# ESSIC Database Symptom Discussion for ESSIC 2008 meeting, Rome

# **Overall Initial Inclusion**

- Pain or frequency or urgency
- Greater than 6 week duration
- Confusable disease determined to account for symptoms ends data collection with exceptions to be determined

# Likert Scales

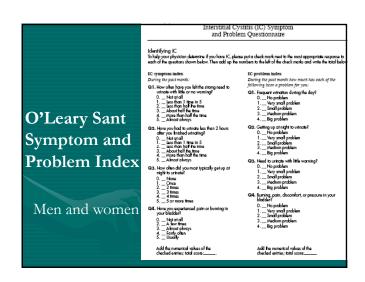
- Pain
- Perception of frequency
- Urgency
- Dyspareunia

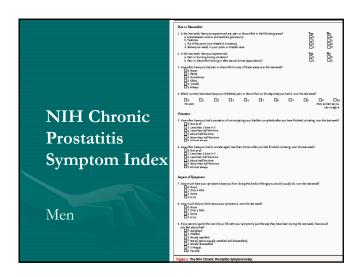
# Other data to be collected

- 24 hours voiding diary
- Reason(s) for urgency
  - Fear of impending leakage
  - Worsening pain
  - Increasing pressure
  - Increasing discomfort

# Characterization of Pain/Pressure/Discomfort

- Worsens with:
- Improves with:
- Sensation feels like (one or more):
  - Discomfort
  - Pain
  - Pressure
  - Sharp
  - Dull
  - Aching



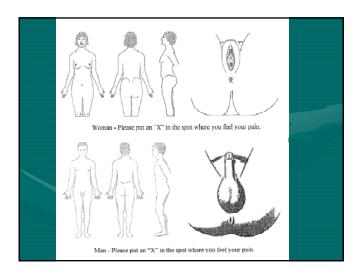


# **AUA Quality of Life Due to Urinary Symptoms:** If you were to spend the rest of your life with your urinary condition just the way it is now, how would you feel about that?

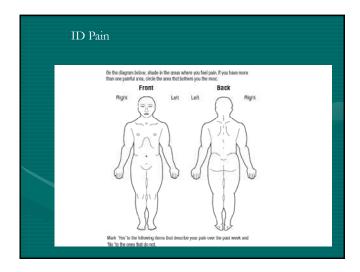
Delighted Pleased Mostly satisfied

Mixed

Mostly dissatisfied Unhappy Terrible

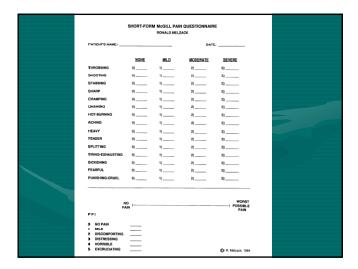


- 1. NPQ = neuropathic pain questionnaire 2. Pain Detect
- 3. ID-Pain
- 4. Short form McGill Pain Questionnaire
- 5. Beck Depression Index
- 6. Beck Anxiety Inventory
- 7. IAS= Illness Attitude Scale
- 8. PSQI= Pittsburg Sleep Quality Index
- 9. SSC=Somatic Symptoms Checklist
- 10. Life Events Inventory, List of Threatening Experiences

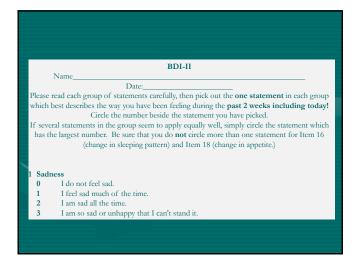


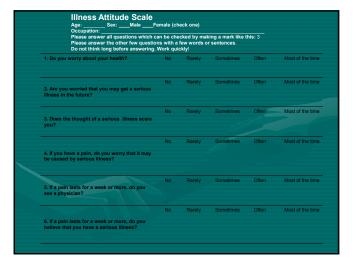
Question	Score	
	Yes	No
Did the pain feel like pins and needles?	1	0
2. Did the pain feel hot/burning?	1	0
3. Did the pain feel numb?	1	0
4. Did the pain feel like electrical shocks?	1	0
5. Is the pain made worse with the touch of clothing or bed sheets?	1	0
6. Is the pain limited to your joints?	-1	0

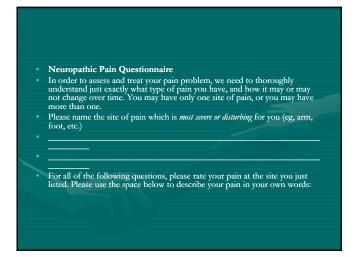
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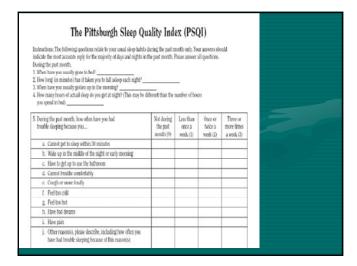




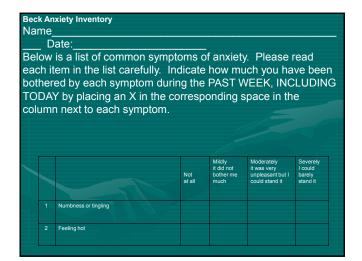


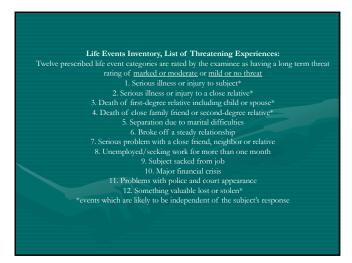






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# Somatic Symptoms Checklist SSC 1. Have you ever had trouble breathing? 2. Have you ever had frequent trouble with menstrual cramps? 3. Have you ever had burning sensations in your sexual organs? 4. Have you ever had difficulties swallowing or had an uncomfortable lump in your throat that stayed with you for at least an hour? 5. Have you ever found that you could not remember what you had been doing for hours or days at a time? (If yes) Did this happen even though you had not been drinking or taking drugs? 6. Have you ever had trouble from frequent vomiting? 7. Have you ever had frequent pain in your fingers or toes? Scoring: two positive symptoms gives a sensitivity for somatization disorder of 93% and a specificity of 59%. Three positive symptoms yields a sensitivity of 73% and a specificity of 94%. (Othmer, E and DeSouza, C: A screening test for somatization disorder (hysteria); Am J Psychiatry, 142:10, October 1985