Narcissism Test

Name:		
Date:	Age:	
This Narcissism Test helps mental health professionals assess the presence and severity of narcissistic traits in patients. It aims to identify patterns of grandiosity, entitlement, and lack of empathy that are characteristic of narcissistic personality disorder (NPD). There are 40 pairs of statements. Select the statement that you feel best reflects your personality and behavior out of each pair Statements		
☐ I have a natural talent for influencing people.	☐ I am not good at influencing people.	
☐ Modesty doesn't become me.	☐ I am essentially a modest person.	
☐ I would do almost anything on a dare.	☐ I tend to be a fairly cautious person.	
☐ I know that I am good because everybody keeps telling me so.	When people compliment me I sometimes get embarrassed.	
If I ruled the world it would be a better place.	The thought of ruling the world frightens the hell out of me.	
☐ I can usually talk my way out of anything.	I try to accept the consequences of my behavior.	

☐ I will be a success.

☐ I prefer to blend in with the crowd.

☐ I am not too concerned about success.

☐ I think I am a special person.	I am no better or worse than most people.
☐ I see myself as a good leader.	☐ I am not sure if I would make a good leader.
☐ I am assertive.	☐ I wish I were more assertive.
☐ I like to have authority over other people.	☐ I don't mind following orders.
☐ I find it easy to manipulate people.	 I don't like it when I find myself manipulating people.
 I insist upon getting the respect that is due me. 	☐ I usually get the respect that I deserve.
☐ I like to show off my body.	I don't particularly like to show off my body.
☐ I can read people like a book.	 People are sometimes hard to understand.
 I like to take responsibility for making decisions. 	If I feel competent I am willing to take responsibility for making decisions.
 I want to amount to something in the eyes of the world. 	☐ I just want to be reasonably happy.
☐ I like to look at my body.	☐ My body is nothing special.
☐ I will usually show off if I get the chance.	☐ I try not to be a show off.
☐ I always know what I am doing.	Sometimes, I am not sure of what I am doing.

I rarely depend on anyone else to get things done.	 I sometimes depend on people to get things done.
 Everybody likes to hear my stories. 	☐ Sometimes I tell good stories.
☐ I expect a great deal from other people.	☐ I like to do things for other people.
 I will never be satisfied until I get all that I deserve. 	☐ I take my satisfactions as they come.
☐ I like to be complimented.	Compliments embarrass me.
☐ I have a strong will to power.	Power for its own sake doesn't interest me.
☐ I like to start new fads and fashions.	 I don't care about new fads and fashions.
☐ I like to look at myself in the mirror.	 I am not particularly interested in looking at myself in the mirror.
☐ I really like to be the center of attention.	It makes me uncomfortable to be the center of attention.
☐ I can live my life in any way I want to.	People can't always live their lives in terms of what they want.
People always seem to recognize my authority.	 Being an authority doesn't mean that much to me.
☐ I would prefer to be a leader.	It makes little difference to me whether I am a leader or not.
☐ I am going to be a great person.	☐ I hope I am going to be successful.

 I can make anybody believe anything I want them to. 	People sometimes believe what I tell them.
☐ I am a born leader.	 Leadership is a quality that takes a long time to develop.
 I wish somebody would someday write my biography. 	 I don't like people to pry into my life for any reason.
 I get upset when people don't notice how I look when I go out in public. 	 I don't mind blending into the crowd when I go out in public.
☐ I am more capable than other people.	There is a lot that I can learn from other people.
☐ I am an extraordinary person.	☐ I am much like everybody else.
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Reflection Please share any thoughts, feelings, or experier	nces that arose while completing this test.

Healthcare Professional's Additional Notes and Recommendations		
Please provide any observations, potential areas for discussion, or recommendations for further exploration based on the patient's responses.		
Interpretation of Results		
A higher number of choices indicating narcissistic traits (left column) may suggest the presence of narcissistic tendencies or narcissistic personality disorder.		
However, this test is not a diagnostic tool for NPD, and a comprehensive assessment by a qualified mental health professional is necessary for an accurate diagnosis. The results of this test should be discussed with a mental health professional to understand their implications.		
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