

MARS

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Clinical Form Name	Medication Adherence Rating Scale
Clinical Area(s)	Aged care
Description of Use	The MARS is a 10-item self-reporting multidimensional instrument describing three dimensions: medication adherence behaviour (items 1-4), taking medication (items 5-8) and negative side effects and attitudes to psychotropic medication (items 9-10).
Availability	Yes, full access in Explorer Online
Explorer Online Screenshot	<div><div>MEDICATION ADHERENCE RATING SCALE (MARS)</div><div><div>QUESTIONS</div><div><div>DO YOU EVER FORGET TO TAKE YOUR MEDICATION?</div><div><input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No</div></div><div><div>ARE YOU CARELESS AT TIMES ABOUT TAKING YOUR MEDICATION?</div><div><input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No</div></div><div><div>WHEN YOU FEEL BETTER, DO YOU SOMETIMES STOP TAKING YOUR MEDICATION?</div><div><input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No</div></div><div><div>SOMETIMES IF YOU FEEL WORSE WHEN YOU TAKE THE MEDICATION, DO YOU STOP TAKING IT?</div><div><input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No</div></div><div><div>I TAKE MY MEDICATION ONLY WHEN I AM SICK</div><div><input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No</div></div><div><div>IT IS UNNATURAL FOR MY MIND AND BODY TO BE CONTROLLED BY MEDICATION</div><div><input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No</div></div><div><div>MY THOUGHTS ARE CLEARER ON MEDICATION</div><div><input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No</div></div><div><div>BY STAYING ON MEDICATION, I CAN PREVENT GETTING SICK</div><div><input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No</div></div><div><div>I FEEL WEIRD, LIKE A 'ZOMBIE' ON MEDICATION</div><div><input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No</div></div><div><div>MEDICATION MAKES ME FEEL TIRED AND SLUGGISH</div><div><input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No</div></div></div><div><div>SCORING</div><div><div>SYSTEM GENERATED SCORE</div><div>5</div></div></div></div>
Report Preview	<div><div><div><div><div>Mrs Patient Marie TEST</div><div><div>Born 12-Dec-1990 (32y)</div><div>Gender Female</div><div>32y at the time of observation</div></div></div></div><div><div><div>Address 12 Demo Street MAROOCHYDORE QLD 4558</div><div>Phone (07)54566000</div><div>Medicare No 4608688371/1</div></div><div><div><div>Specimen Lab No 43BC9D01-57ED-4CDE-9D88-D509451A59E7</div><div>Request Date 25/05/2023 2:22 PM</div><div>Effective Date 25/05/2023 2:22 PM</div><div>Generated Date 25/05/2023 2:22 PM</div></div></div></div><div><div>Medication Adherence Rating Scale (E DAY)</div><div><div>QUESTIONS</div><div><div>Do you ever forget to take your medication?</div><div>Yes</div></div><div><div>Are you careless at times about taking your medication?</div><div>No</div></div><div><div>When you feel better, do you sometimes stop taking your medication?</div><div>Yes</div></div><div><div>Sometimes if you feel worse when you take the medication, do you stop taking it?</div><div>No</div></div><div><div>I take my medication only when I am sick</div><div>Yes</div></div><div><div>It is unnatural for my mind and body to be controlled by medication</div><div>No</div></div><div><div>My thoughts are clearer on medication</div><div>Yes</div></div><div><div>By staying on medication, I can prevent getting sick</div><div>No</div></div><div><div>I feel weird, like a 'zombie' on medication</div><div>Yes</div></div><div><div>Medication makes me feel tired and sluggish</div><div>No</div></div><div><div>SCORING</div><div><div>System generated score</div><div>5</div></div></div></div></div></div></div>

Mind Map	<div><div>ENTRY -- Medication Adherence Rating Scale (MARS)</div><div>CLUSTER -- Questions<ul style="list-style-type: none">ELEMENT -- Do you ever forget to take your medication?ELEMENT -- Are you careless at times about taking your medication?ELEMENT -- When you feel better, do you sometimes stop taking your medication?ELEMENT -- Sometimes if you feel worse when you take the medication, do you stop taking it?ELEMENT -- I take my medication only when I am sick.ELEMENT -- It is unnatural for my mind and body to be controlled by medication.ELEMENT -- My thoughts are clearer on medication.ELEMENT -- By staying on medication, I can prevent getting sick.ELEMENT -- I feel weird, like a 'zombie' on medication.ELEMENT -- Medication makes me feel tired and sluggish.</div></div>
Excel File /Structure	CEN-Medication_Adherence_Rating_Scale.v1.xlsx.url
Editor Screenshot	<div><div>CEN MARS v1<ul style="list-style-type: none">DescriptionUses 0 Archetype(s)Definition<ul style="list-style-type: none">ENTRY -- Medication Adherence Rating Scale (MARS)<ul style="list-style-type: none">CLUSTER -- Questions<ul style="list-style-type: none">ELEMENT -- Do you ever forget to take your medication?ELEMENT -- Are you careless at times about taking your medication?ELEMENT -- When you feel better, do you sometimes stop taking your medication?ELEMENT -- Sometimes if you feel worse when you take the medication, do you stop taking it?ELEMENT -- I take my medication only when I am sick.ELEMENT -- It is unnatural for my mind and body to be controlled by medication.ELEMENT -- My thoughts are clearer on medication.ELEMENT -- By staying on medication, I can prevent getting sick.ELEMENT -- I feel weird, like a 'zombie' on medication.ELEMENT -- Medication makes me feel tired and sluggish.CLUSTER -- Scoring<ul style="list-style-type: none">ELEMENT -- System generated scoreOntologyPresentation</div></div>