

Psycho-demographic study of anxiety in Egypt : The first application of PSE in its Arabic Version

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This study is considered the first attempt to study the socio-demographic aspects of anxiety disorders in Egypt and to apply the Arabic Version of PSE in evaluating the profiles of clusters and symptoms of anxiety in a sample of 130 anxiety patients. Chi-square tests were applied and showed a significant difference in some presentations between males and females, illiterate and educated groups as well as between exposed to mild and severe crowding. Structured interview like PSE will help in transcultural comparisons of clinical psychiatric disorders.