

ASAM 6 Dimensional Risk Rating Framework

Session 3

Risk Rating System

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Risk Rating System

0: Low risk

- Non-issue or very low risk
- No current risk and any chronic issues should be mostly stabilized

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1: Mild risk

- Mildly difficult issue or present minor signs or symptoms
- Existing chronic issues should be able to be resolved in a short period of time

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2: Moderate risk

- Moderate difficulty in functioning
- Even with moderate impairment, or somewhat persistent chronic issues, relevant skills, or support systems may be present

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3: Serious risk

- A serious issue or difficulty coping within a given Dimension
- A client presenting at this risk level may be considered in or near “imminent danger”

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4: Utmost risk

- Issues of utmost severity
- Client has critical impairments in coping and functioning, with signs and symptoms, indicating an “imminent danger” concern

Case Study Presentations & Feedback

Alternate the 3 case studies

Session 4 Learning Activity

- Read the Treatment Plan MATRS PowerPoint
- Using the 6 Dimensional Assessment Priority Problem List you've completed:
 - Develop a treatment plan for your client
 - 1 Goal
 - 2 Objectives
 - 2 Interventions

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