## The EQ-5D-Y-5L

is a new generic measure of HRQoL for use in children and adolescents

A valuable addition to the EQ-5D family of instruments

A valid, reliable, and responsive instrument with evidence of psychometric performance from studies on 5 continents

Several languages available with more in development

## User Guide

includes details on the instrument's characteristics and development, and how to report and analyse EQ-5D-Y-5L data

Developed through a robust research process with input from children and adolescents Free of charge for non-commercial purposes; commercial users are charged a fee

## **Formats**

Available as digital and paper formats for self-completion (ages 8–15 years). Also as interviewer-administered and proxy versions (ages 4–15 years)

## **Structure**

5 dimensions and 5 response levels to measure the child's HRQoL today. It has a similar question-and-response structure to the EQ-5D-5L, allowing for greater comparability and easier transition to the adult instrument

Ongoing work to develop **country- specific value sets**that will allow for the estimation of QALYs



- Is the single **organisation** that manages the distribution and licensing of the EQ-5D.
- $\boldsymbol{\cdot}$  Consists of a large global network of experts who are committed to ongoing research.
- Provides EQ-5D for **free to non-commercial organisations**, after they register to use it (commercial users are charged a fee).
- Is a **non-profit** organisation that invests all income into EQ-5D research, education, and user support.