PROMs style-guide University Hospital Basel

PRO part	Description	Example
Concept (PRO) name	Model as the full name of the PRO. If the name is also used as an acronym, model the name in capitals, including the acronym in brackets. If the most known name is an acronym, use the acronym as the name.	Patient Health Questionnaire-9 (PHQ-9)
Archetype ID	Same as concept name unless it is necessary to distinguish from another archetype with a similar name.	OBSERVATION.phq_9
Concept description	Record an explanation of the concept being recorded (not the PRO itself).	see <u>Scores and Scales Style Guide</u>
Purpose	Record the reason for using this archetype to record data, not to describe the purpose of the score or scale itself. Commence the first sentence with the standard phrase "To record" unless there is a good reason not to do so.	see Scores and Scales Style Guide
Use	(Record how the archetype might be used in implementation, not how to perform the assessment.	see Scores and Scales Style Guide

		Commence the first sentence with the standard phrase "Use to record" unless there is a good reason not to do so. Additional information might provide guidance to modellers or implementers about how to utilise the archetype in templates or clinical systems.	
PRO- Questio	RM Type	Use DV_Scale by default where applicable.	
n	Label	Use short text representing the content of the question and include the question number if present in the PROM (as well as for superordinate clusters and answers to the question)	Short label: "1. Carrying groceries" (*see Full Question below) Short label: "2. Vision impairment" (*see Full Question below)
	Descri ption	Record the full text question including the number of the question and the exact wording.	Full text question: "1. I have trouble carrying groceries in my daily life." Full text question: "2. I have a hard time reading traffic signs while driving."
	Comm	Add further info for explicit styling requirements necessary for PROM Validation. Add further information about conditional rendering.	Have "in the last 2 weeks" in bold font. If response "I felt dizzy" was selected ask questions 5, 6 and 7. (This might lead to broader acceptance since the datamodel is "helping" the implementor to create a faithful representation of the PROM)
Superord PRO-Inst		Use Cluster if there is one parent- container for a group of questions. Label and description	Cluster Label: "1. List of weekly activities"

	follow the same rules like for PRO question. A container/question combination could look like this: Superordinate Instruction/Question 1. Subordinate Questions 1a, 1b,	Cluster Description: "1. The Following is a list of activities that people do during the week. [] Go over the activities and indicate your level of limitation over the past weeks:"
Subordinate PRO-Question	Use the same as per PRO-Question. A container/question combination could look like this: Superordinate Instruction/Question 1. Subordinate Questions 1a, 1b,	Label: "1 b. Over the past 4 weeks, how Description: "1 b. Gardening, vacuuming or carrying groceries" etc
Total Score	Naming of the total score or calculated ratio should not contain the name of the score or scale.	see <u>Scores and Scales Style Guide</u>