO
➤ Does not stick to tasks given to the them	—	—
➤ Behaviour is not planned	—	—
➤ Changes their mind all the time	—	—
➤ Lacks routine	—	—
➤ Lives from day to day	—	—
➤ Describes self as a spontaneous person	—	—
➤ Is impulsive and values this characteristic	—	—
➤ Is chaotic and disorganized	—	—
➤ Fails to think through the consequences of their actions beforehand	—	—
➤ <i>Other indicators of this symptom? Describe ...</i>	—	—

D1) Antagonistic

Global Rating of Symptom Severity:

Not Present	Very Mild	Mild	Moderate	Moderately Severe	Severe	Very Severe
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

Adjectival Descriptor Ratings:

	Not At All Descriptive	Somewhat Descriptive	Moderately Descriptive	Very Descriptive
Hostile	0	1	2	3
Disagreeable	0	1	2	3
Contemptuous	0	1	2	3

Illustrative Indicators:

YES NO

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| ➤ Argues with others for no good reason | ___ | ___ |
| ➤ Insulted others | ___ | ___ |
| ➤ Demeans or criticizes others in order to control or belittle them | ___ | ___ |
| ➤ Threatens legal action without good reason | ___ | ___ |
| ➤ Is aggressive with little provocation | ___ | ___ |
| ➤ Is over-sensitive to criticism | ___ | ___ |
| ➤ Is aggressive in arguments in order to try to ensure victory | ___ | ___ |
| ➤ <i>Other indicators of this symptom? Describe ...</i> | ___ | ___ |

D2) Domineering

Global Rating of Symptom Severity:

Not Present	Very Mild	Mild	Moderate	Moderately Severe	Severe	Very Severe
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

Adjectival Descriptor Ratings:

	Not At All Descriptive	Somewhat Descriptive	Moderately Descriptive	Very Descriptive
Arrogant	0	1	2	3
Overbearing	0	1	2	3
Controlling	0	1	2	3

Illustrative Indicators:

YES NO

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| ➤ Brags or boasts about their own accomplishments and abilities | — | — |
| ➤ Will not discuss situation with people he or she thinks are junior or inferior | — | — |
| ➤ Claims to have met and impressed or confounded an expert in the relevant field (e.g., law, medicine) | — | — |
| ➤ He or she may present as powerful or commanding they dominate the space they occupy | — | — |
| ➤ Is physically or intellectually predatory – they seek evidence of weaknesses in others in order to exploit | — | — |
| ➤ Brags or boasts about physical or intellectual dominance over others and about how much others fear or respect them as a consequence | — | — |
| ➤ Dominates others using social status, excluding those they consider beneath them, seeking the attention of those they consider to be of higher status | — | — |
| ➤ Looks for opportunities to take control over proceedings, such as by dominating the conversation or the personal space of others, including the interviewer | — | — |
| ➤ Reacts negatively to situations over which they feel they have insufficient or no control | — | — |
| ➤ <i>Other indicators of this symptom? Describe ...</i> | — | — |

D3) Deceitful

Global Rating of Symptom Severity:

Not Present	Very Mild	Mild	Moderate	Moderately Severe	Severe	Very Severe
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

Adjectival Descriptor Ratings:

	Not At All Descriptive	Somewhat Descriptive	Moderately Descriptive	Very Descriptive
Dishonest	0	1	2	3
Deceptive	0	1	2	3
Duplicitous	0	1	2	3

Illustrative Indicators:

	YES	NO
➤ Lies easily and without anxiety	—	—
➤ Plays people off against each other either for amusement or in order to take their attention away from him or herself	—	—
➤ Conceals relevant information when questioned	—	—
➤ Fakes or exaggerates illness/problems/impact of life events to avoid activities	—	—
➤ Steals from peers, associates and even family and friends	—	—
➤ If in custody, 'taxes' other inmates	—	—
➤ Cons or deceives people who seem to wish him or her well	—	—
➤ Cons others without regard for their feelings or the consequences for them	—	—
➤ Can be difficult to interview because they are evasive on questioning in order to conceal activities or beliefs	—	—
➤ Engages in impression management	—	—
➤ Attempts to trick other people in order to make them look foolish	—	—
➤ Regards self as able to deceive others in order to get what they want, though the reason for such activity may be presented in a more positive light than would appear to be warranted	—	—
➤ <i>Other indicators of this symptom? Describe ...</i>	—	—

D4) Manipulative

Global Rating of Symptom Severity:

Not Present	Very Mild	Mild	Moderate	Moderately Severe	Severe	Very Severe
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

Adjectival Descriptor Ratings:

	Not At All Descriptive	Somewhat Descriptive	Moderately Descriptive	Very Descriptive
Devious	0	1	2	3
Exploitative	0	1	2	3
Calculating	0	1	2	3

Illustrative Indicators:

YES NO

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| ➤ Convinces others to do favours through misrepresentation | — | — |
| ➤ Sets up other prisoners to take blame for what he or she have done | — | — |
| ➤ Scams or cons others for money or property | — | — |
| ➤ Gets pleasure from deceiving or manipulating others | — | — |
| ➤ Gets others to do his or her 'dirty work' | — | — |
| ➤ <i>Other indicators of this symptom? Describe ...</i> | | |

D5) Insincere

Global Rating of Symptom Severity:

Not Present	Very Mild	Mild	Moderate	Moderately Severe	Severe	Very Severe
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

Adjectival Descriptor Ratings:

	Not At All Descriptive	Somewhat Descriptive	Moderately Descriptive	Very Descriptive
Superficial	0	1	2	3
Slick	0	1	2	3
Evasive	0	1	2	3

Illustrative Indicators:

	YES	NO
➤ Tries to impress others by presenting self more favourably than they are entitled to	—	—
➤ Tells unlikely stories that present them in best light	—	—
➤ Uses jargon inappropriately and without genuine understanding	—	—
➤ Presentation is inconsistent	—	—
➤ Presentation is affected and seems forced or phoney	—	—
➤ Flatters others obviously and excessively	—	—
➤ Tells interviewer what they think they want to hear	—	—
➤ Plays to an audience	—	—
➤ Evasive when challenged, including by the interviewer	—	—
➤ <i>Other indicators of this symptom? Describe ...</i>	—	—

D6) Garrulous

Global Rating of Symptom Severity:

Not Present	Very Mild	Mild	Moderate	Moderately Severe	Severe	Very Severe
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

Adjectival Descriptor Ratings:

	Not At All Descriptive	Somewhat Descriptive	Moderately Descriptive	Very Descriptive
Glib	0	1	2	3
Verbose	0	1	2	3
Pretentious	0	1	2	3

Illustrative Indicators:

YES NO

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| ➤ Talks a lot | — | — |
| ➤ Talks tiresomelessly | — | — |
| ➤ Talks loudly and quickly | — | — |
| ➤ Avoids answering direct questions | — | — |
| ➤ Always has a ready answer | — | — |
| ➤ Tendency to flood the interviewer with too much information, usually irrelevant, thus giving the impression of co-operation | — | — |
| ➤ Stories are unbelievable | — | — |
| ➤ <i>Other indicators of this symptom? Describe ...</i> | | |

E1) Lacks Anxiety

Global Rating of Symptom Severity:

Not Present	Very Mild	Mild	Moderate	Moderately Severe	Severe	Very Severe
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

Adjectival Descriptor Ratings:

	Not At All Descriptive	Somewhat Descriptive	Moderately Descriptive	Very Descriptive
Unconcerned	0	1	2	3
Unworried	0	1	2	3
Fearless	0	1	2	3

Illustrative Indicators:

YES NO

- Appears calm and relaxed ___ ___
- Mood is stable ___ ___
- Unafraid of others or challenging situations ___ ___
- Does not express worries or concerns ___ ___
- Not tense or jittery ___ ___
- Does not appear agitated or perturbed when confronted ___ ___
- Does not get wound up about anything ___ ___
- Immediately confident in new situations ___ ___
- Makes no attempt to avoid conflict ___ ___
- *Other indicators of this symptom? Describe ...*

E2) Lacks Pleasure

Global Rating of Symptom Severity:

Not Present	Very Mild	Mild	Moderate	Moderately Severe	Severe	Very Severe
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

Adjectival Descriptor Ratings:

	Not At All Descriptive	Somewhat Descriptive	Moderately Descriptive	Very Descriptive
Pessimistic	0	1	2	3
Gloomy	0	1	2	3
Unenthusiastic	0	1	2	3

Illustrative Indicators:

YES NO

- Rarely if ever experiences pleasure except in relation to the intimidation or mockery of others
- Rarely if ever seems happy
- Frequently appears bored and depressed
- Appears indifferent to praise or criticism
- *Other indicators of this symptom? Describe ...*

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_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

E3) Lacks Emotional Depth

Global Rating of Symptom Severity:

Not Present	Very Mild	Mild	Moderate	Moderately Severe	Severe	Very Severe
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

Adjectival Descriptor Ratings:

	Not At All Descriptive	Somewhat Descriptive	Moderately Descriptive	Very Descriptive
Unemotional	0	1	2	3
Indifferent	0	1	2	3
Inexpressive	0	1	2	3

Illustrative Indicators:

YES NO

- Appears unemotional or stony ___ ___
- Emotional experiences appear short lived ___ ___
- Emotions appear shallow or superficial ___ ___
- Can describe extreme violence or neglect without any real or substantial emotion ___ ___
- *Other indicators of this symptom? Describe ...*

E4) Lacks Emotional Stability

Global Rating of Symptom Severity:

