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#	ARTICLE	IF	CITATIONS
1	A Meta-Analysis of the Relationship Between Spirituality and Quality of Life. <i>Social Indicators Research</i> , 2005, 72, 153-188.	1.4	224
2	An Integrative Review of the Concept of Spirituality in the Health Sciences. <i>Western Journal of Nursing Research</i> , 2004, 26, 405-428.	0.6	206
3	Conceptual foundations of a palliative approach: a knowledge synthesis. <i>BMC Palliative Care</i> , 2016, 15, 5.	0.8	112
4	Attributes of Spiritual Care in Nursing Practice. <i>Journal of Holistic Nursing</i> , 2005, 23, 19-33.	0.6	109
5	Conceptualising spirituality and religion for healthcare. <i>Journal of Clinical Nursing</i> , 2008, 17, 2803-2810.	1.4	93
6	Physical activity as a mediator of the impact of chronic conditions on quality of life in older adults. <i>Health and Quality of Life Outcomes</i> , 2007, 5, 68.	1.0	92
7	Measuring the quality of life of people at the end of life: The McGill Quality of Life Questionnaire—Revised. <i>Palliative Medicine</i> , 2017, 31, 120-129.	1.3	86
8	Stress and Depression in Students. <i>Nursing Research</i> , 2012, 61, 13-21.	0.8	85
9	Montreal Accord on Patient-Reported Outcomes (PROs) use series — Paper 3: patient-reported outcomes can facilitate shared decision-making and guide self-management. <i>Journal of Clinical Epidemiology</i> , 2017, 89, 125-135.	2.4	79
10	Measuring Compassion in Healthcare: A Comprehensive and Critical Review. <i>Patient</i> , 2017, 10, 389-405.	1.1	76
11	Impact of missing data on bias and precision when estimating change in patient-reported outcomes from a clinical registry. <i>Health and Quality of Life Outcomes</i> , 2019, 17, 106.	1.0	68
12	Particularizing the General. <i>Advances in Nursing Science</i> , 2014, 37, 5-18.	0.6	67
13	Revisiting patient satisfaction following total knee arthroplasty: a longitudinal observational study. <i>BMC Musculoskeletal Disorders</i> , 2018, 19, 423.	0.8	57
14	The importance of informational, clinical and personal support in patient experience with total knee replacement: a qualitative investigation. <i>BMC Musculoskeletal Disorders</i> , 2017, 18, 127.	0.8	54
15	Readability, suitability and comprehensibility in patient education materials for Swedish patients with colorectal cancer undergoing elective surgery: A mixed method design. <i>Patient Education and Counseling</i> , 2014, 94, 202-209.	1.0	50
16	Scoping review of response shift methods: current reporting practices and recommendations. <i>Quality of Life Research</i> , 2018, 27, 1133-1146.	1.5	48
17	Hospitable Hospitals in a Diverse Society: From Chaplains to Spiritual Care Providers. <i>Journal of Religion and Health</i> , 2012, 51, 825-836.	0.8	43
18	The privileged normalization of marijuana use — an analysis of Canadian newspaper reporting, 1997—2007. <i>Critical Public Health</i> , 2014, 24, 47-61.	1.4	43

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19	An Investigation of the Relationships Between Spirituality, Health Status and Quality of Life in Adolescents. <i>Applied Research in Quality of Life</i> , 2009, 4, 5-22.	1.4	40
20	Micro-Meso-Macro Practice Tensions in Using Patient-Reported Outcome and Experience Measures in Hospital Palliative Care. <i>Qualitative Health Research</i> , 2019, 29, 510-521.	1.0	38
21	Implications of response shift for micro-, meso-, and macro-level healthcare decision-making using results of patient-reported outcome measures. <i>Quality of Life Research</i> , 2021, 30, 3343-3357.	1.5	38
22	Self-reported physical and mental health status and quality of life in adolescents: a latent variable mediation model. <i>Health and Quality of Life Outcomes</i> , 2010, 8, 17.	1.0	37
23	Guidelines for secondary analysis in search of response shift. <i>Quality of Life Research</i> , 2013, 22, 2663-2673.	1.5	36
24	Personâ€centred care dialecticsâ€Inquired in the context of palliative care. <i>Nursing Philosophy</i> , 2017, 18, e12177.	0.9	36
25	Latent variable mixture models: a promising approach for the validation of patient reported outcomes. <i>Quality of Life Research</i> , 2012, 21, 637-650.	1.5	35
