Using Opioids Safely: Opioid Misuse Screening Tools

Risk Assessment for Opioid Misuse

Several questionnaires have been developed to help in risk assessment. There is no gold standard. They lack rigorous testing, and cannot be relied on as sole determinants of risk; their use must be part of overall risk assessment based on history and other risk factors.

The Opioid Risk Tool is most commonly used in primary care.