

Brief Negotiated Interview Provider Checklist

Raise the subject

1. Ask the patient for permission to discuss their health and wellness questionnaire, including alcohol and drug use (AOD). Yes No

Provide feedback

2. Review patient's AOD patterns & risk level. Yes No
3. Express concern about patient's use patterns & risk level. Yes No
4. Ask about pros and cons of AOD use. Yes No
5. Summarize and restate in patient's own words. Yes No
6. Provide medical facts and information that there is a connection between AOD and negative consequences. Yes No
7. Compare screening responses to NIAAA low risk AOD guidelines. Yes No

Enhance motivation

8. Ask patient to identify readiness to change on the **Readiness Ruler** tool and ask why they chose that number and not a lower one. Yes No
9. Elicit other reasons for changing. Yes No
10. Identify strengths and supports. Yes No

Negotiate a plan

11. Negotiate the goal ("What would you like to do?"). Yes No
12. Summarize ("This is what I've heard you say..."). Yes No
13. Have patient write out the change plan, if appropriate. Yes No
14. Provide **Health Information** handout. Yes No
15. Suggest Primary Care or other follow-up as needed. Yes No

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Medicaid Billing Codes

99408 - AOD screening/BI (15–29 min.)
99409 - AOD screening/BI (30+ min.)