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INSTRUMENT TITLE: Abuse Behavior Inventory

SOURCE ARTICLE: Zink, T., Klesges, L. M., Levin, L., & Putman, F. (2007). Abuse behavior inventory cutpoint, validity, and characterization of discrepancies. Journal of Interpersonal Violence, 22(7): 921-931.

POPULATION: women, African American, general population, patients

RESPONSE OPTIONS: (0) Never, (1) Rarely, (2) Occasionally, (3) Frequently, (4) Very frequently

SCORING: Total score formed by summing across items

SURVEY ITEMS: 29-items

[This instrument has already been formatted by the author. Please see attached.]

RELIABILITY INFORMATION: Cronbach's α = .92; Item correlation = .75

VALIDITY INFORMATION:

Convergent validity

- ABI & Conflict Tactics Scale-2
- Criterion-related validity

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• Sensitivity and Specificity: ABI & Conflict Tactics Scale-2

FACTOR ANALYSIS:

Factor analysis yielded 2 factors: Physical abuse Psychological abuse

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