What is EASI?

The EASI was developed* to raise a doctor's suspicion about elder abuse to a level at which it might be reasonable to propose a referral for further evaluation by social services, adult protective services, or equivalents. While all eight questions should be asked, a response of "yes" on one or more of questions 2 to 8 may establish concern. The EASI was validated for use by family practitioners of cognitively intact seniors seen in ambulatory settings.

Within the last 12 months:	
1. Are you able to care for yourself?	
Yes	No
2. Do you have difficulty concentrating, remembering or making decisions?	
Yes	No
3. Do you have difficulty walking or climbing stairs?	
Yes	No
4. Do you have difficulty dressing or bathing?	
Yes	No
5. Do you have difficulty doing errands alone?	
Yes	No
6. Are you able to walk?	
Yes	No
7. Do you have transportation difficulties?	
Yes	No
8. Are you currently employed?	
Yes	No