| Addiction Treatment Outcome Measures | |
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| **Domain** | **Example** |
| Substance Use | Abstinence and recovery<br>Reduced consumption<br>Fewer days or periods intoxicated<br>Substitution of illicit drug with authorized medications |
| Medical and Physical Health | Basic food and shelter needs met<br>Improved overall health<br>Fewer medical problems<br>Reduced use of health care services<br>Reduced use by spouse and family of health services<br>Reduced high-risk sexual behavior<br>Reduced use of needles or shared needles |
| Psychosocial Functioning | Creating a substance-free lifestyle<br>Improved quality of interpersonal relationships<br>Reduced family dysfunction, abuse, and neglect<br>Improved psychosocial functioning<br>Treatment of emotional problems<br>Treatment of psychiatric disorders<br>Improved parenting |
| Employment Stability | Increased likelihood in obtaining work<br>Increased job retention<br>Improved job performance<br>Increased number of days worked<br>Reduced accidents and absenteeism |
| Criminal Justice Involvement | Reduced involvement with criminal justice system<br>Reduced DUI or DWI arrests<br>Reduced involvement in illegal activities<br>Reduced violent behavior |
| Relapse Prevention | Reduced likelihood of using substances again<br>Prepare for the possibility of relapse<br>Minimize the adverse effects of relapse |
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