26	Sample Heterogeneity and the Measurement Structure of the Multidimensional Studentsâ€™ Life Satisfaction Scale. <i>Social Indicators Research</i> , 2009, 94, 273-296.	1.4	34
27	To describe or prescribe: assumptions underlying a prescriptive nursing process approach to spiritual care. <i>Nursing Inquiry</i> , 2006, 13, 127-134.	1.1	30
28	Relative importance measures for reprioritization response shift. <i>Quality of Life Research</i> , 2013, 22, 695-703.	1.5	29
29	Choosing your partner for the PROM: a review of evidence on patient-reported outcome measures for use in primary and community care. <i>Healthcare Policy</i> , 2014, 10, 38-51.	0.3	28
30	Particularizing spirituality in points of tension: enriching the discourse. <i>Nursing Inquiry</i> , 2009, 16, 337-346.	1.1	27
31	Montreal Accord on Patient-Reported Outcomes (PROs) use seriesâ€Paper 7: modern perspectives of measurement validation emphasize justification of inferences based on patient reported outcome scores. <i>Journal of Clinical Epidemiology</i> , 2017, 89, 154-159.	2.4	27
32	Embedding a Palliative Approach in Nursing Care Delivery. <i>Advances in Nursing Science</i> , 2017, 40, 263-279.	0.6	26
33	Choosing Your Partner for the PROM: A Review of Evidence on Patient-Reported Outcome Measures for Use in Primary and Community Care. <i>Healthcare Policy</i> , 2014, 10, 38-51.	0.3	25
34	Sacred spaces in public places: religious and spiritual plurality in health care. <i>Nursing Inquiry</i> , 2012, 19, 202-212.	1.1	24
35	Minimal evidence of response shift in the absence of a catalyst. <i>Quality of Life Research</i> , 2014, 23, 2421-2430.	1.5	24
36	Discourses of spirituality and leadership in nursing: a mixed methods analysis. <i>Journal of Nursing Management</i> , 2012, 20, n/a-n/a.	1.4	23

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37	Educating Nurses for Palliative Care. <i>Journal of Hospice and Palliative Nursing</i> , 2014, 16, 47-54.	0.5	20
38	“Close to” a palliative approach: nurses' and care aides' descriptions of caring for people with advancing chronic life-limiting conditions. <i>Journal of Clinical Nursing</i> , 2016, 25, 2189-2199.	1.4	20
39	Design and introduction of a quality of life assessment and practice support system: perspectives from palliative care settings. <i>Journal of Patient-Reported Outcomes</i> , 2018, 2, 36.	0.9	20
40	Bereaved family members' perceptions of the quality of end-of-life care across four types of inpatient care settings. <i>BMC Palliative Care</i> , 2017, 16, 59.	0.8	19
41	Critical examination of current response shift methods and proposal for advancing new methods. <i>Quality of Life Research</i> , 2021, 30, 3325-3342.	1.5	19
42	Symptom Distress Profiles in Hospitalized Patients in Sweden: A Cross-Sectional Study. <i>Research in Nursing and Health</i> , 2014, 37, 512-523.	0.8	18
43	More comprehensively measuring quality of life in life-threatening illness: the McGill Quality of Life Questionnaire – Expanded. <i>BMC Palliative Care</i> , 2019, 18, 92.	0.8	18
44	Cognitive subgroups in first episode bipolar I disorder: Relation to clinical and brain volumetric variables. <i>Acta Psychiatrica Scandinavica</i> , 2021, 143, 151-161.	2.2	18
45	Improving the quality of person-centred healthcare from the patient perspective: development of person-centred quality indicators. <i>BMJ Open</i> , 2020, 10, e037323.	0.8	17
46	Innovation in Community Clinical Placements: A Canadian Survey. <i>International Journal of Nursing Education Scholarship</i> , 2009, 6, Article28.	0.4	16
47	Psychometric Evaluation of Two Appetite Questionnaires in Patients With Heart Failure. <i>Journal of Cardiac Failure</i> , 2015, 21, 954-958.	0.7	16
48	Unravelling the Tensions Between Chronic Disease Management and End-of-Life Planning. <i>Research and Theory for Nursing Practice</i> , 2016, 30, 91-103.	0.2	16
49	Relationship Between Types of Social Support, Coping Strategies, and Psychological Distress in Individuals Living With Congenital Heart Disease. <i>Journal of Cardiovascular Nursing</i> , 2019, 34, 76-84.	0.6	16
