

Severity comparisons between scales

Severity measure	PHQ-9¹	QIDS²	HRSD-17²	MADRS²
Minimal	0-4	0-5	0-7	0-6
Mild	5-9	6-10	8-13	7-19
Moderate	10-14	11-15	14-18	20-34
Severe	15-19	16-20	19-22	35+
Very severe	20-27	21-27	23-52	-

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