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TEST	Sensitivity*	Specificity*	Features
	% true cases	% all cases	
CAGE			
All items	100	37	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 4 questions • Clinical interview • To detect alcoholism • No cutoff point to differentiate dependence and abuse
positive	99	66	
3 items	89	81	
positive	80	98	
2 items			
positive			
1 item			
positive			
Trauma Scale	81	68	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 5 questions • Clinical interview • To detect alcohol problems, not alcoholism
MAST			
Score of 5 or more	95	98	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 25 questions • Self-administered or interview • To detect alcoholism
AUDIT			
Score of 12	97	28	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10 questions • Self-administered or interview • To assess harmful use • Developed by WHO • Cross-cultural validity
Score of 8	90	61	
Score of 2	25	97	
DAST			
Score of 6 or more	96	79	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 28 questions • Self-administered or interview • To detect drug problems • Adapted from MAST

TWEAK

Score of 2 [high risk]	73	64
Score of 1 [moderate risk]	70	66

- 5 questions
- Clinical interview
- Pregnant women; women
- To detect high risk use
- Adapted from CAGE

T-ACE

Score of 2 or more	86	67
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- 4 questions
- Clinical interview
- Designed for pregnant women; women
- To identify high risk use
- Adapted from CAGE

CRAFT

Score of 2 or more	94	76
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- 6 questions
- Clinical interview
- Designed for adolescents
- To identify high risk use

* For the general population.

Values for specific sub-populations can differ. For example, tests differ in the efficacy with specific populations -- be it adolescents, or the elderly, or women, those with psychiatric illness, or members of specific ethnic/cultural groups.

Adapted from Kinney J. Medical consequences of alcohol use. IN: *Alcohol Use, Abuse and Dependence*. Timonium MD: Milner-Fenwick, 1989.