

Measure: WHODAS 2.0 (World Health Organization Disability Assessment Schedule 2.0): 36-item version, self-administered

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Patient Name: _____ Age: _____ Sex: Male Female Date: _____

This questionnaire asks about difficulties due to health/mental health conditions. Health conditions include **diseases or illnesses, other health problems that may be short or long lasting, injuries, mental or emotional problems, and problems with alcohol or drugs**. Think back over the **past 30 days** and answer these questions thinking about how much difficulty you had doing the following activities. For each question, please circle only **one** response.

Numeric scores assigned to each of the items:							<i>Clinician Use Only</i>							
							1	2	3	4	5	Raw Item Score	Raw Domain Score	Average Domain Score
In the <u>last 30 days</u> , how much difficulty did you have in:														
Understanding and communicating							None	Mild	Moderate	Severe	Extreme or cannot do			
D1.1	<u>Concentrating on doing something for ten minutes?</u>												30	5
D1.2	<u>Remembering to do important things?</u>													
D1.3	<u>Analyzing and finding solutions to problems in day-to-day life?</u>													
D1.4	<u>Learning a new task, for example, learning how to get to a new place?</u>													
D1.5	<u>Generally understanding what people say?</u>													
D1.6	<u>Starting and maintaining a conversation?</u>													
Getting around							None	Mild	Moderate	Severe	Extreme or cannot do			
D2.1	<u>Standing for long periods, such as 30 minutes?</u>											25	5	
D2.2	<u>Standing up from sitting down?</u>													
D2.3	<u>Moving around inside your home?</u>													
D2.4	<u>Getting out of your home?</u>													
D2.5	<u>Walking a long distance, such as a kilometer (or equivalent)?</u>													
Self-care							None	Mild	Moderate	Severe	Extreme or cannot do			
D3.1	<u>Washing your whole body?</u>											20	5	
D3.2	<u>Getting dressed?</u>													
D3.3	<u>Eating?</u>													
D3.4	<u>Staying by yourself for a few days?</u>													
Getting along with people							None	Mild	Moderate	Severe	Extreme or cannot do			
D4.1	<u>Dealing with people you do not know?</u>											25	5	
D4.2	<u>Maintaining a friendship?</u>													
D4.3	<u>Getting along with people who are close to you?</u>													
D4.4	<u>Making new friends?</u>													
D4.5	<u>Sexual activities?</u>													

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In the <u>last 30 days</u> , how much difficulty did you have in:														
Life activities—Household						None	Mild	Moderate	Severe	Extreme or cannot do				
D5.1	Taking care of your <u>household responsibilities</u> ?													
D5.2	Doing most important household tasks <u>well</u> ?													
D5.3	Getting all of the household work <u>done</u> that you needed to do?											20	5	
D5.4	Getting your household work done as <u>quickly</u> as needed?													
Life activities—School/Work														
If you work (paid, non-paid, self-employed) or go to school, complete questions D5.5–D5.8, below. Otherwise, skip to D6.1.														
Because of your health condition, in the past <u>30 days</u> , how much difficulty did you have in:						None	Mild	Moderate	Severe	Extreme or cannot do				
D5.5	Your day-to-day <u>work/school</u> ?													
D5.6	Doing your most important work/school tasks <u>well</u> ?													
D5.7	Getting all of the work <u>done</u> that you need to do?											20	5	
D5.8	Getting your work done as <u>quickly</u> as needed?													
Participation in society														
In the past <u>30 days</u> :						None	Mild	Moderate	Severe	Extreme or cannot do				
D6.1	How much of a problem did you have in <u>joining in community activities</u> (for example, festivities, religious, or other activities) in the same way as anyone else can?													
D6.2	How much of a problem did you have because of <u>barriers or hindrances</u> around you?													
D6.3	How much of a problem did you have <u>living with dignity</u> because of the attitudes and actions of others?													
D6.4	How much <u>time</u> did <u>you</u> spend on your health condition or its consequences?					None	Some	Moderate	A Lot	Extreme		40	5	
D6.5	How much have <u>you</u> been <u>emotionally affected</u> by your health condition?													
D6.6	How much has your health been a <u>drain on the financial resources</u> of you or your family?													
D6.7	How much of a problem did your <u>family</u> have because of your health problems?													
D6.8	How much of a problem did you have in doing things <u>by yourself</u> for <u>relaxation or pleasure</u> ?													
General Disability Score (Total):											180	5		

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if all the items within the “understanding and communicating” domain are rated as being moderate then the average domain score would be $18/6 = 3$, indicating moderate disability). The **average general disability score** is calculated by dividing the raw overall score by number of items in the measure (i.e., 36). The individual should be encouraged to complete all of the items on the WHODAS 2.0. If no response is given on 10 or more items of the measure (i.e., more than 25% of the 36 total items), calculation of the simple and average general disability scores may not be helpful. If 10 or more of the total items on the measure are missing but the items for some of the domains are 75%–100% complete, the simple or average domain scores may be used for those domains.

Frequency of Use

To track change in the individual’s level of disability over time, the measure may be completed at regular intervals as clinically indicated, depending on the stability of the individual’s symptoms and treatment status. Consistently high scores on a particular domain may indicate significant and problematic areas for the individual that might warrant further assessment and intervention.