



# The Jones Center for Children's Therapy and Assessment

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## ADOLESCENT (AGES 12 – 17/18) PATIENT HISTORY

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Ethnicity: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

*Dear Parent,*

*To help establish your adolescent with our practice, please provide us with his/her complete medical and mental health histories. There is also a short form for your son or daughter to complete independently. Thank you and we look forward to working with you and your adolescent!*

In your own words, please describe why you are seeking services for your adolescent: \_\_\_\_\_

Were you referred by an outside source, such as a pediatrician? Who? \_\_\_\_\_

Family Members/Others Residing in Your Home	Age	Relationship to Adolescent
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

How does this adolescent get along with other family members in the home? Defiant? Antagonistic? Alliances? Other problems? \_\_\_\_\_

Important Others Residing Outside Your Home	Age	Relationship to Adolescent
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

How does this adolescent get along with family members/important people residing outside the home? \_\_\_\_\_

Frequency of visitation/contact with parent/guardian(s) in second household (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

**Parents'/Legal Guardians' Marital Status:** Married Divorced Separated Never Married Other: \_\_\_\_\_

If separated or divorced, how old was your adolescent at that time? \_\_\_\_\_ How did he/she adapt? \_\_\_\_\_

**Maternal Family Psychiatric History** (If so, who?)

Depression/sadness \_\_\_\_\_

Suicidal ideation/attempt \_\_\_\_\_

**Paternal Family Psychiatric History** (If so, who?)

Depression/sadness \_\_\_\_\_

Suicidal ideation/attempt \_\_\_\_\_

Anxiety/excessive worry \_\_\_\_\_  
Panic attacks \_\_\_\_\_  
Posttraumatic Stress Disorder \_\_\_\_\_  
Bipolar Disorder \_\_\_\_\_  
Obsessive-compulsive tendencies \_\_\_\_\_  
Schizophrenia \_\_\_\_\_  
Attention problems/ADHD \_\_\_\_\_  
Learning problems \_\_\_\_\_  
Autism Spectrum Disorder \_\_\_\_\_  
Alcohol/drug abuse \_\_\_\_\_  
Problems with the law \_\_\_\_\_  
Seizures \_\_\_\_\_  
Other \_\_\_\_\_

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Seizures \_\_\_\_\_  
Other \_\_\_\_\_

Does this child have a sibling(s) or half-sibling(s) who suffers any of the aforementioned psychological issues/disorders?  
Y or N If yes, who and what? \_\_\_\_\_

**Birth History**

Was the pregnancy planned? Y or N Desired? Y or N Prenatal care received? Y or N Is he/she adopted? Y or N  
Complications during pregnancy? Y or N If Yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Nausea: \_\_\_\_\_ Vomiting: \_\_\_\_\_ Swelling: \_\_\_\_\_ Headaches/migraines: \_\_\_\_\_ Diabetes: \_\_\_\_\_  
Other illnesses: \_\_\_\_\_ Bed rest: \_\_\_\_\_ Why? \_\_\_\_\_ How long? \_\_\_\_\_  
Tobacco use: \_\_\_\_\_ How much: \_\_\_\_\_ Alcohol use: \_\_\_\_\_ How much: \_\_\_\_\_  
Prescription drug use: \_\_\_\_\_ What: \_\_\_\_\_ Illicit drug use: \_\_\_\_\_ What: \_\_\_\_\_  
Length of pregnancy: \_\_\_\_\_ Was labor induced? Y or N If Yes, why? \_\_\_\_\_

How was he/she delivered? (i.e., vaginally, with forceps, with vacuum assistance, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

Weight at birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Complications during delivery? Y or N If Yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Did this child require admission into the neonatal intensive care unit (NICU)? Y or N If Yes, how long and why? \_\_\_\_\_

This child has met majority of his/her developmental milestones in a timely manner: \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No  
Age he/she began: Crawling \_\_\_\_\_ Walking \_\_\_\_\_ Talking - single words \_\_\_\_\_ 2+ word sentences \_\_\_\_\_  
This child's overall development is occurring: \_\_\_\_\_ Slowly \_\_\_\_\_ Normally \_\_\_\_\_ Quickly

**Medical History**

Heart problems Y or N If Yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
Lung problems Y or N If Yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
Eye problems Y or N If Yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
Ear infections/tubes Y or N If Yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
Speech problems Y or N If Yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
Sensory problems Y or N If Yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
Broken bone(s) Y or N If Yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
Surgery Y or N If Yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
Allergies Y or N If Yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
Asthma Y or N If Yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
Seizures Y or N If Yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
Head injury/concussion/unconsciousness Y or N If Yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
Are his/her immunizations current? Y or N If No, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
If this adolescent has been/is on psychoactive medication, how old was he/she when it was first prescribed? \_\_\_\_\_  
By whom? \_\_\_\_\_ For what? \_\_\_\_\_

Current regularly used medications, including prescriptions, over-the-counters, herbals, and/or essential oils:

Medication	Dosage	Times/Day	For what reason
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Additional prescription medications used in the past:

Medication	For what reason	Reason for discontinuation
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

