

Emerging Adult Gambling Screen Short Form (EAGS-4)

The Emerging Adult Gambling Screen Short Form (EAGS-4) is a brief, 4 item, measure of gambling-related harms among emerging adults (aged 18-24). It is a tool that can be used to screen a person who may be suffering from gambling-related harms. It is not intended to be used as a diagnostic tool for gambling disorder.

Question	Yes	No
In the past 12 months, have you lied or hid from others the amount of money you won or lost betting &/or gambling?		
In the past 12 months, has someone asked you to stop betting &/or gambling?		
In the past 12 months, have you bet &/or gambled with money that was intended for other purposes, such as rent, tuition, books, gas, or social activities?		
In the past 12 months, has betting &/or gambling become a major focus of your social activities and/or conversations?		

Scoring: Yes to 1 or more indicates a need for further assessment

Potential Responses:

For those scoring 1 or higher: By responding yes to at least one of the gambling screening questions, you may be at risk of or experiencing gambling-related harms.

If you or someone you know needs support to minimize gambling-related harms or stop gambling, help and resources are available:

If you are associated with a campus, reach out to your Campus Counseling Center

Contact your state's gambling helpline or call 1-800-GAMBLER

You can find gambling-related resources for your state at

<https://www.ncpgambling.org/help-treatment/>

For those scoring 0: You did not respond “yes” to any of the questions on the gambling screen, which indicates you may not be currently experiencing any gambling-related harms.

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