

UCCI:YLSCMI

LSCMI: YOUTH LEVEL OF SERVICE / CASE MANAGEMENT INVENTORY



The Youth Level of Service / Case Management Inventory (YLS/CMI) is a dynamic risk/needs assessment and case management inventory for juvenile offenders. This single application provides all the essential tools needed to aid professionals in the treatment planning and management of juvenile offenders in justice, forensic, correctional, prevention and related agencies. Training for the YLS/CMI can be delivered in two or three day formats and covers general principles of risk assessment, administration and scoring of the instrument, as well as instruction on using information gathered through the assessment for purposes of case planning. A five day “train-the-trainers” session is also available to equip agencies to conduct their own staff training.

To use the program, staff must first participate in a structured training. After that staff can immediately implement the use of the YLSCMI with clients. Because UCCI does not hold the copyright for this program, use of the YLS/CMI requires the ongoing purchase of user forms from MHS Assessments.

OVERVIEW

The YLS/CMI collects 42 pieces of information. These items are scored in a 0-1 format and are added together to produce an overall score and the overall risk level is determined. The items are grouped into 8 subcomponents and all but one contain dynamic items. There is a professional override section.

The 8 subcomponents of the assessment include:

- Prior and Current Offenses/Dispositions (5)
- Family Circumstances/Parenting (6)
- Education/Employment (7)
- Peer Relations (4)
- Substance Abuse (5)
- Leisure/Recreation (3)
- Personality/Behavior (7)
- Attitudes/Orientation (5)

END USER

The end-user session is two days of onsite training for a maximum of 30 trainees.

TRAIN-THE-TRAINER

The train the trainer session is five days of onsite training for a maximum of 12 trainers. To qualify for as a candidate for this session, the trainee must have taken the initial end user training and administered at least 15 YLS/CMI assessments in offenders involved in the criminal justice system.

CONTACT

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