

## Relationship Adjustment Scale

Grade 1 /Year 2

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#### *Instrument*

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### Data Sources

*Unscored:* P2G

*Scored:* RAS2

### **I. Scale Description**

The Relationship Adjustment Scale is a 28-item measure that evaluates satisfaction in the relationship of spouses or domestic partners. The Relationship Adjustment Scale is adapted from the instrument developed by Spanier (1976).

Each item on the Relationship Adjustment Scale asks about an interaction between domestic partners or spouses, or about a behavior that occurs in relationships. Different groups of items contain slightly different response choices; however, all items (except two) estimate frequency, and all response choices are coded from zero to five. For example, one group of items asks how often the respondent and spouse/partner agree on issues such as handling family money, ways of thinking about life, and dealing with parents or in-laws. For these items, responses include: "Always Disagree (0)," "Almost Always Disagree (1)," "Frequently Disagree (2)," "Occasionally Disagree (3)," "Almost Always Agree (4)," and "Always Agree (5)." Another group of items asks how often the respondent thinks or behaves in a certain way. For example, "Do you ever regret that you married (or lived together)?" Responses for these items include: "Never (0)," "Rarely (1)," "Occasionally (2)," "More Often than Not (3)," "Most of the Time (4)," and "All of the Time (5)." Other questions have similar response choices.

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<sup>1</sup> Original rating instrument.

Two items do not contain frequency responses: one item asks the respondent to rate the overall “amount of happiness” in the relationship. Response options are: “Extremely Unhappy (0),” “Fairly Unhappy (1),” “A Little Unhappy (2),” “Happy (3),” “Very Happy (4),” “Perfect (5).” The other item asks how the respondent feels about the future of the relationship, with six discrete answer choices.

## II. Report Sample

This report contains data collected on Cohort 1, Year 2. The data include a high-risk control sample (n=155) and a normative sample (n = 387) for a total N = 463, including overlap. Single-parent respondents have missing answers for the entire Relationship Adjustment Scale. Of the 463 subjects, 247 are missing all responses, including 166 from the normative group (55 from Durham, 39 from Washington, 18 from Pennsylvania, and 54 from Nashville), and 81 from the control group (24 from Durham, 25 from Nashville, 15 from Pennsylvania, and 17 from Washington), with overlap between the normative and control groups. None of these measures was used in the analyses. Only five of the measures missing all responses were parents with partners.

## III. Scaling

The Relationship Adjustment Scale does not contain subscales. A total score is calculated as the mean of responses to the 28 items multiplied by 28.<sup>2</sup> Total scores on the Relationship Adjustment Scale range between 0 - 140. In addition, a dichotomous score (“1” = relationship distress, “0” = no distress) is formed using a clinical cutoff of 88 on the total score. Respondents with a total score below the clinical cutoff receive a “1” to indicate elevated frequency of distress symptoms. If more than 14 items on a measure are missing responses (i.e., 50%), a total score is not calculated. Measures with all responses missing are not scored.

The alpha coefficients for the normative sample and control sample are:

	Normative Sample	Control Sample
<b>Relationship Adjustment Scale</b>	0.94	0.93

## IV. Differences Between Groups

T-tests of means on the total relationship distress score between the normative and control samples yielded a significant t value.

	Normative Sample		Control Sample		DF	t Value	Pr >  t
	Mean	SD	Mean	SD			
<b>Relationship Adjustment Scale – Total Score</b>	105.69	16.64	98.37	19.42	253	-3.01	0.0029

<sup>2</sup> Response codes for five item responses are inverted before the 28 items are summed.

The frequency distribution of the distress score among the high-risk control and normative samples is:

<b>Table of Relationship Distress Score by Group</b>			
<b>Relationship Distress Score</b>	<b>Sample</b>		<b>Total</b>
<b>Frequency Col Pct</b>	<b>Control</b>	<b>Normative</b>	
No Distress (0)	55 76.39	234 86.03	289
Distress (1)	17 23.61	38 13.97	55
<b>Total</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>272</b>	<b>344</b>

Frequency Missing = 208

With  $\chi^2$  (1, N = 344) = 3.9391,  $p = 0.0472$ , the hypothesis of independence between risk category (Normative or High-Risk Control) and symptoms of distress is rejected for these data.

