

How to Modify MDA and Decision Support to Reflect ASAM Criteria Fourth Edition

As the Super Admin, you can modify the MDA (Multi-Dimensional Assessment) headings to reflect the current ASAM Criteria Fourth edition. Opening the System Options, you will be able to update the headings seen in the MDA. Before starting you will need to have a copy of the ASAM Criteria Fourth Edition manual for guidance on what statements you want to create.

Purpose of this handout

- A. Provide direction on where to change the MDA Headings to reflect the ASAM Criteria Fourth Edition manual.
- B. Provide directions on where to find and set up Decision Support to add your Admission Criteria and Risk Level to be reflected in the ASAM Criteria Fourth Edition manual.

Client Name: Abbott, Jack

Level of Care: No Episode Assigned

Client Ref #: JA19864444

Demographics

Immediate N...

Intoxication, ...

Biomedical C...

Psychiatric a...

Person-Centered Considerations

Substance Us...

Recovery Env...

Summary

Determination

8. How important is it for you to stop using alcohol and/or any substances?

- Not At All Slightly Moderately Considerably Extremely

9. How important is it for you to address any mental health needs?

- Not At All Slightly Moderately Considerably Extremely

Severity Rating

- 0 - No Barriers - Client presents with no barriers to treatment
- 1 - Mild - Willing to enter treatment, but ambivalent to the need to change.
- 2 - Moderate - Reluctant to agree to treatment. Low commitment to change substance use. Passive engagement in treatment
- 3 - Severe - Unaware of need to change. Unwilling or partially able to follow through with recommendations for treatment.
- 4 - Very Severe - Not willing to change. Unwilling/unable to follow through with treatment recommendations.

Additional Information:

For Interviewer

Select criteria that best describes client's current status.

- Expresses willingness to participate in treatment planning
- Acknowledges Substance Use Disorder and/or Mental Health problem and wants to change
- Ambivalent about exploring how current behavior or use of alcohol and other drugs may be harmful or impairing.
- Ambivalent about Substance Use Disorder or mental health condition. Requires monitoring and motivating strategies but not structured milieu program
- Motivation is to achieve some goal other than the modification of their substance use behaviors.
- Does not recognize that they have a substance-related or other addictive disorder and/or mental health problem.
- Requires structured therapy to promote treatment progress and recovery because other levels of care have failed
- Patient's perspective inhibits ability to make behavioral changes without repeated, structured, clinically directed motivational interventions
- Reluctant to agree to treatment and is ambivalent about commitment to change a co-occurring mental health problem

When you change the MDA it will show like this when a user starts a new MDA

Step #1 – Change MDA Headings

1. Log in as a super admin
2. Go to Setup → System Options
3. Select Multi-Dimensional Headings

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Setup > System Options

General	Password Complexity	Narrative Report Headings	Multi-Dimensional Headings	External Systems
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Data entry mode
[Do you want data entry mode where Y is entered as 1 (Y) or N is entered as 0 (N)]

Number of signature lines

Welcome, Ron Admin

Forms Scheduler Chart Screening Setup Log Out

- Main
 - Agency
 - Users
 - Provider Info
 - Location of Service
 - Manage Permissions
 - Personalize Main Menu
 - Personalize Navigation Menu
 - Alerts Settings
- System
 - Archive Clients
 - Custom Form Builder
 - Password Change
 - Report Headings
 - Chart Management Setup
 - Scheduler Template
 - System Options**

4. When you open the Multi-Dimension tab it will initially look like this screenshot:

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Third Edition ASAM Criteria

Setup > System Options

General | Password Complexity | Narrative Report Headings | **Multi-Dimensional Headings** | External Systems

Multi-Dimensional Assessment You can customize the text for each of the sections on this assessment. The customized text will be displayed on the tabs, labels, heading and report areas for the assessment.

Assessment Title: ASAM Assessment

Default Label	Custom Label	Assign Dimension
<input checked="" type="radio"/> Demographics	<input type="radio"/>	
<input type="radio"/> Section 1	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Acute Intoxication and Withdrawal	Acute Intoxication and Withdrawal Pot. ▼
<input type="radio"/> Section 2	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Biomedical Conditions and Compli	Biomedical Conditions and Complicati. ▼
<input type="radio"/> Section 3	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Emotional, Behavioral, or Cognitive	Emotional, Behavioral, or Cognitive Co. ▼
<input type="radio"/> Section 4	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Readiness To Change	Readiness To Change ▼
<input type="radio"/> Section 5	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Relapse, Continued Use, or Contin	Relapse, Continued Use, or Continued ▼
<input type="radio"/> Section 6	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Recovery Living Environment	Recovery Living Environment ▼
<input checked="" type="radio"/> Summary	<input type="radio"/>	
<input checked="" type="radio"/> Determination	<input type="radio"/>	

5. To Start

- a. Click [Edit]
- b. Change each custom label from Sections 1 through 6 headings

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Fourth Edition ASAM Criteria

Setup > System Options

General | Password Complexity | Narrative Report Headings | **Multi-Dimensional Headings** | External Systems

Multi-Dimensional Assessment You can customize the text for each of the sections on this assessment. The customized text will be displayed on the tabs, labels, heading and report areas for the assessment.

