

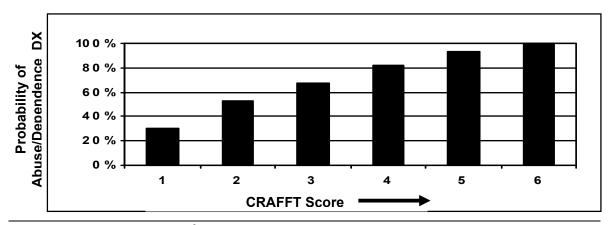
### CRAFFT SCORING INSTRUCTIONS

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CRAFFT Scoring: Each "yes" response in **Part B** scores 1 point.

A total score of 2 or higher is a positive screen, indicating a need for additional assessment.

# Probability of Substance Abuse/Dependence Diagnosis Based on CRAFFT Score<sup>1,2</sup>



## DSM-IV Diagnostic Criteria<sup>3</sup> (Abbreviated)

Substance Abuse (1 or more of the following):

- Use causes failure to fulfill obligations at work, school, or home
- Recurrent use in hazardous situations (e.g. driving)
- Recurrent legal problems
- Continued use despite recurrent problems

### Substance Dependence (3 or more of the following):

- Tolerance
- Withdrawal
- Substance taken in larger amount or over longer period of time than planned
- Unsuccessful efforts to cut down or guit
- Great deal of time spent to obtain substance or recover from effect
- Important activities given up because of substance
- Continued use despite harmful consequences

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