

Easy-BILAG

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In a validation exercise of 10 case vignettes completed by 30 Rheumatology professionals, Easy-BILAG improved the scoring accuracy, speed, and inter-rater reliability of BILAG-2004 assessments compared with the standard format published BILAG-2004 proforma. As a result, this tool is now the format recommended by British Isles Lupus Assessment Group.

Easy-BILAG is accompanied by an optional 'self-adjudication' checklist to help end users verify correct use. An Essential Guide to BILAG-2004 scoring as well as the workbook of cases used in the Easy-BILAG validation exercise are also made available on this platform for educational and training purposes.

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