

Name of Tool:	Adult Outpatient Assessment (AOA)
Author/Publisher (Year)	Lindeman/Behavior Data Systems, Ltd.

Description:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The AOA is a 153-item self-report actuarial assessment designed for adult (male or female) outpatient screening or assessment. • The items comprise 8 scales: (1) truthfulness scale, (2) self-esteem scale, (3) alcohol scale; (4) drug scale, (5) DSM-V substance abuse scale, (6) DSM-V substance dependency scale, (7) violence scale, and (8) stress management scale. • Percentile scores are used for risk classification “Low Risk,” “Moderate Risk,” “Problem Risk,” and “Severe Problem.” • Risk classifications, along with clinical judgement, are used to inform treatment recommendations. • Truthfulness Scale detects offender denial, problem minimization, and response bias. • Test administration requires 25-30 minutes and can be completed using traditional paper/pencil methods or using a computer. • Demonstrated reliability and validity.
Tool Development	Internal (unpublished) studies provide evidence of validity, reliability, and accuracy. Studies can be found at www.adult-outpatient-assessment.com
General Notes:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The AOA is a computerized assessment that provided clinicians with a printed report that included percentile scores, risk classification, and item responses. • Tests can be administered individually or in group setting. • Additional information about the AOA can be found at www.adult-outpatient-assessment.com