

## SCREENING TOOLS FOR SOCIAL DETERMINANTS OF HEALTH

Three screening tools can aid physicians in addressing multiple social determinants of health in a primary care setting.

SCREENING TOOL	NUMBER OF QUESTIONS	SOURCE
The Protocol for Responding to and Assessing Patients' Assets, Risks, and Experiences (PRAPARE)	15 core, 5 supplemental	<a href="http://www.nachc.org/research-and-data/prapare/toolkit/">http://www.nachc.org/research-and-data/prapare/toolkit/</a>
The American Academy of Family Physicians Social Needs Screening Tool	11 (short form) 15 (long form)	Short: <a href="https://www.aafp.org/dam/AAFP/documents/patient_care/everyone_project/patient-short-print.pdf">https://www.aafp.org/dam/AAFP/documents/patient_care/everyone_project/patient-short-print.pdf</a> Long: <a href="https://www.aafp.org/dam/AAFP/documents/patient_care/everyone_project/patient-long-print.pdf">https://www.aafp.org/dam/AAFP/documents/patient_care/everyone_project/patient-long-print.pdf</a>
The Accountable Health Communities Health-Related Social Needs (AHC-HRSN) Screening Tool	10 core, 13 supplemental	<a href="https://innovation.cms.gov/Files/worksheets/ahcm-screeningtool.pdf">https://innovation.cms.gov/Files/worksheets/ahcm-screeningtool.pdf</a>

The AHC-HRSN tool draws on evidence from several need-specific assessments, below, which can provide valuable background.

SOCIAL DETERMINANT	ASSESSMENT	VALIDATED POPULATION	BACKGROUND
Food insecurity	Hunger Vital Sign	Low-income families with young children	<a href="http://childrenshealthwatch.org/public-policy/hunger-vital-sign/">http://childrenshealthwatch.org/public-policy/hunger-vital-sign/</a>
	U.S. Department of Agriculture U.S. Household Food Security Survey	Households with reported annual incomes below 185 percent of the federal poverty level	<a href="https://ssrn.com/abstract=2504067">https://ssrn.com/abstract=2504067</a>
Housing instability	District of Columbia Department of Health & Human Services Temporary Assistance for Needy Families Comprehensive Assessment Housing Domain	Families at risk of or experiencing homelessness	<a href="https://www.acf.hhs.gov/sites/default/files/ofa/enhancing_family_stability.pdf">https://www.acf.hhs.gov/sites/default/files/ofa/enhancing_family_stability.pdf</a>
	National Center on Homelessness Among Veterans Homelessness Screening Clinical Reminder	Veteran population	<a href="https://www.va.gov/homeless/nchav/research/assessment-tools/hscr.asp">https://www.va.gov/homeless/nchav/research/assessment-tools/hscr.asp</a>
Interpersonal safety	Hurt, Insulted, Threatened With Harm and Screamed Domestic Violence Screening Tool	Men and women	<a href="https://www.baylorhealth.com/PhysiciansLocations/Dallas/SpecialtiesServices/EmergencyCare/Documents/BUMCD-262_2010_HITS%20survey.pdf">https://www.baylorhealth.com/PhysiciansLocations/Dallas/SpecialtiesServices/EmergencyCare/Documents/BUMCD-262_2010_HITS%20survey.pdf</a>
	Women Abuse Screening Tool – Short Form	Women	<a href="http://www.fpnotebook.com/prevent/Exam/WstScrnFrntmtPrtnrVlnc.htm">http://www.fpnotebook.com/prevent/Exam/WstScrnFrntmtPrtnrVlnc.htm</a>
	Partner Violence Screen	Women	<a href="http://www.fpnotebook.com/Prevent/Exam/PrtnrVlncScrn.htm">http://www.fpnotebook.com/Prevent/Exam/PrtnrVlncScrn.htm</a>
	Abuse Assessment Screen	Women	<a href="https://www.acog.org/About-ACOG/ACOG-Departments/Women-with-Disabilities/Abuse-Assessment-Screen">https://www.acog.org/About-ACOG/ACOG-Departments/Women-with-Disabilities/Abuse-Assessment-Screen</a>
Utility needs	Children's Sentinel Nutrition Assessment Program	Families with children younger than 3 years old	<a href="http://pediatrics.aappublications.org/content/pediatrics/122/4/e867.full.pdf">http://pediatrics.aappublications.org/content/pediatrics/122/4/e867.full.pdf</a>

## COMMUNITY RESOURCES FOR ADDRESSING SOCIAL DETERMINANTS OF HEALTH

GENERAL RESOURCES		FOOD INSECURITY	
211	<a href="http://www.211.org">http://www.211.org</a>	Feeding America	<a href="http://www.feedingamerica.org">http://www.feedingamerica.org</a>
Aunt Bertha	<a href="http://www.auntbertha.com">http://www.auntbertha.com</a>	Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program	<a href="http://www.fns.usda.gov/snap">http://www.fns.usda.gov/snap</a>
Cap4Kids	<a href="http://cap4kids.org">http://cap4kids.org</a>	Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC)	<a href="http://www.fns.usda.gov/wic">http://www.fns.usda.gov/wic</a>
HOUSING		LEGAL ISSUES	
Public Housing and Voucher Program	<a href="http://www.hud.gov/topics/rental_assistance">http://www.hud.gov/topics/rental_assistance</a>	Medical-Legal Partnerships	<a href="http://medical-legalpartnership.org">http://medical-legalpartnership.org</a>