DSM-5 Generalized Anxiety Disorder Checklist

Name:	Date:

Instructions: Respond honestly to each question with "Yes" or "No."

Questions	YES	NO
Do you feel nervous, anxious, or on edge most of the time?		
Do you have trouble controlling your worry?		
Do you worry too much about various aspects of life (e.g., health, finances, relationships, work)?		
Do you experience difficulty in relaxing?		
Are you often restless and find it challenging to sit still?		
Do you become easily irritated or feel on edge?		
Do you experience muscle tension or physical symptoms of anxiety?		
Are you frequently fatigued or lacking energy?		
Do you have difficulty concentrating or often feel your mind going blank?		
Do you have sleep disturbances, such as difficulty falling or staying asleep, or restless and unsatisfying sleep?		
Do you experience excessive worry about future events or situations, even when there is little or no reason to be concerned?		
Are you constantly preoccupied with potential negative outcomes or "what-if" scenarios?		

Do you feel a sense of impending doom or constant fear of something bad happening?		
Have you noticed physical symptoms like headaches, stomachaches, or other unexplained pains that may be related to anxiety?		
Does your anxiety interfere significantly with your daily activities, work, or school performance?		
Have you been experiencing these symptoms for at least six months or longer?		
Have you sought help or professional advice for your anxiety symptoms?		
Are you experiencing symptoms of panic attacks, such as heart palpitations, shortness of breath, or a feeling of impending doom?		
Have you recently noticed any avoidance behaviors, such as avoiding social situations or places that trigger your anxiety?		
Have you experienced a sudden increase in anxiety or panic symptoms that are causing significant distress in the past 2 weeks?		
TOTAL SCORE		

Score Interpretation: Each "Yes" response receives a value of 1, and each "No" response receives a value of 0.

Add up all the values to get the total score, which ranges from 0 to 20.

Interpretation of the total score:

- 0 to 4: Mild anxiety symptoms
- 5 to 9: Moderate anxiety symptoms
- 10 to 14: Moderately severe anxiety symptoms
- 15 to 20: Severe anxiety symptoms