Not Present	Very Mild	Mild	Moderate	Moderately Severe	Severe	Very Severe
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

Adjectival Descriptor Ratings:

	Not At All Descriptive	Somewhat Descriptive	Moderately Descriptive	Very Descriptive
Temperamental	0	1	2	3
Moody	0	1	2	3
Irritable	0	1	2	3

Illustrative Indicators:

YES NO

- Aggressive with little provocation ___ ___
- Moods change frequently ___ ___
- Never know how they will respond ___ ___
- Walks out of meetings if things don't seem to be going his or her way ___ ___
- Moods appear to change easily ___ ___
- Argues easily ___ ___
- Difficult to know what they will do next ___ ___
- Prone to outbursts ___ ___
- Easily frustrated ___ ___
- Flies off the handle ___ ___
- Short tempered ___ ___
- Unpredictable ___ ___
- Dramatic ___ ___
- *Other indicators of this symptom? Describe ...*

E5) Lacks Remorse

Global Rating of Symptom Severity:

Not Present	Very Mild	Mild	Moderate	Moderately Severe	Severe	Very Severe
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

Adjectival Descriptor Ratings:

	Not At All Descriptive	Somewhat Descriptive	Moderately Descriptive	Very Descriptive
Unrepentant	0	1	2	3
Unapologetic	0	1	2	3
Unashamed	0	1	2	3

Illustrative Indicators:

YES NO

- Denies having hurt others or minimizes the consequences for their victim ___ ___
- Blames harmful behaviour on others ___ ___
- Indicates that response to their harmful behaviour was disproportionate ___ ___
- Claims own victims exaggerate the harm suffered ___ ___
- Does not regret their harmful behaviour ___ ___
- Considers that harmful behaviour is justified ___ ___
- Admissions of guilt appear phoney or false ___ ___
- Everything is always someone else's fault ___ ___
- Tries to present self as victim ___ ___
- *Other indicators of this symptom? Describe ...*

S1) Self-Centred

Global Rating of Symptom Severity:

Not Present	Very Mild	Mild	Moderate	Moderately Severe	Severe	Very Severe
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

Adjectival Descriptor Ratings:

	Not At All Descriptive	Somewhat Descriptive	Moderately Descriptive	Very Descriptive
Egocentric	0	1	2	3
Selfish	0	1	2	3
Self-Absorbed	0	1	2	3

Illustrative Indicators:

YES NO

- Talks only about himself (disinterested in others) _____
- In relationship(s) purely for what they can get out of it and at the expense of their partners _____
- Relationships tend to focus on personal needs rather than on the shared experience _____
- Self-obsessed and preoccupied _____
- The value of others rests on their value to him or himself _____
- Bragging and boastful _____
- Exploits others regardless of their relationship with him/her _____
- *Other indicators of this symptom? Describe ...* _____

S2) Self-Aggrandizing

Global Rating of Symptom Severity:

Not Present	Very Mild	Mild	Moderate	Moderately Severe	Severe	Very Severe
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

Adjectival Descriptor Ratings:

	Not At All Descriptive	Somewhat Descriptive	Moderately Descriptive	Very Descriptive
Self-important	0	1	2	3
Conceited	0	1	2	3
Condescending	0	1	2	3

Illustrative Indicators:

YES NO

- Demands assistance from others
e.g., “I need you to get me ...” ___ ___
- Only talks to the most important people ___ ___
- Takes on role as spokesman or ‘guru’ to those around him or her ___ ___
- Regards him or herself as being of higher status (e.g., socially, intellectually, physically) than those around them ___ ___
- Demands that his or her own needs supersede the needs of others ___ ___
- Is dismissive of those considered to be beneath him ___ ___
- Talks up their actual or perceived accomplishments but is not willing to discuss anything more than minor weaknesses or mistakes ___ ___
- *Other indicators of this symptom? Describe ...* ___ ___

S3) Sense of Uniqueness

Global Rating of Symptom Severity:

Not Present	Very Mild	Mild	Moderate	Moderately Severe	Severe	Very Severe
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

Adjectival Descriptor Ratings:

	Not At All Descriptive	Somewhat Descriptive	Moderately Descriptive	Very Descriptive
(Sense of being) Extraordinary	0	1	2	3
(Sense of being) Exceptional	0	1	2	3
(Sense of being) Special	0	1	2	3

Illustrative Indicators:

	YES	NO
➤ Asks for help different from that offered to others because of special qualities	___	___
➤ Suggests that no help is required because it is not being provided by knowledgeable enough practitioners	___	___
➤ Requests and expects to be treated in a different way from people around them	___	___
➤ Claims to have met or impressed or confounded an expert in the relevant (e.g., forensic) field	___	___
➤ Enjoys talking about occasions in which they think they have got one over on a person claiming to be an expert	___	___
➤ States his or her moral code is superior to others or to the law	___	___
➤ Tells unlikely stories that portray them in a very good light	___	___
➤ Not embarrassed talking about achievements and abilities	___	___
➤ Opts out of routine or mundane tasks, duties or obligations	___	___
➤ Very good self-confidence	___	___
➤ Expects that others will want to know them	___	___
➤ <i>Other indicators of this symptom? Describe ...</i>	___	___

