

Instrument Title: Positive and Negative Quality in Marriage Scale (PANQIMS)

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The items for this scale appear below:

Items in the Positive and Negative Quality in Marriage Scale

Items Measuring Positive Quality in Marriage

1. Considering only the positive qualities of your spouse, *and ignoring the negative ones*, evaluate how positive these qualities are.
2. Considering only positive feelings you have towards your spouse, *and ignoring the negative ones*, evaluate how positive these feelings are.
3. Considering only good feelings you have about your marriage, *and ignoring the bad ones*, evaluate how good these feelings are.

Items Measuring Negative Quality in Marriage

4. Considering only the negative qualities of your spouse, *and ignoring the positive ones*, evaluate how negative these qualities are.
5. Considering only negative feelings you have towards your spouse, *and ignoring the positive ones*, evaluate how negative these feelings are.
6. Considering only bad feelings you have about your marriage, *and ignoring the good ones*, evaluate how bad these feelings are.

Items are rated on a scale that varies from 0 (Not at all) to 10 (Extremely)

Note positive and negative items should not appear together but should be separated by a number of intervening items !

