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SChool REfusal EvaluatioN (SCREEN) (SCREEN)

The SCREEN is a questionnaire designed for the early identification of anxious school refusal in middle school students. It makes it possible to identify at-risk situations and to quickly refer for a more in-depth assessment when necessary. It is quick to complete and aims to detect the problem both among the students themselves and through the parents' point of view.

Number of questions	18 questions
Estimated duration	5 minutes
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Target audience	Adolescents (middle school students)
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Preview of the 18 questions

I feel like I have a mental block when it comes to going to school, like I'm not able to do it.

Does not apply to me at all | Applies to me a little | Applies to me halfway | Applies to me quite well | Applies to me completely

I tell my parents that I do not want to go to school and that I want to stay at home.

Does not apply to me at all | Applies to me a little | Applies to me halfway | Applies to me quite well | Applies to me completely

I'm afraid of what others in my class think of me.

Does not apply to me at all | Applies to me a little | Applies to me halfway | Applies to me quite well | Applies to me completely

I'm absent more often this year than last year.

Does not apply to me at all | Applies to me a little | Applies to me halfway | Applies to me quite well | Applies to me completely

Scoring & interpretation

Each item is scored according to the frequency or intensity of the manifestations described. A cutoff score indicates a risk of anxious school refusal, which then warrants an in-depth clinical assessment.