50	Growth mixture models: a case example of the longitudinal analysis of patient-reported outcomes data captured by a clinical registry. <i>BMC Medical Research Methodology</i> , 2021, 21, 79.	1.4	16
51	Differential Item Functioning in the SF-36 Physical Functioning and Mental Health Sub-Scales: A Population-Based Investigation in the Canadian Multicentre Osteoporosis Study. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2016, 11, e0151519.	1.1	15
52	Response shift and disease activity in inflammatory bowel disease. <i>Quality of Life Research</i> , 2016, 25, 1751-1760.	1.5	14
53	Examining gender-related differential item functioning of the Veterans Rand 12-item Health Survey. <i>Quality of Life Research</i> , 2017, 26, 2877-2883.	1.5	14
54	Strategies for incorporating patient-reported outcomes in the care of people with chronic kidney disease (PRO kidney): a protocol for a realist synthesis. <i>Systematic Reviews</i> , 2019, 8, 20.	2.5	14

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55	Using Patient- and Family-Reported Outcome and Experience Measures Across Transitions of Care for Frail Older Adults Living at Home: A Meta-Narrative Synthesis. <i>Gerontologist</i> , The, 2021, 61, e23-e38.	2.3	14
56	Exploration of dynamics in a complex person-centred intervention process based on health professionals' perspectives. <i>BMC Health Services Research</i> , 2018, 18, 441.	0.9	13
57	Relational use of an electronic quality of life and practice support system in hospital palliative consult care: A pilot study. <i>Palliative and Supportive Care</i> , 2019, 17, 208-213.	0.6	13
58	Challenges of evaluating a computer-based educational programme for women diagnosed with early-stage breast cancer: a randomised controlled trial. <i>European Journal of Cancer Care</i> , 2017, 26, e12534.	0.7	12
59	Centredness in health care: A systematic overview of reviews. <i>Health Expectations</i> , 2022, 25, 885-901.	1.1	12
60	Palliative approach education for rural nurses and health-care workers: a mixed-method study. <i>International Journal of Palliative Nursing</i> , 2015, 21, 142-151.	0.2	11
61	Latent variable mixture models to test for differential item functioning: a population-based analysis. <i>Health and Quality of Life Outcomes</i> , 2017, 15, 102.	1.0	11
62	Patient-centred care in haemophilia: Patient perspectives on visualization and participation in decision-making. <i>Haemophilia</i> , 2019, 25, 938-945.	1.0	11
63	Preparedness for colorectal cancer surgery and recovery through a person-centred information and communication intervention – A quasi-experimental longitudinal design. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2019, 14, e0225816.	1.1	11
64	Response shift in results of patient-reported outcome measures: a commentary to The Response Shift in Sync Working Group initiative. <i>Quality of Life Research</i> , 2021, 30, 3299-3308.	1.5	11
65	Variations in Care Quality Outcomes of Dying People: Latent Class Analysis of an Adult National Register Population. <i>Journal of Pain and Symptom Management</i> , 2017, 53, 13-24.	0.6	10
66	Swedish Version of the Distress Thermometer: Validity Evidence in Patients With Colorectal Cancer. <i>Journal of the National Comprehensive Cancer Network: JNCCN</i> , 2018, 16, 959-966.	2.3	10
67	Interpretation and use of patient-reported outcome measures through a philosophical lens. <i>Quality of Life Research</i> , 2019, 28, 629-636.	1.5	10
68	Measuring quality of life in life-threatening illness – content validity and response processes of MQOL-E and QOLLI-F in Swedish patients and family carers. <i>BMC Palliative Care</i> , 2020, 19, 40.	0.8	10
69	Development and Pretesting of a New Functional-Based Health Literacy Measurement Tool for Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease (COPD) and Asthma Management. <i>International Journal of COPD</i> , 2020, Volume 15, 613-625.	0.9	10
