## SOCIAL READJUSTMENT RATING SCALE\*

## Circle YES or NO to each event that has happened to you in the past year. Total up the number of questions answered yes.

<u>Life Event</u> Death of spouse	Answer YES	NO	Point Value 100	<u>Score</u>
Divorce	YES	NO	73	
Marital separation	YES	NO	65	
Jail term	YES	NO	63	
Death of close family member	YES	NO	63	
Personal injury or illness	YES	NO	53	
Marriage	YES	NO	50	
Fired from work	YES	NO	47	
Marital reconciliation	YES	NO	45	
Retirement	YES	NO	45	
Change in family members health	YES	NO	44	
Pregnancy	YES	NO	40	
Sex difficulties	YES	NO	39	
Addition to family	YES	NO	39	
Business readjustment	YES	NO	39	
Change in financial status	YES	NO	38	
Death of close friend	YES	NO	37	
Change in line of work	YES	NO	36	
Change in # of marital arguments	YES	NO	35	
Mortgage or loan over \$250,000	YES	NO	31	

Foreclosure of mortgage or loan	YES	NO	30	
Change in work responsibilities	YES	NO	29	
Son or daughter leaving home	YES	NO	29	
Trouble with in-laws	YES	NO	29	
Outstanding personal achievement	YES	NO	28	
Spouse begins or stops work	YES	NO	26	
Starting or finishing school	YES	NO	26	
Change in living conditions	YES	NO	25	
Revision of personal habits	YES	NO	24	
Trouble with boss	YES	NO	23	
Change in work hours, conditions	YES	NO	20	
Change in residence	YES	NO	20	
Change in schools	YES	NO	20	
Change in recreational habits	YES	NO	19	
Change in church activities	YES	NO	18	
Mortgage or loan under \$250,000	YES	NO	18	
Change in sleeping habits	YES	NO	16	
Change in # of family gatherings	YES	NO	15	
Change in eating habits	YES	NO	15	
Vacation	YES	NO	13	
Christmas season	YES	NO	12	
Minor violation of the law	YES	NO	11	

Total	Score:	
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150 or less: 37% chance of illness within the next two years.

151-299: 50% chance of illness within the next two years.

300 or above: 80% chance of illness within the next two years.

<sup>\*</sup> Holmes, TH and Rahe, RH Booklet for Schedule of Recent Experience (SRE) Seattle, University of Washington, 1967