

BAI® Beck Anxiety Inventory® Interpretive Report Aaron T. Beck

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Age: 28 Gender: Male

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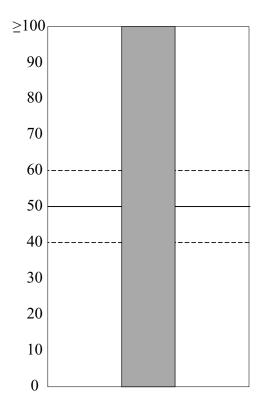
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# **ASSESSMENT RESULTS**

The following graph and table presents the client's T score, which is based on the norm for a non-clinical sample. This information may be useful in estimating the severity of the client's symptoms relative to this group. T scores of 50 are average for the group (standard deviation = 10 T score points).



Raw Score: 63

T Score (Plotted): 144

Percentile Rank: >99.9

Diagnostic Range: Severe

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### INTERPRETATION

John Sample expresses a high level of symptomatology associated with anxiety. His anxiety may significantly interfere with information-processing functions and result in poorly planned responses to environmental pressures. The inability to meet life's demands adequately may then exacerbate the patient's real-world problems and lead to greater anxiety and even greater difficulty in responding to environmental pressures. The clinician should make anxiety-reduction strategies the primary focus of treatment. However, the clinician might also examine the patient for depression using the *Beck Depression Inventory II* or other appropriate assessment procedure, because of the high rate of co-morbidity between anxiety and depression.

For a statistically significant\* change to have occurred, the patient's subsequent BAI score must be below 53.

\*90% confidence level, controlling for regression to the mean and the reliability of the test.

## **ENDORSED ITEMS**

John Sample endorses the following subjective and panic-related symptoms of anxiety on the BAI:

- 4. Unable to relax. (Severe)
- 5. Fear of the worst happening. (Severe)
- 7. Heart pounding or racing. (Severe)
- 9. Terrified. (Severe)
- 10. Nervous. (Severe)
- 11. Feelings of choking. (Severe)
- 14. Fear of losing control. (Severe)
- 15. Difficulty breathing. (Severe)
- 16. Fear of dying. (Severe)
- 17. Scared. (Severe)

He endorses the following somatic symptoms of anxiety on the BAI:

- 1. Numbness or tingling. (Severe)
- 2. Feeling hot. (Severe)
- 3. Wobbliness in legs. (Severe)
- 6. Dizzy or lightheaded. (Severe)
- 8. Unsteady. (Severe)
- 12. Hands trembling. (Severe)
- 13. Shaky. (Severe)
- 18. Indigestion or discomfort in abdomen. (Severe)
- 19. Faint. (Severe)
- 20. Face flushed. (Severe)
- 21. Sweating (not due to heat). (Severe)

# **End of Report**

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# **ITEM RESPONSES**

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