Food Choice Questionnaire (Steptoe et al., 1995)

*Revised to include only some dimensions. Missing: convenience, price, ethical concern

It is important to me that the food I eat on a typical day...

[Health]

Contains a lot of vitamins and minerals

Keeps me healthy

Is nutritious

Is high in protein

Is good for my skin/teeth/hair/nails etc

Is high in fibre

[Mood]

Helps me cope with stress

Helps me cope with life

Helps me relax

Keeps me awake/alert

Cheers me up

Makes me feel good

[Sensory Appeal]

Smells nice

Looks nice

Has a pleasant texture

Tastes good

[Natural Content]

Contains no additives

Contains natural ingredients

Contains no artificial ingredients

[Weight Control]

Is low in calories

Helps me control my weight

Is low in fat

[Familiarity]

Is what I usually eat

Is familiar

Is like the food I ate when I was a child

(1) Not at all important (2) A little important (3) Moderately important (4) Very important (

The Eating Motivation Survey – Brief (Renner et al., 2012)

*Revised to include only some dimensions. Missing: convenience, traditional eating, sociability, price, visual appeal, social norms, social image

I eat what I eat...

[Liking]

Because I have an appetite for it Because it tastes good Because I like it

[Habits]

Because I am accustomed to eating it Because I usually eat it Because I am familiar with it

[Need & Hunger]
Because I need energy
Because it is filling
Because I'm hungry

[Health]

To maintain a balanced diet Because it is healthy Because it keeps me in shape

[Pleasure]

Because I enjoy it In order to indulge myself In order to reward myself

[Natural Concerns]
Because it is natural
Because it contains no harmful substances
Because it is organic

[Weight Control]
Because it is low in calories
Because I watch my weight
Because it is low in fat

[Affect Regulation] Because I am sad Because I am frustrated Because I feel lonely

The Three-Factor Eating Questionnaire Revised 21-Item (TFEQ-R21) (Stunkard & Messick, 1985)

- 1. I deliberately take small helpings to control my weight.
- 2. I start to eat when I feel anxious.
- 3. Sometimes when I start eating, I just can't seem to stop.
- 4. When I feel sad, I often eat too much.
- 5. I don't eat some foods because they make me fat.
- 6. Being with someone who is eating, often makes me want to also eat.
- 7. When I feel tense or "wound up", I often feel I need to eat.
- 8. I often get so hungry that my stomach feels like a bottomless pit
- 9. I'm always so hungry that it's hard for me to stop eating before finishing all of the food on my plate.
- 10. When I feel lonely, I console myself by eating.
- 11. I consciously hold back on how much I eat at meals to keep from gaining weight.
- 12. When I smell a sizzling steak or see a juicy piece of meat, I find it very difficult to keep from eating even if I've just finished a meal.
- 13. I'm always hungry enough to eat at any time.
- 14. If I feel nervous, I try to calm down by eating.
- 15. When I see something that looks very delicious, I often get so hungry that I have to eat right away.
- 16. When I feel depressed, I want to eat.
- Q1-16: (1) Definitely true, (2) Mostly true, (3) Mostly false, (4) Definitely false
- 17. How often do you avoid "stocking up" on tempting foods?
- (1) Almost never, (2) Seldom, (3) Usually, (4) Almost always
- 18. How likely are you to make an effort to eat less than you want?
- (1) Unlikely, (2) A little likely, (3) Somewhat likely, (4) Very likely.
- 19. Do you go on eating binges even though you're not hungry?
- (1) Never, (2) Rarely, (3) Sometimes, (4) At least once a week
- 20. How often do you feel hungry?
- (1) Only at mealtimes, (2) Sometimes between meals (3) Often between meals (4) Almost always
- 21. On a scale from 1 to 8, where 1 means no restraint in eating and 8 means total restraint, what number would you give yourself?

Mark the number that best applies to you: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8.

The **uncontrolled eating domain** was composed of items 3, 6, 8, 9, 12, 13, 15, 19, 20. The **cognitive restraint domain** was composed of items 1, 5, 11, 17, 18, 21. The **emotional eating domain** was composed of items 2, 4, 7, 10, 14, 16. Before calculating the domain scores, items 1–16 should be reverse coded and item 21 should be recoded as follows: 1–2 scores as 1; 3–4 as 2; 5–6 as 3; 7–8 as 4. Note: Items 17, 18 and 21 are not part of the Three-Factor Eating Questionnaire revised 18-item, version 2 (TFEQR18V2).

