Sexual Behavioral System Subgoals Questionnaire (SBSS)

Please use the following scale to indicate your degree of agreement or disagreement with each of the numbered statements below:

Totally Totally Disagree Agree Many people feel intense sexual need or desire almost all the time. Having sex can bring me to a state of ecstasy. 3. I feel bored while having sex. 4. Sexual intercourse is great fun. 5. I have sometimes initiated romantic relationships by having sex. 6. Sex is a major source of pleasure in my life. 7. Having sex helps me maintain a romantic relationship. Without adequate sex, a romantic relationship is likely to deteriorate. 9. I feel indifferent or apathetic during sexual activity. 10. Having sex often leaves me frustrated, both physically and emotionally. 11. I've had no difficulty using sex to establish romantic relationships. 12. I have gotten involved in relationships in order to have sex. 13. Sexual intercourse maintains partners' interest in their relationship. 14. Having sex helps me feel secure in a relationship. 15. It's difficult for me to enjoy sexual intercourse. 16. Having sex is way to begin romantic relationships. 17. In my experience, sexual intercourse has been a good foundation on which to build a relationship. 18. Sexual attraction is a necessity for maintaining a long-term relationship.