AA's 20 Question Test – Are you alcoholic?

Is it alcohol abuse? Or, just hard drinking? A problem drinker or an alcoholic? Is it alcohol addiction? Is it alcoholism? Are you alcoholic?

Take this 20 Question test to help you decide whether you are an alcoholic. Then, you can decide — if you want to do something about it.

The 20 Questions — Alcohol Abuse or Alcoholism?

Take this 20 question test to help you decide whether or not you are an alcoholic.

Answer YES or NO to the following questions.

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•	1. Do you lose time from work due to drinking? YES NO
•	2. Is drinking making your home life unhappy? YES NO
•	3. Do you drink because you are shy with other people? YES NO
•	4. Is your drinking affecting your reputation? YES NO
•	5. Have you ever felt guilt or remorse after drinking? YES NO
•	6. Have you ever got into financial difficulties as a result of drinking? YES NO
•	7. Do you turn to lower companions and an inferior environment when drinking? YES NO
•	8. Does your drinking make you careless of your family's welfare?

YES __ NO __

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•	9. Has your ambition decreased since drinking? YES NO
•	10. Do you crave a drink at a definite time? YES NO
•	11. Do you want a drink the next morning? YES NO
•	12. Does drinking cause you to have difficulty in sleeping? YES NO
•	13. Has your efficiency decreased since drinking? YES NO
•	14. Is drinking jeopardizing your job or business? YES NO
•	15. Do you drink to escape from worries or trouble? YES NO
•	16. Do you drink alone? YES NO
•	17. Have you ever had a complete loss of memory as a result of drinking? YES NO
•	18. Has your physician ever treated you for drinking? YES NO
•	19. Do you drink to build up your self-confidence? YES NO
•	20. Have you ever been to a hospital or institution because of drinking YES NO