Hospital Anxiety and Depression Scale (HADS)

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Clinicians are aware that emotions play an important part in most illnesses. If your clinician knows about these feelings he or she will be able to help you more. This questionnaire is designed to help your clinician to know how you feel. Read each item below and underline the reply which comes closest to how you have been feeling in the past week. Ignore the numbers printed at the edge of the questionnaire. 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. I feel as if I am slowed down feel tense or 'wound up' Nearly all the time Most of the time A lot of the time Very often Sometimes From time to time, occasionally Not at all Not at all I get a sort of frightened feeling like I still enjoy the things I used to enjoy 'butterflies' in the stomach Definitely as much Not at all Not quite so much Occasionally Only a little Quite often Hardly at all Very often I get a sort of frightened feeling as if I have lost interest in my appearance something awful is about to happen Definitely Very definitely and quite badly I don't take as much care as I should Yes, but not too badly I may not take quite as much care A little, but it doesn't worry me Not at all I take just as much care as ever can laugh and see the funny side of things I feel restless as if I have to be on As much as I always could the move Not quite so much now Very much indeed Definitely not so much now Quite a lot Not at all Not very much Not at all Worrying thoughts go through my mind A great deal of the time I look forward with enjoyment to things A lot of the time As much as I ever did Rather less than I used to Not too often Definitely less than I used to Very little Hardly at all I feel cheerful I get sudden feelings of panic Never Very often indeed Not often Ouite often Sometimes Not very often Most of the time Not at all I can sit at ease and feel relaxed I can enjoy a good book or radio or Definitely television programme Usually Often Not often Sometimes Not at all Not often Very seldom Now check that you have answered all the questions D

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