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ASRS Distribution Scale in the General Population Information

Some users of the ASRS have requested information describing the distribution of the scale in the general population. At the moment, the only distributional data that is available is from a clinical validation sub-sample of the NCSR dataset completed in 2003. We have weighted this subsample to be representative of the NCSR general population survey and presented results below. Additional data from an ongoing validation study in a primary care sample of adults will be available in late 2006.

Distributional Characteristics of the ASRS

Range	0-72
Mean	17.19
Standard Error	1.43
Median	17
Skewness	0.72
Kurtosis	2.74

Percentiles:

25 th	13
75 th	17
80 th	18
90 th	29
95 th	33

Values >95th Percentile:

34-54,57,60