Description of Friends’ Differentiate of Self Inventory: Fusion with Others Scale

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| Function | Social support, other-centered, self-impression |
| Relevance | External evaluation, social desirability, dependence |
| Target | Medical Social Service |
| Respondent | Adults |
| Feature | 5 items in 6-point rating scale |
| Reliability | .759 |
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Scoring of Friends’ Differentiate of Self Inventory: Fusion with Others Scale

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| Response | Not at all true | Not true | Somewhat not true | Somewhat true | True | Very true |
| Score for Items 1-5 | 0 | 20 | 40 | 60 | 80 | 100 |

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| Scale score: average of item scores | Action |
| 70-100 | Great concern for intervention |
| 30-70 | Some concern for intervention |
| 0-30 | Appreciation |