

Translation and Validation of Tennessee Self Concept Scale

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Self-concept is the set of perceptions that an individual has about oneself. It is the set of characteristics, attributes, qualities and deficiencies, capacities, limits, values and relationships that a person knows to be descriptive of oneself and his/her identity. The present study aims to translate English version of Tennessee Self Concept Scale (TSCS: 2) into Urdu language and to assess its reliability. Urdu version and the original English version of TSCS: 2 were administered on bilingual participants ($N = 220$) including an equal number of boys ($n = 110$) and girls ($n = 110$). Reliability of both versions was assessed by computing Cronbach alpha coefficients and test retest reliability. Results of Item total correlations and alpha coefficients suggest that Urdu version of TSCS can be used as a valid and reliable measure for assessment of self concept in Pakistan.

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