

Daytime Sleepiness Evaluation

Epworth Sleepiness Scale

The Epworth Sleepiness Scale was developed and validated by Dr. Murray Johns of Melbourne Australia. It is a simple, self-administered questionnaire –widely used by sleep professionals in quantifying the level of daytime sleepiness.

For the following situations, answer with one of the following numbers:

- 0 - Would never doze***
- 1 - slight chance of dozing***
- 2 - moderate chance of dozing***
- 3 - high chance of dozing***

Situation	Score
Sitting and reading	
Watching Television	
Sitting, inactive in a public place	
As a passenger in a car for an hour without a break	
Lying down to rest in the afternoon when circumstances permit	
Sitting and talking to someone	
Sitting quietly after a lunch without alcohol	
In a car, while stopped for a few minutes in traffic	
Total Score	

Patient Name

Date