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# SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS

This study was conducted to analyze the Turkish validity and reliability of The Psychological Impact of Cancer Scale (PICS). It has certain significance for clinical practice. It can be popularized and needs more large-scale research. Figure 1 is not clear, and high-definition pictures need to be replaced.



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Through the methodological research on 257 cancer patients, this manuscript aims to analyze the validity and reliability of the Psychological Impact Scale on Cancer (PICS) in Türkiye, and finally draws the conclusion that Türkiye PICS is an effective and reliable measurement tool, which can be used to evaluate the psychological response of individuals to cancer diagnosis and treatment, and can be used in clinical practice. At present, there is no research on the Psychological Impact Scale of Cancer (PICS) in Türkiye, which is innovative; The Cancer Psychological Impact Scale is of great significance for the prognosis and individualized treatment of patients, so this study also has certain research significance; The number of samples in this study is up to standard, and the statistical method is correct, and the final result is also positive. The main inadequacies of the article: the innovation of this study is not described in the preface, and the limitations of this study are described less in the final summary. The English expression needs to be further refined.