Resource Summary Report

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Hamilton Rating Scale for Depression

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Resource Information

URL: http://serene.me.uk/tests/ham-d.pdf

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Description: A multiple question assessment scale used to provide an indication of depression and serves as a way to evaluate recovery in patients. It is designed for adults and is used to rate the severity of their depression by probing mood, feelings of guilt, suicide ideation, insomnia, agitation or retardation, anxiety, weight loss, and somatic symptoms. It was designed to be administered by a trained professional using a semi-structured interview. Although Hamilton's original scale had 17 items, other versions were developed to include up to 29 items (HRSD-29).(Adapted from Wikipedia) It takes about 20 minutes to complete the interview and score the results. Scoring: * 0-7 Normal * 8-13 Mild * 14-18 Moderate * 19-22 Severe * > or = 23 Very Severe

Abbreviations: HAM-D, HRSD, HDRS, HAM-D17

Synonyms: Hamilton Depression Rating Scale

Resource Type: material resource, assessment test provider

Keywords: adult human, interview

Related Condition: Depressive Disorder, Suicide, Insomnia, Anxiety, Agitation

Availability: Free

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Ratings and Alerts

No rating or validation information has been found for Hamilton Rating Scale for Depression.

No alerts have been found for Hamilton Rating Scale for Depression.

Data and Source Information

Source: SciCrunch Registry

Usage and Citation Metrics

We found 151 mentions in open access literature.

Listed below are recent publications. The full list is available at PRECISE-TBI .

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