ANNEXURE VII

Eysenck's Personality Questionnaire (EPQ)
(Modified at NIMHANS Bangalore)

PERSONALITY QUESTIONNAIRE

Instructions

Please answer each question by putting a circle around the "yes" or the "No" following the question. There are no right or wrong answers, and no trick questions. Work quickly and do not think too long about the exact meaning of the question.

Please remember to answer each question

1. Do you have many different hobbies? Yes/No
2. Do you stop to give much thought before doing anything? Yes/No
3. Does your mood often go up and down? Yes/No
4. Have you ever taken the praise for something you knew someone else had really done? Yes/No
5. Are you a talkative person? Yes/No
6. Would being in debt (owing things or money to others) worry you? Yes/No
7. Do you ever feel 'Just miserable' for no reason? Yes/No
8. Were you ever greedy by taking for yourself anything which was more than your share? Yes/No
9. Do you lock up your house carefully at night? Yes/No
10. Are you rather lively (gay; jolly and full of energy)? Yes/No
11. Would it upset you a lot to see a child or an animal suffer? Yes/No
12. Do you often worry about things you should not have done or said? Yes/No
13. If you say you will do something, do you always keep your promise no matter how inconvenient it might be?  
   Yes/No

14. Would you enjoy parachute jumping?  
   Yes/No

15. Can you usually feel free and relaxed and enjoy yourself at a lively party?  
   Yes/No

16. Are you an irritable person?  
   Yes/No

17. Have you ever blamed someone for doing something you knew was really your fault?  
   Yes/No

18. Do you enjoy meeting new people?  
   Yes/No

19. Do you believe insurance schemes are a good idea?  
   Yes/No

20. Are your feelings easily hurt?  
   Yes/No

21. Are all your habits good and desirable ones?  
   Yes/No

22. Do you tend to keep in the background on social occasions?  
   Yes/No

23. Would you take drugs which may have strange or dangerous effects?  
   Yes/No

24. Do you often feel 'fed up'?  
   Yes/No

25. Have you taken anything (even a pin or button) ever that belonged to someone else?  
   Yes/No

26. Do you like going out a lot?  
   Yes/No

27. Do you enjoy hurting people you love?  
   Yes/No

28. Are you often troubled about feelings of guilt?  
   Yes/No

29. Do you sometimes talk about things you know nothing about?  
   Yes/No

30. Do you prefer reading more than meeting people?  
   Yes/No

31. Do you have enemies who want to harm you?  
   Yes/No
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<td>Would you call yourself a nervous person?</td>
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<td>Do you always say you are sorry when you have been rude?</td>
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<td>Do you have many friends?</td>
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<td>Do you enjoy practical jokes that can sometimes really hurt people?</td>
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<td>Are you a worrier?</td>
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<td>As a child did you do as you were told immediately and without grumbling?</td>
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<td>Would you consider yourself an easy going person who takes life and things as they come?</td>
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<td>Do good manners and cleanliness matter much to you?</td>
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<td>Do you worry about awful things that might happen?</td>
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<td>Have you ever broken or lost something belonging to someone else?</td>
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<td>Do you usually take the lead in making new friends?</td>
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<td>43.</td>
<td>Can you easily understand the way people feel when they tell you their troubles?</td>
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<td>Would you call yourself tense or &quot;Highly strung&quot;?</td>
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<td>Do you throw waste paper on the floor when there is no waste paper basket handy?</td>
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<td>Are you mostly quiet when you are with other people?</td>
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<td>Do you think marriage is old-fashioned and should be discarded?</td>
<td>Yes/No</td>
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<td>Do you feel self pity now and again?</td>
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<td>Do you sometimes boast a little?</td>
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<td>Can you easily make a dull party turn into a gay one?</td>
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51. Do people who drive careful annoy (irritate) you? 
   Yes/No

52. Do you worry about your health? 
   Yes/No

53. Have you ever said anything bad or nasty about anyone? 
   Yes/No

54. Do you like telling jokes and funny stories to your friends? 
   Yes/No

55. Do you sometimes sulk (become passively angry)? 
   Yes/No

56. Do most things you eat taste the same to you? 
   Yes/No

57. As a child were you ever arrogant to your parents? 
   Yes/No

58. Do you like mixing with people? 
   Yes/No

59. Does it worry you if you know there are mistakes in your work? 
   Yes/No

60. Do you suffer from sleeplessness? 
   Yes/No

61. Do you always wash before a meal? 
   Yes/No

62. Do you nearly always have a "ready answer" when people talk to you? 
   Yes/No

63. Do you like to arrive at appointments much before time? 
   Yes/No

64. Have you often felt tired and uninterested for no reason? 
   Yes/No

65. Have you ever cheated at a game? 
   Yes/No

66. Do you like doing things in which you have to act quickly? 
   Yes/No

67. Is (or was) your mother a good woman? 
   Yes/No

68. Do you often feel life is very dull? 
   Yes/No

69. Have you ever taken undue advantage of someone? 
   Yes/No
70. Do you often take on more activities than you have time for?  Yes/No
71. Are there several people who keep trying to avoid you?  Yes/No
72. Do you worry a lot about your books?  Yes/No
73. Are you always polite even to unpleasant people?  Yes/No
74. Do you think people spend too much time safeguarding their future with savings and insurances?  Yes/No
75. Have you ever wished that you were dead?  Yes/No
76. Would you avoid paying taxes if you were sure you could never be found out?  Yes/No
77. Can you make a party more entertaining and enjoyable?  Yes/No
78. Do you try not to be rude to people?  Yes/No
79. Do you worry too long after an embarrassing (uneasy) experience?  Yes/No
80. Have you ever insisted on having your own way?  Yes/No
81. When you catch a train do you often arrive at the last minute?  Yes/No
82. Do you suffer from "nerves"?  Yes/No
83. Have you ever deliberately said something to hurt someone's feelings?  Yes/No
84. Do you hate being with a crown who plays harmless jokes on one another?  Yes/No
85. Do your friendships breakup easily without it being your fault?  Yes/No
86. Do you often feel lonely?  Yes/No
87. Do you always practice what you preach?  Yes/No
88. Do you sometimes like teasing animals?  Yes/No
89. Are you easily hurt when people find fault with you or the work you do?  
Yes/No

90. Would life without any risks (danger) be too dull for you?  
Yes/No

91. Have you ever been late for an appointment or work?  
Yes/No

92. Do you like plenty of noisy activity and excitement around you?  
Yes/No

93. Would you like other people to be afraid of you?  
Yes/No

94. Are you sometimes bubbling over with energy and sometimes very lazy and lethargic?  
Yes/No

95. Do you sometimes put off until tomorrow what you ought to do today?  
Yes/No

96. Do other people think of you as being very gay and energetic?  
Yes/No

97. Do people tell you a lot of lies?  
Yes/No

98. Are you sensitive and irritable (easily become angry) about something?  
Yes/No

99. Are you always willing to admit it when you have made a mistake?  
Yes/No

100. Would you feel very sorry for an animal caught in a trap?  
Yes/No

101. Did you mind filling in this form?  
Yes/No