Assessment Title: MDA Assessment

Default Label	Custom Label	Assign Dimension
<input checked="" type="radio"/> Demographics	<input type="radio"/>	
<input type="radio"/> Section 1	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Intoxication, Withdrawal, and Adc	Acute Intoxication and Withdrawal Pot
<input type="radio"/> Section 2	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Biomedical Conditions	Biomedical Conditions and Complicat
<input type="radio"/> Section 3	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Psychiatric and Cognitive Condi	Emotional, Behavioral, or Cognitive Co
<input type="radio"/> Section 4	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Person-Centered Considerations	Readiness To Change
<input type="radio"/> Section 5	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Substance Use-Related Risks	Relapse, Continued Use, or Continued
<input type="radio"/> Section 6	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Recovery Environment Interactio	Recovery Living Environment
<input checked="" type="radio"/> Summary	<input type="radio"/>	
<input checked="" type="radio"/> Determination	<input type="radio"/>	

Edit | Save | Cancel | Exit

Change Section 1 to → Intoxication, Withdrawal, and Addiction Medications

Change Section 2 to → Biomedical Conditions

Change Section 3 to → Psychiatric and Cognitive Conditions

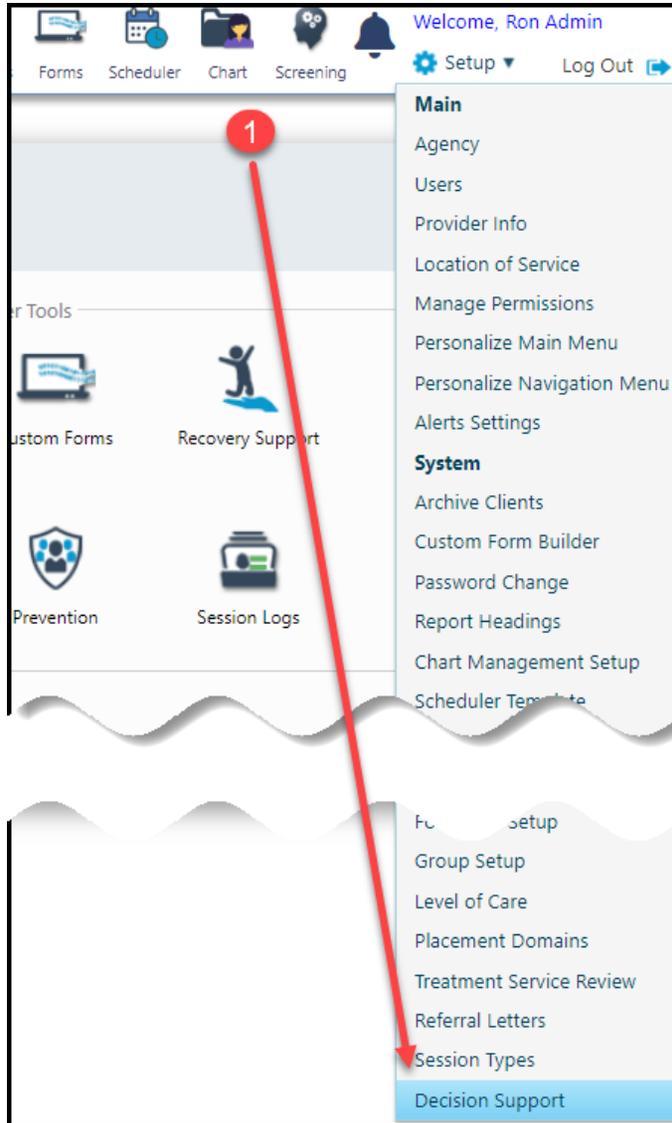
Change Section 4 to → Person-Centered Considerations

Change Section 5 to → Substance Use-Related Risks

Change Section 6 to → Recovery Environment Interactions

Step #2 – Decision Support Setup/Criteria Setup

1. Go to Setup and select Decision Support (the last item on the list) – You must be Super Admin to access



2. Go to the {Criteria Setup} Tab
3. Select the population type that is in use
4. Under Select Dimension select **Readiness to Change** from drop-down
5. Change criteria and rating scales that are needed for personal-centered considerations. You will need to refer to your copy of ASAM Criteria Dimensions found in the Fourth Edition to add each of the Admission Criteria and Risk Levels statements.

