

SDQII[®]

Self Description Questionnaire II

PACKAGE & CONDITIONS OF USE

The following package presents the Self Description Questionnaire II Instrument.

Document 1. **The SDQII Instrument.** This instrument is to be used as presented with the instructions as printed unless approval to vary the instrument or instructions has been granted by the author.

Document 2. **The SDQII Outline.** This document gives a historical overview of the development of the SDQII instrument and its purposes and usefulness, and also its basic psychometric properties.

Document 3. **The SDQII Factors.** This document gives a brief summary of each of the SDQII factors.

Document 4. **Variable Names for Data Entry and the Scoring of the SDQII.** It is recommended that data be entered using the variable names suggested. In particular this will allow easy comparison across databases using this instrument.

Document 5. **Resources & References.** A list of publications and resources, which provide significant information regarding the use or psychometric properties of the instrument, and a full copy of the most useful psychometric publication that is available.

*** Please note that the SELF Research Centre does not provide statistical support to researchers who use this instrument.**

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It is a condition of the use of this instrument that any data that is collected using this instrument will be made available in electronic form to the SELF Research Centre.

It is not necessary to provide identifying information such as names etc. However, the data should include (for each individual case) age, gender, the country or area of administration, some general description of the respondents (eg secondary school students, or teachers, or psychology students, etc.) and any other grouping variables that are appropriate.

Final data provided will be used only for psychometric evaluation and for addition to norms etc.

Should use of this instrument lead to any publication, it is a condition of use that the researchers collecting the data will acknowledge the origins of the instrument. Should the instrument be varied it would be appreciated if the SELF Research Centre is consulted before the variation is used. If you intend to use only a single scale or some but not all scales and no other variation then consultation is not necessary.