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INSTRUMENT TITLE: NorVold Abuse Questionnaire for Men (m-NorAQ)

SOURCE ARTICLE: Swahnberg, K. (2011). NorVold Abuse Questionnaire for men (m-NorAQ): validation of new measures of emotional, physical, and sexual abuse and abuse in health care in male patients. *Gender medicine*, 8(2), 69-79.

POPULATION: men

RESPONSE OPTIONS: This instrument has already been formatted by the author. Please see attached.

SCORING: N/A

SURVEY ITEMS: This instrument has already been formatted by the author. Please see attached.

RELIABILITY INFORMATION: High test-retest reliability was observed, ranging from 77%-100%.

VALIDITY INFORMATION: Concurrent validity was assessed; scale was shown to capture true positive and negative answers in relation to the numbers of participants.

TERMS OF USE:

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Appendix II. Questions about abuse in the NorVold Abuse Questionnaire for men (m-NorAQ).^{2,3}

	EMOTIONAL ABUSE
Mild abuse	Have you experienced anyone systematically and for any period trying to repress, degrade, or humiliate you?
Mod. abuse	Have you experienced anyone systematically and by threat or force trying to limit your contacts with others or control what you may and may not do?
Severe abuse	Have you experienced living in fear because someone systematically and for a long period has threatened you or someone close to you?
	PHYSICAL ABUSE
Mild abuse	Have you experienced anyone hitting you, smacking your face, or holding you firmly against your will?
Mod. abuse	Have you experienced anyone hitting you with his/her fist(s) or with a hard object, kicking you, pushing you violently, beating you, thrashing you, or doing anything similar to you?
Severe abuse	Have you experienced anyone threatening your life by, for example, trying to strangle you, showing a weapon or knife, or by any other similar act?
	SEXUAL ABUSE
Mild abuse, no gen. cont.	Has anyone against your will touched parts of your body other than the genitals in a "sexual way" or forced you to touch other parts of his or her body in a "sexual way"?
Mild abuse, emot. / sexual humiliation	Have you in any other way been sexually humiliated; eg, by being forced to watch a pornographic movie or something similar against your will, participate in a pornographic movie or something similar, show your body naked, or watch when someone else showed his/her body naked?
Mod. abuse, gen. cont.	Has anyone against your will touched your genitals, used your body to satisfy him/herself sexually or forced you to touch anyone else's genitals?
Severe abuse, penetration	Has anyone against your will tried to or put his penis into your mouth or rectum; tried to or put an object or other part of the body into your mouth or rectum?
	ABUSE IN HEALTH CARE
Mild abuse	Have you ever felt offended or grossly degraded while accessing health services, felt blackmailed, or felt that someone did not show respect for your opinion — in such a way that you were later disturbed by or suffered from the experience?
	While visiting health services, have you ever experienced a "normal" event
Mod. abuse	suddenly become a really terrible and insulting experience, without your fully knowing how this could have happened?
	Have you experienced anyone in health services purposely — as you understood
Severe abuse	— hurting you physically or mentally, grossly violating you, or using your body and your subordinated position to your disadvantage for his/her own satisfaction?
	ANSWER ALTERNATIVES (THE SAME FOR ALL QUESTIONS)
	1 = No
	2 = Yes, as a child (<18 years)
	3 = Yes, as an adult (≥18 years)
	4 = Yes, as a child and as an adult