

Improving Assessment to facilitate evidence-based practice.

GAIN-I Full *(alternate versions include the Lite and Core)*

Administration Time: 1.5 - 2.5 hours for the Full assessment

Description: The Global Appraisal of Individual Needs Initial (GAIN-I) Full is the most comprehensive GAIN tool, offering a biopsychosocial assessment for diagnosis, placement, treatment planning, monitoring, and evaluation.

In one session, it captures data usually gathered over months, with 100+ scales and 500+ variables supporting DSM diagnoses and ASAM level-of-care placement.

Domains: The GAIN-I Full covers background, substance use, physical health, risk behaviors, mental health, environment, legal, and vocational areas. It gathers information on problems, services, client attitudes, and service needs, along with detailed data on symptom breadth, problem recency, prevalence, and service utilization across time.

GAIN-Q4

Administration Time: 35-45 minutes

Description: The Global Appraisal of Individual Needs Quick version 4 (GAIN-Q4) Standard is a biopsychosocial assessment for adolescents and adults across diverse settings. It offers provisional DSM-5 substance use and mental health diagnoses, preliminary ASAM severity ratings, and an overall level-of-care recommendation.

Screeener Domains: The GAIN-Q4 covers 11 domains—including background, school, work, health, stress, risk behaviors, mental health, substance use, and crime—to assess problem severity and recent treatment participation. It also measures problem prevalence, quality of life, societal costs, and life satisfaction.

GAIN-Q3 Standard *(Alternate versions include the MI and Lite)*

Administration Time: 25-35 minutes for the standard assessment

Description: The Global Appraisal of Individual Needs Q3 (GAIN-Q3) Standard is used to identify and address a wide range of problems among adolescents and adults in clinical and general populations in diverse settings.

Screeener Domains: The GAIN-Q3 Standard uses nine screeners (Background, School Problems, Work Problems, Physical Health, Sources of Stress, Risk Behaviors and Infectious Diseases, Mental Health, Substance Use, and Crime and Violence) to assess problem severity and recent treatment participation. It also measures quality of life, tracks service use and behavior over the past 90 days, and can compute problem prevalence and societal costs.

GAIN-SS *(Alternate versions include the Recidivism Risk and Indian Country)*

Administration Time: 5-10 minutes for the standard GAIN-SS

Description: The Global Appraisal of Individual Needs Short Screener (GAIN-SS) is a brief screener for general populations that quickly identifies individuals likely to have behavioral health disorders, indicating referral needs, while ruling out those without such concerns.

Screeener Domains: The GAIN-SS has 23 scored items, divided into four subscreeners; Internalizing Disorders, Externalizing Disorders, Substance Disorders, and Crime/Violence.

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