WASI®–II
Up-to-date, brief, and reliable.

WECHSLER ABBREVIATED SCALE
OF INTELLIGENCE®—SECOND EDITION

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Today’s leading brief cognitive measure has been revised. Like its predecessor, the **Wechsler Abbreviated Scale of Intelligence®, Second Edition (WASI®–II)** hits the mark as a short, accurate, reliable measure of verbal, nonverbal, and general cognitive ability.

For use in clinical, educational, and research settings, the WASI–II maintains the structure of the WASI, while offering new content and improvements to provide greater utility and efficiency.

- Updated norms for ages 6:0–90:11
- Simplified administration and scoring
- Updated subtests
- Flexible administration options
- Closer parallels to WISC–IV and WAIS–IV

**Updated norms**
The WASI–II features an updated normative sample that is more representative of today’s population. Norms are based on a national sample of approximately 2,300 individuals aged 6:0–90:11.

**Simplified administration and scoring save valuable time**
Short, simple, user friendly administration and scoring make the WASI–II more efficient, helping to ease clinicians’ busy schedules. Updates include:

- More streamlined directions
- Reading instructions shortened by 40%
- Enhancements to the Stimulus Book make it easier to use
- Shorter discontinue rules
- Reversal rules that are more user-friendly and consistent with comprehensive Wechsler scales
Stronger connections with the WISC®–IV and WAIS®–IV

The strengthened connections between the WASI–II and the comprehensive Wechsler intelligence scales result in a stronger empirical foundation for using the instruments together and offer practical benefits that help you save time. The WASI–II subtests and items more closely parallel the WISC–IV and WAIS–IV, and linking studies have been conducted to establish equivalency and to improve comparability with the comprehensive Wechsler scales’ composite scores.

The WASI–II can be used in conjunction with the comprehensive Wechsler scales as a screener to determine if a comprehensive intellectual assessment is needed. If WASI–II results indicate an in-depth assessment is needed, the WASI–II subtest scores can be substituted for the four corresponding subtest scores on the WISC–IV or WAIS–IV, which makes administration of those four subtests from the WISC–IV and WAIS–IV unnecessary.

WASI–II subtest scores can be substituted for the corresponding core WISC–IV and WAIS–IV subtest scores

Administering only six more subtests, versus ten from the comprehensive measures, allows you to derive all WISC–IV or WAIS–IV composite scores.

Substitution reduces the additional testing time to obtain composite scores on the comprehensive measures by an average of 48%.
FOUR-SUBTEST FORM (Vocabulary, Similarities, Block Design, Matrix Reasoning) provides:
- FSIQ–4 score—Estimate of general cognitive ability
- VCI score—Measure of crystallized abilities
- PRI score—Measure of nonverbal fluid abilities and visuomotor/coordination skills

TWO-SUBTEST FORM (Vocabulary and Matrix Reasoning) provides:
- FSIQ–2 score—Estimate of general cognitive ability

The four-subtest form can be administered in just 30 minutes and the two-subtest form can be given in about 15 minutes.

WASI–II gives you flexible administration options
By selecting either the four- or two-subtest format, you control administration time and depth of assessment.

Target accuracy, simplicity, and more clinical utility with the WASI–II
For more information, please call 800.627.7271 or visit PsychCorp.com/WASI–II.