70	Differential item functioning of the SF-12 in a population-based regional joint replacement registry. <i>Health and Quality of Life Outcomes</i> , 2019, 17, 114.	1.0	9
71	Self-Perceived Competence of Nurses and Care Aides Providing a Palliative Approach in Home, Hospital, and Residential Care Settings: A Cross-Sectional Survey. <i>Canadian Journal of Nursing Research</i> , 2021, 53, 64-77.	0.6	9
72	An Evidence-Based Theory About PRO Use in Kidney Care: A Realist Synthesis. <i>Patient</i> , 2022, 15, 21-38.	1.1	9

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73	Longitudinal Change in Response Processes: A Response Shift Perspective. <i>Social Indicators Research Series</i> , 2017, , 251-276.	0.3	9
74	Minimal impact of response shift for SF-12 mental and physical health status in homeless and vulnerably housed individuals: an item-level multi-group analysis. <i>Quality of Life Research</i> , 2017, 26, 1463-1472.	1.5	8
75	The use of latent variable mixture models to identify invariant items in test construction. <i>Quality of Life Research</i> , 2018, 27, 1745-1755.	1.5	8
76	Symptom relief during last week of life in neurological diseases. <i>Brain and Behavior</i> , 2019, 9, e01348.	1.0	8
77	Divergent Perspectives on the Use of the Edmonton Symptom Assessment System (Revised) in Palliative Care. <i>Journal of Hospice and Palliative Nursing</i> , 2020, 22, 75-81.	0.5	7
78	Quality of Life in Epilepsy: Same questions, but different meaning to different people. <i>Epilepsia</i> , 2021, 62, 2094-2102.	2.6	7
79	Sex Is Associated With Differences in Individual Trajectories of Change in Social Health After Implantable Cardioverter-Defibrillator. <i>Circulation: Cardiovascular Quality and Outcomes</i> , 2015, 8, S21-30.	0.9	6
80	An Integrated Framework to Conceptualize and Develop the Vancouver Airways Health Literacy Tool (VAHLT). <i>International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health</i> , 2021, 18, 8646.	1.2	6
81	Relating person-centredness to quality-of-life assessments and patient-reported outcomes in healthcare: A critical theoretical discussion. <i>Nursing Philosophy</i> , 2022, 23, e12391.	0.9	6
82	Longitudinal person-centered measurement: A psychometric evaluation of the Preparedness for Colorectal Cancer Surgery Questionnaire (PCSQ). <i>Patient Education and Counseling</i> , 2017, 100, 827-835.	1.0	5
83	A systematic review of the quality of reporting of simulation studies about methods for the analysis of complex longitudinal patient-reported outcomes data. <i>Quality of Life Research</i> , 2018, 27, 2507-2516.	1.5	5
84	Interrelatedness of Distress Among Chinese-Speaking Patients and Family Caregivers. <i>Cancer Nursing</i> , 2019, 42, 439-447.	0.7	5
85	Progress in response-shift research needs diverse approaches. <i>Quality of Life Research</i> , 2021, 30, 3365-3366.	1.5	5
86	Distinguishing symptom patterns in adults newly diagnosed with cancer: a latent class analysis. <i>Journal of Pain and Symptom Management</i> , 2022, 64, 146-155.	0.6	5
87	Patient-Reported Outcomes Measurement in Radiation Oncology: Interpretation of Individual Scores and Change over Time in Clinical Practice. <i>Current Oncology</i> , 2022, 29, 3093-3103.	0.9	5
88	Commentary on Paley J (2009) Religion and the secularisation of health care. <i>Journal of Clinical Nursing</i> 18, 1963-1974. <i>Journal of Clinical Nursing</i> , 2009, 18, 2245-2246.	1.4	4
89	Understanding the Landscape: Promoting Health for Rural Individuals After Tertiary Level Cardiac Revascularization. <i>Journal of Rural Health</i> , 2013, 29, 88-96.	1.6	4
90	A research agenda to improve patients' experience of knee replacement surgery: a patient-oriented modified Delphi study of patients of South Asian origin in British Columbia. <i>CMAJ Open</i> , 2020, 8, E226-E233.	1.1	4

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91	Measuring Health Status in Long-Term Residential Care: Adapting the Veterans RAND 12 Item Health Survey (VR-12®). <i>Clinical Gerontologist</i> , 2022, 45, 562-574.	1.2	4
