Top reasons to buy Brown EF/A Scales

Clinical and research-based anchoring: ADHD symptoms are measured directly and quantifiably; test results can be used to suggest possible diagnoses as well as testable hypotheses about a patient’s executive functions.

Items are more specific and contextual: Patients with ADHD experience much situational variability with ability to focus on specific activities which hold strong interest for them, but more limited ability to focus on less interesting tasks, even when they may be important. The Brown EF/A Scales™ include items that ask about difficulties encountered in specific contexts, e.g. difficulty remembering what has been read (when reading is assigned, vs. self-selected texts).

Multiple-perspective assessment: The Brown EF/A Scales provide a comprehensive evaluation of an individual’s ADHD symptoms by using multiple perspectives: self-perspective, teacher’s perspective and parents’ perspective.

Focuses on severity as opposed to frequency: Unique to the Brown EF/A Scales, items focus on severity of specific problems rather than frequency. This allows examinees to report more accurately how much difficulty they experience with each specific symptom.

Includes DSM®-5 symptoms of ADHD and more: The Brown EF/A Scales assess other important aspects of executive function impairments found in persons with ADHD, but not yet included in DSM-5 diagnostic criteria for ADD/ADHD.

Assess the executive functions of other diagnostic groups: Difficulties with EF are often found in students with emotional and behavioral disorders (EBDs); neurodevelopmental disorders; autism spectrum disorders (ASD); and specific learning disabilities (SLD); or as a result of injury or trauma.

Reports guide interventions: Cluster scores in the reports developed around the 6 Executive Functions from Dr. Brown’s model provides a starting place for the development or selection of interventions to support treatment and/or instructions.

Progress monitoring: Developed to be able to differentiate between administrations for the purpose of determining the effectiveness of treatments (including medication).

Digital delivery option
Brown EF/A Scales is available on Q-global® with flexible administration, scoring, and reporting options to accommodate your assessment workflow. Use our digital platform, paper and pencil — or a combination of both!

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