Below you will find the Experienced Patient-Centeredness Questionnaire (EPAT-16) for inpatient settings.

Information on the development can be found at:

Christalle, E., Zeh, S., Hahlweg, P., Kriston, L., Härter, M., Zill, J., & Scholl, I. (2022). Development and content validity of the Experienced Patient-Centeredness Questionnaire (EPAT)—A best practice example for generating patient-reported measures from qualitative data. *Health Expectations*, *25*(4), 1529-1538.

Information on the psychometric review can be found at:

Christalle, E., Zeh, S., Führes H., Schellhorn A., Hahlweg P., Zill J., Härter M., Bokemeyer C., Gallinat J., Gebhardt C., Magnussen C., Müller V., Schmalstieg-Bahr K., Strahl A., Kriston L., Scholl I. Through the patients' eyes - Psychometric evaluation of the 64-item version of the Experienced Patient-Centeredness Questionnaire (EPAT-64). *medRxiv.* 2024:2024-03.

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You may use the EPAT as long as you name the authors and do not modify it.

The following modifications are explicitly permitted:

- The instruction on the following page is a sample instruction. You are free to adapt it.
- You are free to change the formatting as you wish.

Should you wish to adapt the EPAT beyond this, please contact Prof. Dr Isabelle Scholl at i.scholl@uke.de



Dear patient,

In this questionnaire, we kindly ask you to share **your experiences on this ward**. This survey offers us the opportunity to further enhance the treatment of our patients. Please support us by filling out the questionnaire carefully and completely.

Please fill out the questionnaire after your discharge.

Please keep in mind your experiences during your current stay on this ward while filling out the form. Please think about your entire stay: This means, for example, the admission, conversations with healthcare professionals, examinations, and treatments. The items in this questionnaire refer to the entire treatment team in this unit (including, for example, doctors, nurses, or physiotherapists). You can answer the questions by marking the appropriate checkboxes.

Answer the questions by marking the appropriate checkboxes. There are no right or wrong answers.

You also have the option to mark 'does not apply to me' if the situation did not occur.

	Completely	Strongly	Somewhat Somewhat		Strongly	Completely	Does not	
	agree	Agree	agree	disagree	disagree	disagree	apply to me	
When I had pain, I was helped quickly.							¦ 🗆	

If you did not experience any pain, please respond with 'does not apply to me'.

Please fill out the questionnaire **after your discharge**. When completing the questionnaire, **please consider your entire stay** on the ward where you received this questionnaire.

	Completely agree	Strongly Agree	Somewhat agree	Somewhat disagree	Strongly disagree	Completely disagree	Does not apply to me
The healthcare professionals were sensitive (for example they addressed my feelings, showed understanding, or empathized with my situation).							
I trusted my healthcare professionals.							
My wishes, needs and expectations were asked and taken into account in the treatment.							
My entire personal life was taken into account during the treatment (for example, job, family and friends, partnership and sexuality, culture and religion, age, or financial circumstances).						_	
I was given enough time to describe my concerns and my situation (for example, medical history or current symptoms).							
I was asked if I use or would like to use additional services (for example, support groups, counseling, health courses, complementary and alternative medicine, or spiritual support/pastoral care).							
The processes within the team were well organized.							
If I wanted to speak to a physician, they were easily accessible.							
It was discussed with me whether follow-up appointments would be useful (for example, for aftercare or further treatment).	0		0				
I was encouraged to speak up if I noticed inconsistencies in my treatment.							
I received information about my condition from my healthcare professionals (for example, causes, symptoms, effects or course).							
I was an equal partner with my healthcare professionals (for example, in making decisions or sharing information).							
I was informed about the options for involving my family members in the treatment (for example, accompanying to appointments, participating in conversations, or assisting with medication intake).	0						
I was encouraged to improve my health by changing my behavior (for example, through diet, exercise, reducing tobacco or alcohol).							
When I had pain, I was helped quickly.						_ ;	
The healthcare professionals addressed my fears and concerns (for example, by showing understanding and providing encouragement).							