

LEVEL OF CARE UTILIZATION SYSTEM (LOCUS)  
DETERMINATION GRID

Level of Care	Recovery Maintenance Health Management	Low Intensity Community-based Services	High Intensity Community-based Services	Medically Monitored Non-Residential Services	Medically Monitored Residential Services	Medically Managed Residential Services
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 4	Level 5	Level 6
I. Risk of Harm	2 or Less	2 or Less	3 or Less	3 or Less	④ 3	⑤ 4
II. Functional Status	2 or Less	2 or Less	3 or Less	3 or Less	④* 3	⑤ 4
III. Co-Morbidity	2 or Less	2 or Less	3 or Less	3 or Less	④* 3	⑤ 4
IV. A. Recovery Environment "Stress"	Sum of IV A + IV B is 4	Sum of IV A + IV B is 5	Sum of IV A + IV B is 5	3 or 4	4 or more	4 or more
B. Recovery Environment Support	or Less	or Less	or Less	3 or Less	4 or more	4 or more
V. Resiliency & Treatment History	2 or Less	2 or Less	3 or Less	3 or 4	4 or more	4 or more
VI. Engagement	2 or Less	2 or Less	3 or Less	3 or 4	3 or more	4 or more
<b>Composite Rating</b>	10 to 13	14 to 16	17 to 19	20 to 22	23 to 27	28 or more

○ Indicates independent criteria  
Requires admission to this level  
Regardless of composite score

\* Unless sum of IV A and IV B equals 2

Start by identifying any independent placement criteria. If there are independent placement criteria, assign the level accordingly. If no independent placement criteria, locate the composite score in the bottom row. Review the column above. If most items are consistent with the dimension scores, assign the individual to that level. If most items are inconsistent, move to the column where most items are consistent with the individual's dimension scores and apply that level.