**Academic History**

Current grade (or most recently completed)? \_\_\_\_\_ School and ISD? \_\_\_\_\_

Has he/she ever repeated a grade? Y or N If Yes, what grade(s)? \_\_\_\_\_ Who initiated retention? \_\_\_\_\_

Why? \_\_\_\_\_

Has this adolescent ever received RtI, 504, Special Education (IEP), or other intervention services? Y or N If Yes, how was he/she qualified and what service(s) did he/she receive? \_\_\_\_\_

Is this adolescent currently experiencing academic problems? Y or N If Yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Please describe what kind of grades/marks he/she is currently receiving in school: \_\_\_\_\_

Has this adolescent ever received any formal testing through the school, apart from standardized testing? Y or N If Yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Does this adolescent exhibit behavioral problems at school? Y or N If Yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Has he/she ever received detention, in school suspension, out of school suspension, or expulsion? Y or N If Yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

At what level do you estimate your adolescent’s intelligence? \_\_\_\_\_below average \_\_\_\_\_average \_\_\_\_\_above average

**Mental and Emotional History**

**Please indicate if Yes, No, or Sometimes (ST) your child experiences the following symptoms:**

SYMPTOM	Y	N	ST	COMMENTS
Attention problems				
Hyperactivity				
Impulsivity				
Academic problems				
Failing classes				
Communication problems				
Language/speech problems				
Memory problems				
Anger				
Anxiety				
Rages				
Panic attacks				
Depression/sadness				
Negative self-talk				

Low self-esteem				
Irritability				
Low frustration tolerance				
Threatens to harm self				
Acts of self-harm (i.e., cutting)				
Suicidal thoughts				
Manipulative tendencies				
Externalizes blame				
Elevated moods/mania				
Mood swings				
Obsessive-compulsive tendencies				
Repetitive behavior				
Restricted pattern/range of interests				
Trouble with change and/or transitions				
Aggression - verbal and/or physical				
Threatens to harm others				
Defiance/intentional breaking of rules				
Alcohol/substance use and/or abuse				
Sexualized behavior				
Temper tantrums				
Emotional outbursts/meltdowns				
Lying/deceitfulness				
Stealing				
Disrespect toward adults				
Daytime toileting accidents				
Bedwetting				
Sleep difficulties				
Nightmares/terrors				
Poor personal hygiene				
Hears things that are not there				
Sees things that are not there				
Difficulty making/keeping friends				
Poor social skills				
Lacks empathy				
Other difficulties				

Please provide elaboration on any specific symptom(s) which warrants direct intervention: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

Has this adolescent been abused? Y or N (circle one and all that may apply)  
 Sexually      Verbally      Physically      Mentally      Emotionally      Other: \_\_\_\_\_  
 When? \_\_\_\_\_      Who was the abuser? \_\_\_\_\_

Has this adolescent experienced any other traumatic event(s)? Y or N If Yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

Is your adolescent sexually active? Y or N If Yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

Have there been any significant deaths or losses in the family? Y or N If Yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

Has this child ever participated in therapy? Y or N Play Individual Family Group Undergone formal testing? Y or N  
 With whom? \_\_\_\_\_ When? \_\_\_\_\_ How long? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Was a diagnosis assigned? Y or N. If yes, what? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Was the previous treatment beneficial? Y or N or Somewhat Please explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

Has your adolescent ever been admitted for inpatient psychiatric care? Y or N If Yes, please provide details regarding admission dates, precipitating events, treatment received, perceived benefit, etc. \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Parenting**

Do you believe you do an effective job parenting this adolescent? Y or N Please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

What discipline technique do you use that is most effective? \_\_\_\_\_

Least effective: \_\_\_\_\_

Do adults/caregivers in this adolescent's life agree on how to discipline him/her? Y or N Is this a problem for you, this adolescent, and/or your family? Y or N Please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**Strengths and Weaknesses**

What do you think are this adolescent's biggest personal strengths?

1. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

What do you think are this adolescent's biggest personal weaknesses/limitations?

1. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Please provide any additional information you think we need to know.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Signature and Date**



**Dear Young Man or Woman (Patient),**  
**To help us understand your position on entering into therapy and/or participating in an assessment, please complete the following form to the best of your ability. Please try to do so independently. Thank you and we look forward to working with you!**

**What do you think is your biggest problem(s) you might need to work on in therapy, or why you should undergo testing?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Do you think therapy and/or testing can help you? Please explain.** \_\_\_\_\_

**How do you get along with your family?** \_\_\_\_\_

**How do you do socially? Do you have friends? What do you do for fun with your friends?** \_\_\_\_\_

**How do you do in school? Do you get along with teachers and classmates?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Do you think you do a good job dealing with stress? What do you do to cope with stress?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Please indicate if yes, no, or sometimes you experience the following symptoms:**

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Low frustration tolerance				
Mood swings				
Aggression - verbal and/or physical				
Defiant behavior				
Lying				
Stealing				
Alcohol/substance use				
Disrespect to adults				
Difficulty making friends				
Seeing/hearing things others do not				

**Thank you for taking this time to complete this form!**

**Signature and Date**

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