Decision Support

Location of Service | Levels of Care | **Criteria Setup** | Criteria Rules | Decision Support

Select Population Type: Adult

Select Dimension: Readiness To Change [Add/Edit](#)

Admission Criteria

Add

Description	Edit	Delete
Expresses willingness to participate in treatment planning		
Acknowledges Substance Use Disorder and/or Mental Health problem and wants to change		
Ambivalent about exploring how current behavior or use of alcohol and other drugs may be harmful or impairing.		
Ambivalent about Substance Use Disorder or mental health condition. Requires monitoring and motivating strategies but not structured milieu program		

Risk Levels

Add

Risk Level	Severity	Description	Edit	Delete
0	No Barriers	Client presents with no barriers to treatment		
0	None	Willing to engage in treatment.		
0	None	Willing to engage in treatment.		
0	None	Willing to engage in treatment.		

Close

What you see when you click the **Admission Criteria** [Add] Button in the Decision Support module.

Decision Support

Location of Service | Levels of Care | **Criteria Setup** | Criteria Rules | Decision Support

Select Population Type: Adult

Select Dimension: Readiness To Change [Add/Edit](#)

Admission Criteria

Add

Description	Edit	Delete
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Ambivalent about exploring how current behavior or u		
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Criteria Setup - Add/Edit Admission Criteria

Criteria: Expresses willingness to participate in treatment planning

Click [Save and Next] to Add more statements

Save and Next | Save and Close | Cancel

When done [Save and Close] to Exit

Risk Level	Severity	Description	Edit	Delete
0	No Barriers	Client presents with no barriers to treatment		
0	None	Willing to engage in treatment		

What you will see when you click the **Risk Level** [Add] button in the Decision Support module

The screenshot displays the 'Decision Support' interface with the 'Criteria Setup' tab selected. A modal dialog titled 'Criteria Setup - Add/Edit Risk Levels' is open, showing the following fields:

- Risk Level:** 0
- Severity:** No Barriers
- Description:** Client presents with no barriers to treatment

Annotations with red arrows point to the following elements:

- Start with 0 for the First Risk Level**: Points to the 'Risk Level' input field.
- Type in the Severity**: Points to the 'Severity' input field.
- Type in the Description**: Points to the 'Description' input field.
- Click Save and Next to Add more**: Points to the 'Save and Next' button.
- When done [Save and Close] to Exit**: Points to the 'Save and Close' button.

The background interface shows 'Select Population Type: Adult' and 'Select Dimension: Readiness To Change'. Below the dialog, a table lists the added risk levels:

Risk Level	Severity	Description
0	No Barriers	Client presents with no barriers to treatment

Decision Support

Location of Service | Levels of Care | **Criteria Setup** | Criteria Rules | Decision Support

Example of filled out Criteria Setup

Select Population Type:

Select Dimension: [Add/Edit](#)

Admission Criteria

Description	Edit	Delete
Expresses willingness to participate in treatment planning	<input type="button" value="Edit"/>	<input type="button" value="Delete"/>
Acknowledges Substance Use Disorder and/or Mental Health problem and wants to change	<input type="button" value="Edit"/>	<input type="button" value="Delete"/>
Ambivalent about exploring how current behavior or use of alcohol and other drugs may be harmful or impairing.	<input type="button" value="Edit"/>	<input type="button" value="Delete"/>
Ambivalent about Substance Use Disorder or mental health condition. Requires monitoring and motivating strategies but not structured milieu program.	<input type="button" value="Edit"/>	<input type="button" value="Delete"/>

Risk Levels

Risk Level	Severity	Description	Edit	Delete
0	No Barriers	Client presents with no barriers to treatment	<input type="button" value="Edit"/>	<input type="button" value="Delete"/>
0	None	Willing to engage in treatment.	<input type="button" value="Edit"/>	<input type="button" value="Delete"/>
0	None	Willing to engage in treatment.	<input type="button" value="Edit"/>	<input type="button" value="Delete"/>
0	None	Willing to engage in treatment.	<input type="button" value="Edit"/>	<input type="button" value="Delete"/>

For additional questions, contact AccuCare Support at 800-324-7966 or email support@orionhealthcare.com and we will be happy to assist you!