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Name of Tool	Validated Tool Type		Agencies	Populations			Substances Types		
	Screening Tools	Brief Assessment Tools	Recommending Agencies	Appropriate for Pregnancy	Appropriate for Adolescents	Appropriate for Geriatric	Alcohol	Drugs	Tobacco
AUDIT NIDA - The Alcohol Use Disorders Identification Test (10 questions) *Meets **HEDIS** measure for IHA*	X	X	NIDA DHCS NCQA				X		
AUDIT-C NIDA - The Alcohol Use Disorders Identification Test – Concise (3 questions) *Meets **HEDIS** measure for IHA*	X		NIDA NIAAA USPSTF DHCS	X			X		
SASQ NIAAA Single Alcohol Screening Question *Meets **HEDIS** measure for IHA*	X		NIAAA USPSTF	X			X		
TAPS-1 Tobacco, Alcohol, Prescription medication, and other Substance use Tool (4 questions)	X		NIDA DHCS ACOG	X			X	X	X
TAPS-2 Brief assessment if TAPS-1 is positive		X	NIDA	X			X	X	X
NIDA Quick Screen (4 questions) *(Recommended by DHCS,ACOG and USPSTF, but NIDA now recommends TAPS-1 instead)*	X		NIDA DHCS USPSTF ACOG	X			X	X	X
NIDA-Modified ASSIST NIDA-Modified Alcohol, Smoking and Substance Involvement Screening Test (8 questions) *(Recommended by DHCS and USPSTF, but NIDA now recommends TAPS-2 instead)*		X	NIDA DHCS USPSTF				X	X	X

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DAST-10 Drug Abuse Screening Test (10-item self-report instrument that has been condensed from the 28-item DAST)	X	X	DHCS NIDA		X			X	
DAST-20 Drug Abuse Screening Test (20 questions)		X	DHCS NIDA	X	X			X	
4P's Parents, Partner, Past and Present	X		ACOG DHCS	X	X		X	X	
4 P's Plus *(Plus includes additional questions about depression and domestic violence)*		X	ACOG	X			X	X	X
CRAFFT Car, Relax, Alone, Forget, Friends, Trouble	X	X	ACOG DHCS NIDA	X	X *(Appropriate for non-pregnant adolescents)*		X	X	
MAST-G Michigan Alcoholism Screening Test Geriatric	X		DHCS			X	X		
PRO (Prenatal Risk Overview) *(Recommended by USPSTF but official website is no longer available)*			USPSTF	X			X	X	X

*As per VI.C.6.d.2) of policy MCUP3101, a validated screening question for unhealthy alcohol use is a required part of an Individual Health Appointment. Three screening/ assessment tools are acceptable for NCQA/HEDIS measures as indicated in this chart.

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ACOG	The American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists	Committee Opinion on At-Risk Drinking and Alcohol Dependence: Obstetric and Gynecologic Implications https://www.acog.org/clinical/clinical-guidance/committee-opinion/articles/2011/08/at-risk-drinking-and-alcohol-dependence-obstetric-and-gynecologic-implications Opioid Use and Opioid Use Disorder in Pregnancy https://www.acog.org/clinical/clinical-guidance/committee-opinion/articles/2017/08/opioid-use-and-opioid-use-disorder-in-pregnancy
NCQA/ HEDIS	National Committee for Quality Assurance/ Healthcare Effectiveness Data and Information Set (HEDIS)	Screening and Follow-Up for Unhealthy Alcohol Use: Quality Improvement Change Package for Health Plans https://www.ncqa.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/09/20200914_NCQA_Change_Package_2020.pdf
NIAAA	National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism (part of the National Institutes of Health (NIH)	NIAAA Evidence-Based Products for Health Professionals and Community Leaders: https://www.niaaa.nih.gov/health-professionals-communities • Underage and College Drinking Research • Treatment Navigator tool • Surveillance Reports and Epidemiologic Resources • Additional Reports and Resources
NIDA	National Institute on Drug Abuse	Screening and Assessment Tools: https://nida.nih.gov/nidamed-medical-health-professionals/screening-tools-resources/chart-screening-tools
SBIRT Training 4 hrs CME/CE	Screening, Brief Interventions, and Referral to Treatment	SBIRT Core Training Activity: Screening, Brief Interventions, and Referral to Treatment (V2) https://sbirt.clinicalencounters.com/activity/sbirt-core/ • Four hour training: $49 per individual; group rates are available • CME/CE NYS OASAS Credit approved

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SAMHSA	Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration	SAMHSA - Bringing Recovery Supports to Scale Technical Assistance Center Strategy (BRSS TACS) Video Trainings https://www.samhsa.gov/brss-tacs/video-trainings • Access free video trainings on a variety of topics related to crisis intervention services and support services for treatment and recovery including Motivational Interviewing:
USPSTF	United States Preventive Services Task Force	• Alcohol screening and intervention tools: https://www.uspreventiveservicestaskforce.org/uspstf/recommendation/unhealthy-alcohol-use-in-adolescents-and-adults-screening-and-behavioral-counseling-interventions • Unhealthy Drug Use Screening Tools: https://www.uspreventiveservicestaskforce.org/uspstf/recommendation/drug-use-illicit-screening • USPSTF Recommendation: Screening for Unhealthy Drug Use Podcast Describing the Taskforce's 2020 Recommendation https://edhub.ama-assn.org/jn-learning/audio-player/18514824