



# SCARED-5

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Please fill in the circle that best describes you over the past 3 months.

	Not True/Hardly Ever True 0	Sometimes True 1	Very True/ Often True 2
I get really frightened for no reason at all.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I am afraid to be alone in the house.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
People tell me that I worry too much.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I am scared to go to school.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I am shy.	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Thanks for completing this screening tool.

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Total scores of 3 or higher are considered positive screens.

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Birmaher B, Brent D, Chiapetta L, Bridge J, Monga S, Baugher M: Psychometric Properties of the Screen for Child Anxiety Emotional Disorders (SCARED): A Replication Study, J. Am. Acad. Child Adolesc. Psychiatry, 1999; 38(10): 1230-1236. Sensitivity is 74% and the specificity is 73%.