



AMA Guides® Editorial Panel Meeting September 2020 Virtual Meeting

AMA Guides® Editorial Summary of Panel Actions September 2020

The following actions reflect the decisions reached by the AMA Guides® Editorial Panel at its September 17, 2020 meeting. Public disclosure of Panel action and deliberation is limited to the information contained in this Summary of Actions. Additional information is available and requires execution of a standard confidentiality agreement. The standard agreement prohibits release of information other than that contained in this document.

Note: Editorial Panel Actions are considered provisional until the public comment period concludes.

ID	Affiliated Organization(s)	Applicant Name(s)	Action Requested	Editorial Panel Action
3a	American Psychiatric Association American Psychological Association	Glenn Martin, MD Les Kertay, PhD	To update the chapter on Mental and Behavioral Disorders. Proposed updates to this Chapter include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Descriptions of Malingering and Motivation • Newer editions of Assessment Tools and Tests, covered in Table 14-3 • Removal of summaries of psychiatric diagnoses and conditions from the Glossary 	Approve
3b			To update the chapter on Mental and Behavioral Disorders. Proposed updates to this Chapter include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Change from DSM IV to DSM 5 terminology and methodology (with exception to the Global Assessment of Functioning (GAF)) 	Revise Panel action/revision: Eliminate the GAF and average the other PIRS and BPRS Scales with the understanding that a larger review and recommendation for the replacement of the GAF and chapter methodology would be forthcoming.



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Public Comment Information

When: September 18, 2020 – October 16, 2020

Deadline to Declare Intent to Submit Comments: October 5, 2020

The AMA Guides Editorial Panel will consider all available information and comments when deciding to approve or reject a proposal. All comments received will be made public on the AMA Guides website, including the resolution status after Panel review. To submit comments, please email guidesproposals@ama-assn.org with your—

1. Full name and title
2. Name of the organization you represent (if applicable)
3. Brief summary of your interest in the proposal

The AMA will provide you with a confidentiality agreement and disclosures form to complete. An AMA representative will review your documents and send you a copy of the proposal for your review. Please allow at least five business days from initial request for processing.