Epworth Sleepiness Scale (ESS)

Use this scale to choose the most appropriate number for each situation:

0 = would never dose 2 = moderate chance of dozing

1 = slight chance of dozing 3 = high chance of dozing

It is important that you circle a number (0 to 3) on each of the questions.

Situation	Chance of dozing (0-3)			
Sitting and reading	0	1	2	3
Watching television	0	1	2	3
Sitting inactive in a public place for example, a theater or meeting	0	1	2	3
As a passenger in a car for an hour without a break	0	1	2	3
Lying down to rest in the afternoon	0	1	2	3
Sitting and talking to someone	0	1	2	3
Sitting quietly after lunch (when you've had no alcohol)	0	1	2	3
In a car, while stopped in traffic	0	1	2	3
	Total Score:			

Total Score > 10 = clinically significant daytime sleepiness

