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INSTRUMENT TITLE: VAS: Visual Analogue Scale (30-day)

SOURCE ARTICLE: Chaiyachati, K., Hirschhorn, L. R., Tanser, F., Newell, M. L., & Bärnighausen, T. (2011). Validating five questions of antiretroviral nonadherence in a public-sector treatment program in rural South Africa. *AIDS patient care and STDs*, 25(3), 163-170.

POPULATION: Women, men, HIV-positive, patients

RESPONSE OPTIONS: Place a cross on the line showing how many ART pills taken in the last month - ranged from 0% to 100%

SCORING: Less than 95% adherent = nonadherent

SURVEY ITEMS: “Please put a cross on the line below at the point showing your best guess about how many antiretroviral pills you have taken in the last month.”

RELIABILITY INFORMATION: No reliability information reported.

VALIDITY INFORMATION: Criterion-related validity assessed via comparison with viral load.

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