

Research Methods 410

Critique of Assessment Tools

Due within 48 hours AFTER Week 12 Live Session

Length: 3-5 pages excluding title page, reference page

Students will compare and contrast two health assessment tools for use in clinical practice and research. Students are expected to describe and critique the assessment tools based on psychometric properties (reliability and validity), scoring, interpretation of scoring, strengths/limitations, and appropriate use in clinical practice and research.

Health Assessment tools:

- Short Form Health Survey (SF-36)
- Questions on Life Satisfaction (FLX^M)

Attribute	Points
Description of each assessment tool	10 points
Description and critique of psychometric properties	15 points
Description and critique of scoring and interpretation of scoring	15 points
Description and critique of strengths and limitations of each assessment tool	25 points
Description and critique appropriate use in clinical practice and research	25 points
APA/Grammar	10 points
Total	100 points