

## Vanderbilt ADHD Diagnostic Parent Rating Scale

P	arent's Name:	_ Today's Date:	Child's Name			Age: _	
	Directions: Each rating should be c hould reflect that child's behavior			propriate fo	r the age of y	our ch	ild and
	this evaluation based on a time v			🗆 was not o	on medicatic	n 🗆 n	ot sure?
	BEHAVIOR:				occasionally		
	Does not pay attention to details or m	akes careless mist	akes;	0	1	2	3
2	for example, homework. Has difficulty attending to what needs	to bo dono		0	1	2	3
	Does not seem to listen when spoker			0	1	2 2	3 3
	Does not follow through when given of		to finish thinas.	0	1	2	3
	Has difficulty organizing tasks and ac			0	1	2	3
	Avoids, dislikes, or does not want to		uire ongoing mental effort.	0	1	2	3
	Loses things needed for tasks or activ		, pencils, or books).	0	1	2	3
	Is easily distracted by noises or other	things.		0	1	2	3
	Is forgetful in daily activities.	· .		0	1	2	3
	. Fidgets with hands or feet or squirms		1	0	1	2	3
	. Leaves seat when he/she is suppose			0	1	2	3
	<ul> <li>Runs about or climbs too much when</li> <li>Has difficulty playing or starting quiet</li> </ul>		d to stay seated.	0	1	2 2	3
	. Is "on the go" or often acts as if "drive			0	1	2	3
	. Talks too much.	a motor .		0	1	2	3
	. Blurts out answers before questions I	have been complet	ed	0	1	2	3
	. Has difficulty waiting for his/her turn.	ave been complet		0	1	2	3
	. Interrupts or bothers others when the	v are talking or play	ving games.	0	1	2	3
	. Argues with adults.	,	,	0	1	2	3
	. Loses temper.			0	1	2	3
	. Actively disobeys or refuses to follow	an adult's requests	s or rules.	0	1	2	3
	. Bothers people on purpose.			0	1	2	3
23	. Blames others for his/her mistakes or	misbehaviors.		0	1	2	3
	. Is touchy or easily annoyed by others	5.		0	1	2	3
	. Is angry or bitter.			0	1	2	3
	. Is hateful and wants to get even.			0	1	2	3
	. Bullies, threatens, or scares others.			0	1	2	3
	. Starts physical fights.	1 / 4 11 /	<b>`</b>	0	1	2	3
	. Lies to get out of trouble or to avoid jo	obs (i.e., "cons" oth	ers).	0	1	2	3
	. Skips school without permission.			0	1	2 2	3
31	. Is physically unkind to people. . Has stolen things that have value.			0	1	2	3
	. Destroys others' property on purpose			0	1	2	3
	. Is physically mean to animals.	•		0	1	2	3
	. Has set fires on purpose to cause da	mage		0	1	2	3
	. Has broken into someone else's hom			0	1	2	3
	. Has stayed out at night without permi	,		0	1	2	3
	. Has run away from home overnight.			0	1	2	3
	. Is fearful, anxious, or worried.			0	1	2	3
	. Is afraid to try new things for fear of n	naking mistakes.		0	1	2	3
	. Feels useless or inferior.			0	1	2	3
	. Blames self for problems, feels at fau			0	1	2	3
	. Feels lonely, unwanted, or unloved; o	complains that "no o	one loves him/her".	0	1	2	3
	. Is sad, unhappy, or depressed.			0	1	2	3
	. Feels different and easily embarrasse	ed.		0	1	2	3
	PERFORMANCE:			Above	Some	what	
	low is your child doing?		Excellent		erage of a Pro	blem I	Problematic
	. Rate how your child is doing in school	ol overall.	1		3 4		5
	. How is your child doing in reading?		1		3 4		5
	. How is your child doing in writing?		1		3 4		5
	. How is your child doing in math?	20112	1		3 4		5 5
	<ul> <li>How does your child get along with y</li> <li>How does your child get along with b</li> </ul>		2 1		3 4 3 4		5 5
	. How does your child get along with b				3 4		5
	. How does your child do in activities s				3 4		5
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	more than six items from questions 1 ow old was your child when you first no						
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## How to score the parent checklist

- A. For questions 1–9, add up the number of questions where the teacher circled a 2 or 3.
- B. For questions 10–18, add up the number of questions where the teacher circled a 2 or 3.
- C. For questions 36–43, add up the number of questions where the teacher circled a 4 or 5.

ADHD Predominantly Inattentive subtype (1 and 2): At least 6 of questions 1–9 must score a 2 or 3 and At least 1 of questions 36–43 must score a 4 or 5

ADHD Predominantly Hyperactive/Impulsive subtype At least 6 of questions 10–18 must score a 2 or 3 and At least 1 of questions 36–43 must score a 4 or 5

ADHD Combined Inattention/Hyperactivity subtype At least 6 of questions 1–9 must score a 2 or 3 and At least 6 of questions 10–18 must score a 2 or 3 and At least 1 of questions 36–43 must score a 4 or 5