

Harmful gambling: identification, assessment & management guideline
review questions.

- 1.1 What factors, either alone or in combination, suggest that a person is participating in harmful gambling?
- 1.2a What is the accuracy of individual brief screening tools in identifying harmful gambling?
- 1.2b What is the accuracy of tools to identify and assess harmful gambling?
- 2.1 What are the information and support needs of people who participate in harmful gambling, their families, friends and others close to them?
- 3.1 What is the effectiveness of care pathways and models of care for people who participate in harmful gambling (including those with comorbid conditions such as depression, anxiety and other substance-use disorders)?
- 4.1a What is the effectiveness of pharmacological interventions for people who participate in harmful gambling (including those with comorbid conditions)?
- 4.1b What is the effectiveness of psychological and psychosocial interventions for people who participate in harmful gambling (including those with comorbid conditions such as depression, anxiety and other substance-use disorders)?
- 5.1 This question has been incorporated into question 4.1b
- 5.2 What is the effectiveness of interventions and approaches for reducing gambling-related harms for families, friends and others close to people who gamble?
- 6.1 What is the effectiveness of interventions and approaches (for example, building recovery capital, mutual aid, peer support and mentoring programmes) for preventing relapse in people who have previously participated in harmful gambling?

7.1 What are the barriers and facilitators to accessing treatment for harmful gambling from the perspective of practitioners, people who participate or have participated in harmful gambling, and their families, friends and others close to them?

7.2 What is the effectiveness of interventions or approaches designed to improve access to treatment for people who participate in harmful gambling, including people who are generally under-represented in treatment services?

8.1 What works well and what could be improved in gambling treatment services, including treatments for individuals, family approaches and relapse prevention, from the perspective of practitioners, people who participate or have participated in harmful gambling, and their families, friends and others close to them?