

CLINICAL GLOBAL IMPRESSIONS SCALE

INSTRUCTIONS: Please complete the following clinical global impression items. Mark a check next to the rating that best describes the adolescent's current clinical status (over the **past 2 weeks**) with respect to **depressive symptoms, manic symptoms and overall psychiatric illness**. The CGI-S and CGI-I anchors are included for each rating level.

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SEVERITY OF ILLNESS (CGI-S): Rate severity of the adolescent's **depressive symptoms, manic symptoms and overall psychiatric illness** during the past week.

	DEPRESSIVE SYMPTOMS	MANIC SYMPTOMS	OVERALL PSYCHIATRIC ILLNESS
(0) Not Assessed	0 ()	0 ()	0 ()
(1) Normal, not at all ill <i>· Global functioning generally above 75%</i> <i>· The patient shows no impairment from psychiatric symptoms</i> <i>· Does not meet criteria for psychiatric disorder</i>	1 ()	1 ()	1 ()
(2) Borderline mentally ill <i>· Global functioning around 70% (range 65%-75%)</i> <i>· There is little or no impairment from psychiatric symptoms</i> <i>· Does not meet criteria for psychiatric disorder</i>	2 ()	2 ()	2 ()
(3) Mildly ill <i>· Global functioning around 60% (range 55%-64%)</i> <i>· There is impairment in one setting only (home, school, social)</i> <i>· Does not meet criteria for psychiatric disorder</i>	3 ()	3 ()	3 ()
(4) Moderately ill <i>· Global functioning around 50% (range 45%-54%)</i> <i>· There is impairment in two settings (home, school, social)</i> <i>· Meets criteria for psychiatric disorder</i>	4 ()	4 ()	4 ()
(5) Markedly ill <i>· Global functioning around 40% (range 35%-44%)</i> <i>· There is impairment in two or more settings (home, school or social)</i> <i>· Unequivocally meets criteria for psychiatric disorder</i>	5 ()	5 ()	5 ()
(6) Severely ill <i>· Global functioning around 30% (range 25%-34%)</i> <i>· There is impairment in 3 settings (home, school or social)</i> <i>· Unequivocally meets criteria for psychiatric disorder</i>	6 ()	6 ()	6 ()
(7) Among the most extremely ill <i>· Global functioning is below 25%</i> <i>· There is impairment in 3 settings (home, school or social)</i> <i>· Unequivocally meets criteria for psychiatric disorder</i>	7 ()	7 ()	7 ()

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GLOBAL IMPROVEMENT (CGI-I): Rate total improvement in **depressive symptoms, manic symptoms and overall psychiatric illness** since baseline. The improvement score should not reflect whether you think the change is due to treatment. Please check 0 for "Not assessed" if this is a baseline visit.

	DEPRESSIVE SYMPTOMS	MANIC SYMPTOMS	OVERALL PSYCHIATRIC ILLNESS
(0) Not Assessed	0 ()	0 ()	0 ()
(1) Very much improved <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · All or most of the target symptoms are reported by the patient as improved to a significant degree; that is, the changes have a major and discernible impact on functioning, both subjectively and as observed by others · Symptomatic and functional status are such that the clinician would want to treat the patient with a maintenance treatment regimen · There is little or no room for further improvement, e.g. the patient has normalized relative to age and gender matched peers. · Does not meet criteria for psychiatric disorder 	1 ()	1 ()	1 ()
(2) Much improved <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Several symptoms have improved to a degree that the patient feels an important change has occurred. The change is large enough that it is distinctly noticeable by other observers; some information may not fully confirm the changes · There is still some room for improvement, but if necessary, this dosage of treatment would still be considered very positive and perhaps sufficient. · Does not meet criteria for psychiatric disorder 	2 ()	2 ()	2 ()
(3) Minimally improved <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Only 1 or 2 symptoms (at most) show improvement, and the degree of change is not sufficient that one would consider not increasing the dose of treatment. Improvement may not be consistent across informants or domains of function. · There is considerable room for improvement, clearly requiring further therapeutic adjustments · Probably meets criteria for psychiatric disorder, but may be a "near miss" 	3 ()	3 ()	3 ()
(4) No change <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · There are no symptoms that show improvement compared to the baseline state, or changes are so minimal as to be completely inconsequential · The patient's condition by self-report as well as by independent observations clearly indicates lack of desired benefits · Meets criteria for psychiatric disorder 	4 ()	4 ()	4 ()
(5) Minimally worse <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · There is some worsening over the baseline state in the target symptoms, though not to a degree that one would wish to completely stop treatment · Although there may be positive changes, they are insufficient in comparison to the negative changes to consider staying at this dosage or with this treatment · Meets criteria for psychiatric disorder 	5 ()	5 ()	5 ()
(6) Much worse <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · The patient's condition is worse enough that stopping or changing treatment should be considered, even though not all target symptoms are worse · Worsened condition is clearly discernible by the patient and other observers · Meets criteria for psychiatric disorder 	6 ()	6 ()	6 ()
(7) Very much worse <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · Most of the target symptoms are worse; stopping, changing or adding new treatments is clearly indicated · The patient may spontaneously stop or be unable to continue treatment due to worsened symptoms or more impaired functioning than at baseline · Meets criteria for psychiatric disorder 	7 ()	7 ()	7 ()

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