S4) Sense of Entitlement

Global Rating of Symptom Severity:

Not Present	Very Mild	Mild	Moderate	Moderately Severe	Severe	Very Severe
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

Adjectival Descriptor Ratings:

	Not At All Descriptive	Somewhat Descriptive	Moderately Descriptive	Very Descriptive
Demanding	0	1	2	3
Insistent	0	1	2	3
(Sense of being) Deserving	0	1	2	3

Illustrative Indicators:

YES NO

- Insistently demands rights ___ ___
- Demands unusual or special privileges ___ ___
- Believes that the end justifies the means ___ ___
- Exploits loopholes in the law, and in rules and privileges ___ ___
- Only wants to speak to the most important person e.g., the governor, the senior manager, or consultant ___ ___
- *Other indicators of this symptom? Describe ...*

S5) Sense of Invulnerability

Global Rating of Symptom Severity:

Not Present	Very Mild	Mild	Moderate	Moderately Severe	Severe	Very Severe
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

Adjectival Descriptor Ratings:

	Not At All Descriptive	Somewhat Descriptive	Moderately Descriptive	Very Descriptive
(Sense of being) Invincible	0	1	2	3
(Sense of being) Indestructible	0	1	2	3
(Sense of being) Unbeatable	0	1	2	3

Illustrative Indicators:

	YES	NO
➤ Acted like they are unbeatable	___	___
➤ Been very competitive and has had to win games and contests	___	___
➤ Believes that nothing can get in the way of what they want	___	___
➤ Enjoys taking risks	___	___
➤ Believes in their ability to meet any challenge regardless of level of skill or experience	___	___
➤ Fears failing because of loss of face	___	___
➤ Denies failures	___	___
➤ Denies that fear would stop them from doing anything challenging and would be contemptuous of anyone who would be so afraid	___	___
➤ Denies that giving up a task was because they were not able to do it	___	___
➤ <i>Other indicators of this symptom? Describe ...</i>	___	___

S6) Self-Justifying

Global Rating of Symptom Severity:

Not Present	Very Mild	Mild	Moderate	Moderately Severe	Severe	Very Severe
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

Adjectival Descriptor Ratings:

	Not At All Descriptive	Somewhat Descriptive	Moderately Descriptive	Very Descriptive
Minimizing	0	1	2	3
Denying	0	1	2	3
Blaming	0	1	2	3

Illustrative Indicators:

YES NO

- Minimises or denies their role in anything problematic that has happened to them or to others around them, despite evidence to the contrary ____ ____
- Minimises the significance of personal weaknesses or vulnerability factors ____ ____
- Presents him or herself in an overly favourable light and denies the need for change, despite evidence to the contrary ____ ____
- Minimises or denies responsibility for harmful or offending behaviour, despite evidence to the contrary ____ ____
- Denies responsibility for changing behaviours that appeared to precede episodes of harm or offending ____ ____
- *Other indicators of this symptom? Describe ...* ____ ____

S7) Unstable Self-Concept

Global Rating of Symptom Severity:

Not Present	Very Mild	Mild	Moderate	Moderately Severe	Severe	Very Severe
0	1	2	3	4	5	6

Adjectival Descriptor Ratings:

	Not At All Descriptive	Somewhat Descriptive	Moderately Descriptive	Very Descriptive
Labile (sense of self)	0	1	2	3
Incomplete (sense of self)	0	1	2	3
Chaotic (sense of self)	0	1	2	3

Illustrative Indicators:

	YES	NO
➤ Demonstrates variable moods	___	___
➤ Is markedly different with different people or in different situations	___	___
➤ Is confused about what they want to achieve in life, or they have changed their mind often about what they want	___	___
➤ Has difficulty keeping promises or fulfilling obligations to others (including in work and treatment)	___	___
➤ Reports extremes of emotion that are distressing for them and can be difficult for them or others to manage	___	___
➤ Over-invested in the criminal code, which gives them high status amongst their peers that they could not attain otherwise	___	___
➤ <i>Other indicators of this symptom? Describe ...</i>	___	___

SUMMARY TABLE

Use this table to record your observations about the most prominent symptoms (and trait descriptive adjectives). Symptoms (and traits) identified here will form the basis of your clinical formulation.

	MOST PROMINENT SYMPTOMS (global ratings between 4-6) AND TRAITS (rated 2-3)
Attachment	
Behavioural	
Cognitive	
Dominance	
Emotional	
Self	