92	Patient-reported outcomes and the identification of subgroups of atrial fibrillation patients: a retrospective cohort study of linked clinical registry and administrative data. <i>Quality of Life Research</i> , 2021, 30, 1547-1559.	1.5	4
93	Quality of Life Assessment in Palliative Care. , 2021, , 189-198.		4
94	Valuation of Lost Productivity in Caregivers: A Validation Study. <i>Frontiers in Psychology</i> , 2021, 12, 727871.	1.1	4
95	The Accuracy of Computerized Adaptive Testing in Heterogeneous Populations: A Mixture Item-Response Theory Analysis. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2016, 11, e0150563.	1.1	4
96	Toward an Explanation of Observed Ethnic Differences in Youths' Tobacco Use. <i>Journal of Ethnicity in Substance Abuse</i> , 2008, 6, 95-112.	0.6	3
97	“The Elephant on the Table”™: Religious and Ethnic Diversity in Home Health Services. <i>Journal of Religion and Health</i> , 2019, 58, 908-925.	0.8	3
98	A computer-assisted approach to filtering large numbers of documents for media analyses. <i>International Journal of Social Research Methodology: Theory and Practice</i> , 2013, 16, 13-30.	2.3	2
99	Program Assessment Framework for a Rural Palliative Supportive Service. <i>Palliative Care</i> , 2013, 7, PCRT.S11908.	2.6	2
100	Challenges When Translating and Culturally Adapting a Measurement Instrument: The Suitability and Comprehensibility of Materials (SAM+CAM). <i>Global Qualitative Nursing Research</i> , 2018, 5, 233339361880738.	0.7	2
101	Relating response shift and cognitive appraisal to measurement validation. <i>Quality of Life Research</i> , 2019, 28, 2633-2634.	1.5	2
102	Methods for dealing with unequal cluster sizes in cluster randomized trials: A scoping review. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2021, 16, e0255389.	1.1	2
103	Knowledge translation resources to support the use of quality of life assessment tools for the care of older adults living at home and their family caregivers. <i>Quality of Life Research</i> , 2022, 31, 1727-1747.	1.5	2
104	Purposeful Agency in Support Seeking During Cancer Treatment From a Person-Centered Perspective. <i>Global Qualitative Nursing Research</i> , 2016, 3, 233339361663067.	0.7	1
105	Patient-Reported Outcomes in Clinical Kidney Practice: Development of Education Sessions for Clinicians. <i>Journal of Pain and Symptom Management</i> , 2018, 56, e83.	0.6	1
106	Peer-facilitated Public Sessions as a Strategy to Increase Engagement in Advance Care Planning in British Columbia. <i>Journal of Pain and Symptom Management</i> , 2018, 56, e20.	0.6	1
107	Improving the quality of person-centred healthcare from the patient perspective: development of person-centred quality indicators. <i>BMJ Open</i> , 2020, 10, e037323.	0.8	1
108	Foreword to the ARQOL Special Edition on Religion/Spirituality and Quality of Life. <i>Applied Research in Quality of Life</i> , 2009, 4, 1-3.	1.4	0

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109	RF1-B Experiences of Integrating Electronic Assessments Within Tertiary Palliative Care: Use of the Quality of Life Assessment and Practice Support System (QPSS). <i>Journal of Pain and Symptom Management</i> , 2016, 52, e5-e6.	0.6	0
110	P128 Desirable Features of a Quality of Life Assessment and Practice Support System (QPSS) in Palliative Acute and Home Care. <i>Journal of Pain and Symptom Management</i> , 2016, 52, e99.	0.6	0
111	Erratum to "Psychometric Evaluation of Two Appetite Questionnaires in Patients With Heart Failure" • <i>Journal of Cardiac Failure</i> Vol. 21 No. 12 December 2015, pp 954-958. <i>Journal of Cardiac Failure</i> , 2016, 22, 245.	0.7	0
112	Bruno Zumbo: a Pioneer in the Psychometrics of Quality of Life. <i>Applied Research in Quality of Life</i> , 2019, 14, 567-569.	1.4	0
113	An economic valuation technique identified different inpatient care experience as priorities for older Canadians than a traditional approach. <i>Journal of Clinical Epidemiology</i> , 2021, 139, 1-11.	2.4	0
114	Accuracy of mixture item response theory models for identifying sample heterogeneity in patient-reported outcomes: a simulation study. <i>Quality of Life Research</i> , 0, , .	1.5	0