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List of Publications by Year
in descending order

104 papers	6,518 citations	159585 30 h-index	74163 75 g-index
109 all docs	109 docs citations	109 times ranked	7583 citing authors

#	Article	IF	Citations
1	The WHO-5 Well-Being Index: A Systematic Review of the Literature. Psychotherapy and Psychosomatics, 2015, 84, 167-176.	8.8	2,459
2	Measuring well‐being rather than the absence of distress symptoms: a comparison of the SF‐36 Mental Health subscale and the WHO‐Five well‐being scale. International Journal of Methods in Psychiatric Research, 2003, 12, 85-91.	2.1	751
3	Reliability and validity of the Japanese version of the World Health Organization‐Five Well‐Being Index in the context of detecting depression in diabetic patients. Psychiatry and Clinical Neurosciences, 2007, 61, 112-119.	1.8	197
4	A Double-Blind, Placebo-Controlled Study of Sertraline in the Prevention of Depression in Stroke Patients. Psychosomatics, 2003, 44, 216-221.	2.5	189
5	Rating Scales for Psychopathology, Health Status and Quality of Life. , 1993, , .		170
6	Mental Pain and Suicide: A Systematic Review of the Literature. Frontiers in Psychiatry, 2016, 7, 108.	2.6	169
7	The Concept of Euthymia. Psychotherapy and Psychosomatics, 2016, 85, 1-5.	8.8	158
8	Psychometric evaluation of the Major Depression Inventory (MDI) as depression severity scale using the LEAD (Longitudinal Expert Assessment of All Data) as index of validity. BMC Psychiatry, 2015, 15, 190.	2.6	126
9	The construct validity of the Perceived Stress Scale. Journal of Psychosomatic Research, 2016, 84, 22-30.	2.6	114
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13	The Bech-Rafaelsen Mania Scale in Clinical Trials of Therapies for Bipolar Disorder. CNS Drugs, 2002, 16, 47-63.	5.9	82
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18	A clinimetric analysis of the Hopkins Symptom Checklist (SCL-90-R) in general population studies (Denmark, Norway, and Italy). Nordic Journal of Psychiatry, 2016, 70, 374-379.	1.3	59

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19	Preferred Place of Care and Death in Terminally Ill Patients with Lung and Heart Disease Compared to Cancer Patients. Journal of Palliative Medicine, 2017, 20, 1217-1224.	1.1	54
20	Psychosocial predictors of treatment outcome for trauma-affected refugees. Hȧgre Utbildning, 2016, 7, 30907.	3.0	51
21	Dose–response relationship of duloxetine in placebo-controlled clinical trials in patients with major depressive disorder. Psychopharmacology, 2006, 188, 273-280.	3.1	50
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25	The Validity of the Different Versions of the Hamilton Depression Scale in Separating Remission Rates of Placebo and Antidepressants in Clinical Trials of Major Depression. Journal of Clinical Psychopharmacology, 2016, 36, 453-456.	1.4	39
26	Treatment of trauma-affected refugees with venlafaxine versus sertraline combined with psychotherapy - a randomised study. BMC Psychiatry, 2016, 16, 383.	2.6	39
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37	The responsiveness of the different versions of the <scp>H</scp>amilton Depression Scale. World Psychiatry, 2015, 14, 309-310.	10.4	25
38	The Validity and Sensitivity of PANSS-6 in the Clinical Antipsychotic Trials of Intervention Effectiveness (CATIE) Study. Schizophrenia Bulletin, 2018, 44, 453-462.	4.3	25
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64	The Diagnostic Apathia Scale predicts a dose–remission relationship of T-PEMF in treatment-resistant depression. Acta Neuropsychiatrica, 2015, 27, 1-7.	2.1	9
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87	Modern Psychometric Approaches to Analysis of Scales for Health-Related Quality of Life. , 2016, , 103-120.		2
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89	Health-Related Quality of Life. Annals of Medicine, 1993, 25, 103-104.	3.8	1
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