

Static-99 Self-Quiz Part I: General Coding Questions

1) What populations can the Static-99 be used with? (Check all that apply)

a)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Adult males (\geq age 18)	e)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Developmentally delayed offenders
b)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Adult females (\geq age 18)	f)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Institutionalized offenders
c)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Juvenile males (\leq age 17)	g)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Offenders with only non-contact (hands off) offenses
d)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Juvenile females (\leq age 17)			

2) Should recidivism estimates be adjusted based on “time offense free” in the community (note: time free *includes* time while under community supervision)? Yes No.

3) Which of the following may be counted for scoring purposes according to the various rules contained in the *Static-99 Coding Rules Revised -2003*? (note: parts of this question are specific to New York State law, please refer to the Coding Tables).

Item	Charge/Arrest	Conviction or Adjudication	Sentence
a) Juvenile adjudications	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
b) Youthful Offender Status (NY)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
c) Not guilty by reason of mental defect	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
d) Alford Plea	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
e) Acquittal	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
f) Adjournment in Contemplation of Dismissal (ACOD)	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

4) True or False: Failure to Register as a Sex Offender counts as:

- a) A charge for #5, Prior Sex Offenses: True False
 b) A sentence for #6, Prior Sentencing Dates: True False

5) True or False: an *Index Cluster* occurs when:

- a) An Index Offense is identified by an arrest, and before the case is disposed other prior victims come forward to report additional sex crimes: True False
 b) An offender is charged with a series of offenses, which are then disposed of on the same sentencing date: True False

6) True or False: An offender can be scored as “Yes (0)” on “Ever lived with” if:

- a) He was married just prior to entering prison, three years ago, and is now being released? True False
 b) He has lived sporadically with a female for four years, but it has been punctuated by *long* periods of imprisonment? True False
 c) The wife was under the legal age of consent at the time the relationship began, but she has reached the legal age of consent? True False
 d) He has lived with a significant other for two or more years in a homosexual relationship? True False

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- 7) True or False: Possession of child pornography is a Category A Offense?
a) if the images are pre-existing/offender does not know victim: True False
b) if the offender was involved in the creation of images that involved a victim known to the offender: True False
- 8) True or False: An offender's first offense is a single charge for PL § 245.00 Public Lewdness¹, can he be scored on the Static-99? True False
- 9) True or False: Category B offenses can be used to score the three victim questions (unrelated, stranger, male)? True False
- 10) An offender who has lived with a female and her children becomes related to the child when (check one):
 a) he moves in with the female
 b) he and the female get married
 c) after he has lived with the female and her children for two continuous years
 d) he marries the female and legally adopts her children
 e) never
- 11) When an item cannot be scored with the information at hand, what are the appropriate responses (check all that apply)?
 a) leave the item blank
 b) score the item as zero
 c) score the item as one
 d) note the case file
 e) do not score the instrument unless the only missing item is #2 Ever Lived With
- 12) An offender attempts to have sexual contact with a victim but fails, and is convicted of an attempted contact offense. Is he given a point on #7 Any Convictions for a Non-contact Offense?
 True False

¹ A person is guilty of public lewdness when he intentionally exposes the private or intimate parts of his body in a lewd manner or commits any other lewd act (a) in a public place, or (b) in private premises under circumstances in which he may readily be observed from either a public place or from other private premises, and with intent that he be so observed. Public lewdness is a class B misdemeanor.