Dutch Eating Behaviour Questionnaire (van Strien et al., 1986)

Restrained

- 1. If you have put on weight, do you eat less than you usually do?*
- 2. Do you try to eat less at mealtimes than you would like to eat?
- 3. How often do you refuse food or drink offered because you are concerned about your weight?
- 4. Do you watch exactly what you eat?
- 5. Do you deliberately eat foods that are slimming?
- 6. When you have eaten too much, do you eat less than usual the following days?*
- 7. Do you deliberately eat less in order not to become heavier?
- 8. How often do you try not to eat between meals because you are watching your weight?
- 9. How often in the evening do you try not to eat because you are watching your weight?
- 10. Do you take into account your weight with what you eat?

Emotional

- 11. Do you have a desire to eat when you are irritated?*
- 12. Do you have a desire to eat when you have nothing to do?*
- 13. Do you have a desire to eat when you are depressed or discouraged?*
- 14. Do you have a desire to eat when you are feeling lonely?*
- 15. Do you have a desire to eat when somebody lets you down?*
- 16. Do you have a desire to eat when you are cross?*
- 17. Do you have a desire to eat when you are approaching something unpleasant to happen?
- 18. Do you get the desire to eat when you are anxious, worried or tense?
- 19. Do you have a desire to eat when things are going against you or when things are going wrong?
- 20. Do you have a desire to eat when you are frightened?*
- 21. Do you have a desire to eat when you are disappointed?*
- 22. Do you have a desire to eat when you are emotionally upset?*
- 23. Do you have a desire to eat when you are bored or restless?*

External

- 24. If food tastes good to you, do you eat more than usual?
- 25. If food smells and looks good, do you eat more than usual?
- 26. If you see or smell something delicious, do you have a desire to eat it?
- 27. If you have something delicious to eat, do you eat it straight away?
- 28. If you walk past the baker, do you have the desire to buy something delicious?
- 29. If you walk past a snackbar or a café, do you have the desire to buy something delicious?
- 30. If you see others eating, do you also have the desire to eat?
- 31. Can you resist eating delicious foods? [R]
- 32. Do you eat more than usual, when you see others eating?
- 33. When preparing a meal, are you inclined to eat something?
- (1) Never (2) Seldom (3) Sometimes (4) Often (5) Very often (6) Does not apply to me*

Behavioural Approach System/Behavioural Inhibition System Scales (Carver & White, 1994)

- 1. Even if something bad is about to happen to me, I rarely experience fear or nervousness.*
- 2. I go out of my way to get things I want.
- 3. When I'm doing well at something I love to keep at it.
- 4. I'm always willing to try something new if I think it will be fun.
- 5. When I get something I want, I feel excited and energized.
- 6. Criticism or scolding hurts me quite a bit.
- 7. When I want something I usually go all-out to get it.
- 8. I will often do things for no other reason than that they might be fun.
- 9. If I see a chance to get something I want I move on it right away.
- 10. I feel pretty worried or upset when I think or know somebody is angry at me.
- 11. When I see an opportunity for something I like I get excited right away.
- 12. I often act on the spur of the moment.
- 13. If I think something unpleasant is going to happen I usually get pretty "worked up."
- 14. When good things happen to me, it affects me strongly.
- 15. I feel worried when I think I have done poorly at something important.
- 16. I crave excitement and new sensations.
- 17. When I go after something I use a "no holds barred" approach.
- 18. I have very few fears compared to my friends.*
- 19. It would excite me to win a contest.
- 20. I worry about making mistakes.
- (1) Very true for me (2) Somewhat true for me (3) Somewhat false for me (4) Very false for me *reverse coded

Hedonism Scale (Sobol-Kwapinska, 2009)

- 1. I think about what will happen tomorrow but I am not interested in the very distant future.
- 2. The only thing that pleases me is what is now.
- 3. Only good fun counts.
- 4. I try to live as good a life as I can now.
- 5. I like having fun "till the crack of dawn".
- 6. I do not make a lot of plans, I live from hand to mouth.
- 7. What I am doing at the moment does not have a significant influence on my future.
- 8. I do everything to enjoy every moment of life and I often do not think about the consequences of my behaviour.
- 9. The present counts, the past is not very crucial to me.
- (1) Very uncharacteristic (2) (3) (4) (5) Very characteristic

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