



## HOSPITAL ANXIETY & DEPRESSION QUESTIONNAIRE (HAD)

Doctors are aware that emotions play an important part in most illnesses. If your doctor knows about these feelings he or she will be able to help you more.

This questionnaire is designed to help your doctor to know how you feel. Read each item and place a firm tick in the box opposite the reply that comes closest to how you have been feeling in the past week. Don't take too long over your replies; your immediate reaction to each item will probably be more accurate than a long thought-out response.

Only tick one box in each section.

1.	I feel tense or "wound up":	Most of the time A lot of the time Sometimes, occasionally Not at all	
2.	I still enjoy the things I used to enjoy:  Not quite so Only a little	Definitely as much much  Hardly at all	
3.	I get a sort of frightened feeling as if something awful is about to happen:	Very definitely and quite badly Yes, but not too badly A little, but it doesn't worry me Not at all	
4.	I can laugh and see the funny side of things:	As much as I always could Not quite so much now Definitely not so much now Not at all	
5.	Worrying thoughts go through my mind:	A great deal of the time A lot of the time From time to time, but not too often Occasionally	
6.	I feel cheerful:	Not at all Not often Sometimes Most of the time	

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## **Information for Patients**

7.	I can sit at ease and feel relaxed:	Definitely Usually Not often Not at all	
8.	I feel as if I am slowed down:	Nearly all the time Very often Sometimes Not at all	
9.	I get a sort of frightened feeling like "butterflies" in the stomach:	Not at all Occasionally Quite often Very often	
10.	I have lost interest in my appearance:	Definitely I don't take so much care as I should I may not take quite as much care I take just as much care as ever	
11.	I feel restless, as if I have to be on the move:	Very much indeed Quite a lot Not very much Not at all	
12.	I look forward with enjoyment to things:	As much as I ever did Rather less than I used to Definitely less than I used to Hardly at all	
13.	I get sudden feelings of panic:	Very often indeed Quite often Not very often Not at all	
14.	I can enjoy a good book or radio or TV programme:	Often Sometimes Not often Very seldom	

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