Table 32-5 Output for Internal Consistency of a Functional Scale with 6 Items Using Cronbach's Alpha

RELIABILITY

/VARIABLES=Car Carry Dressing Reach Stairs Walk
/SCALE('ALL VARIABLES') ALL
/MODEL=ALPHA
/STATISTICS=DESCRIPTIVE SCALE CORR
/SUMMARY=TOTAL MEANS CORR.

Reliability

Run using Scale> Reliability Analysis > Model: Alpha / Statistics: Descriptives for Item, Scale, Scale if item deleted / Summaries: Means, Correlations

Scale: ALL VARIABLES

Case Processing Summary

		N	%
Cases	Valid	14	100.0
	Excludeda	0	.0
	Total	14	100.0

a. Listwise deletion based on all variables in the procedure.

Reliability Statistics

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	Cronbach's	
	Alpha Based on	
Cronbach's	Standardized	
Alpha	Items	N of Items
.894	.881	6

Item Statistics

	Mean	Std. Deviation	N
Car	1.86	.770	14
Carry	2.79	1.251	14
Dressing	2.57	1.089	14
Reach	3.00	1.240	14
Stairs	2.36	1.336	14
Walk	3.43	1.089	14

Inter-Item Correlation Matrix

	Car	Carry	Dressing	Reach	Stairs	Walk
Car	1.000	.125	.196	081	.278	.354
Carry	.125	1.000	.830	.843	.739	.637
Dressing	.196	.830	1.000	.797	.694	.750
Reach	081	.843	.797	1.000	.603	.740
Stairs	.278	.739	.694	.603	1.000	.785
Walk	.354	.637	.750	.740	.785	1.000

Summary Item Statistics

					Maximum /		
	Mean	Minimum	Maximum	Range	Minimum	Variance	N of Items
Item Means	2.667	1.857	3.429	1.571	1.846	.293	6
Inter-Item Correlations	.553	081	.843	.923	-10.465	.085	6

Item-Total Statistics

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			Corrected	Squared	Cronbach's			
	Scale Mean if	Scale Variance	Item-Total	Multiple	Alpha if Item			
	Item Deleted	if Item Deleted	Correlation	Correlation	Deleted			
Car	14.14	28.593	.192	.566	.932			
Carry	13.21	19.874	.836	.904	.854			
Dressing	13.43	21.033	.856	.777	.854			
Reach	13.00	20.615	.765	.916	.867			
Stairs	13.64	19.632	.790	.817	.863			
Walk	12.57	21.187	.837	.893	.856			

Scale Statistics

_	Mean Variance		Std. Deviation	N of Items	
	16.00	30.769	5.547	6	