

EPWORTH SLEEPINESS SCALE FORM

Instructions: Be as truthful as possible. Print the form. Read the situation in the first column; select your response from the second column; enter that number in the third column. Total all of the entries in the third column and enter the total in the last box.

Situation	Responses	Score
Sitting and Reading	0 = would never doze 1 = slight chance of dozing 2 = moderate chance of dozing 3 = high chance of dozing	
Watching Television	0 = would never doze 1 = slight chance of dozing 2 = moderate chance of dozing 3 = high chance of dozing	
Sitting inactive in a public place, for example, a theater or a meeting	0 = would never doze 1 = slight chance of dozing 2 = moderate chance of dozing 3 = high chance of dozing	
As a passenger in a car for an hour without a break	0 = would never doze 1 = slight chance of dozing 2 = moderate chance of dozing 3 = high chance of dozing	
Lying down to rest in the afternoon	0 = would never doze 1 = slight chance of dozing 2 = moderate chance of dozing 3 = high chance of dozing	
Sitting and talking to someone	0 = would never doze 1 = slight chance of dozing 2 = moderate chance of dozing 3 = high chance of dozing	
Sitting quietly after lunch when you've had no alcohol	0 = would never doze 1 = slight chance of dozing 2 = moderate chance of dozing 3 = high chance of dozing	
In a car while stopped in traffic	0 = would never doze 1 = slight chance of dozing 2 = moderate chance of dozing 3 = high chance of dozing	
TOTAL SCORE		

A score of 10 or greater indicates a possible sleep disorder. Take the completed form to your doctor.

Berlin Questionnaire[©] Sleep Apnea

Height (m) _____ Weight (kg) _____ Age _____ Male / Female

Please choose the correct response to each question.

Category 1

1. Do you snore?

- a. Yes
- b. No
- c. Don't know

If you answered 'yes':

2. Your snoring is:

- a. Slightly louder than breathing
- b. As loud as talking
- c. Louder than talking

3. How often do you snore?

- a. Almost every day
- b. 3-4 times per week
- c. 1-2 times per week
- d. 1-2 times per month
- e. Rarely or never

4. Has your snoring ever bothered other people?

- a. Yes
- b. No
- c. Don't know

5. Has anyone noticed that you stop breathing during your sleep?

- a. Almost every day
- b. 3-4 times per week
- c. 1-2 times per week
- d. 1-2 times per month
- e. Rarely or never

Category 2

6. How often do you feel tired or fatigued after your sleep?

- a. Almost every day
- b. 3-4 times per week
- c. 1-2 times per week
- d. 1-2 times per month
- e. Rarely or never

7. During your waking time, do you feel tired, fatigued or not up to par?

- a. Almost every day
- b. 3-4 times per week
- c. 1-2 times per week
- d. 1-2 times per month
- e. Rarely or never

8. Have you ever nodded off or fallen asleep while driving a vehicle?

- a. Yes
- b. No

If you answered 'yes':

9. How often does this occur?

- a. Almost every day
- b. 3-4 times per week
- c. 1-2 times per week
- d. 1-2 times per month
- e. Rarely or never

Category 3

10. Do you have high blood pressure?

- Yes
- No
- Don't know

Scoring Berlin Questionnaire

The questionnaire consists of 3 categories related to the risk of having sleep apnea. Patients can be classified into High Risk or Low Risk based on their responses to the individual items and their overall scores in the symptom categories.

Categories and Scoring:

Category 1: items 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5;

Item 1: if **'Yes'**, assign **1 point**

Item 2: if **'c'** or **'d'** is the response, assign **1 point**

Item 3: if **'a'** or **'b'** is the response, assign **1 point**

Item 4: if **'a'** is the response, assign **1 point**

Item 5: if **'a'** or **'b'** is the response, assign **2 points**

Add points. *Category 1 is positive if the total score is 2 or more points.*

Category 2: items 6, 7, 8 (item 9 should be noted separately).

Item 6: if **'a'** or **'b'** is the response, assign **1 point**

Item 7: if **'a'** or **'b'** is the response, assign **1 point**

Item 8: if **'a'** is the response, assign **1 point**

Add points. *Category 2 is positive if the total score is 2 or more points.*

Category 3 is positive if the answer to item 10 is **'Yes'** or if the BMI of the patient is greater than 30kg/m².

(BMI is defined as weight (kg) divided by height (m) squared, i.e., kg/m²).

High Risk: if there are 2 or more categories where the score is positive.

Low Risk: if there is only 1 or no categories where the score is positive.

Additional Question: item 9 should be noted separately.