#### **V. Recommendations for Use**

The strong internal consistency indicates that the continuous score is useful, and it shows a difference between normative and high-risk groups. If a diagnostic indicator is desired, the dichotomous score of relationship distress is available, and also shows a group difference.

## VI. Item and Scale Means and SDs

### Means and Standard Deviations for Relationship Adjustment Scale Cohort 1, Year 2, Normative Sample

Variable	Label	Mean	N	Std Dev	Minimum	Maximum
P2GRA1	Handle family money	3.60	221	1.13	0.00	5.00
P2GRA2	What to do for fun	3.67	221	1.05	0.00	5.00
P2GRA3	Religious ideas	3.86	220	1.19	0.00	5.00
P2GRA4	Show affection	4.19	221	0.92	0.00	5.00
P2GRA5	Friends	3.64	220	1.03	0.00	5.00
P2GRA6	Correct or proper behavior	3.72	221	0.93	0.00	5.00
P2GRA7	Way of thinking about life	3.66	221	0.98	0.00	5.00
P2GRA8	Ways of dealing with parents/in-laws	3.52	221	1.09	0.00	5.00
P2GRA9	Aims, goals, things believed important	3.94	220	0.97	0.00	5.00
P2GRA10	Amount of time spent together	3.70	220	1.06	0.00	5.00
P2GRA11	Making major decisions	3.96	220	0.88	0.00	5.00
P2GRA12	Household jobs	3.43	221	1.08	0.00	5.00
P2GRA13	Hobbies	3.70	220	0.99	0.00	5.00
P2GRA14	Career decisions	3.92	219	1.01	0.00	5.00
p2gra15r	How often consider divorce/end relationship	4.19	220	1.03	0.00	5.00
p2gra16r	How often leave after fight w/partner	4.26	221	0.91	0.00	5.00
P2GRA17	How often do you think things are going well	4.00	220	0.77	1.00	5.00
P2GRA18	How often tell partner about private things	3.94	220	1.16	0.00	5.00
p2gra19r	Ever regret marriage/living together	4.23	220	1.04	0.00	5.00
p2gra20r	How often argue w/partner	3.38	220	0.82	0.00	5.00
p2gra21r	How often get on each others nerves	3.15	220	0.97	0.00	5.00
P2GRA22	Participate w/partner in outside interests	2.99	220	1.30	0.00	5.00
P2GRA23	How often have an interesting conversation w/partner	3.75	220	1.04	1.00	5.00
P2GRA24	How often laugh together	4.14	220	0.98	0.00	5.00
P2GRA25	Calmly discuss something	3.87	220	0.96	1.00	5.00
P2GRA26	Work together on a project	2.90	220	1.37	0.00	5.00
P2GRA27	Amount of happiness in relationship	3.48	220	0.94	0.00	5.00
P2GRA28	How feel about future of relationship	3.71	220	0.92	0.00	5.00
RAS2TOT	Year 2 Relationship Adjustment Scale - Total Score	104.55	220	17.55	38.00	138.00

**Means and Standard Deviations for Relationship Adjustment Scale  
Cohort 1, Year 2, Control Sample**

<b>Variable</b>	<b>Label</b>	<b>Mean</b>	<b>N</b>	<b>Std Dev</b>	<b>Minimum</b>	<b>Maximum</b>
P2GRA1	Handle family money	3.58	74	1.17	0.00	5.00
P2GRA2	What to do for fun	3.45	73	1.24	0.00	5.00
P2GRA3	Religious ideas	3.48	73	1.44	0.00	5.00
P2GRA4	Show affection	3.85	73	1.28	0.00	5.00
P2GRA5	Friends	3.21	72	1.23	0.00	5.00
P2GRA6	Correct or proper behavior	3.33	73	1.16	0.00	5.00
P2GRA7	Way of thinking about life	3.49	73	1.16	0.00	5.00
P2GRA8	Ways of dealing with parents/in-laws	3.26	73	1.27	0.00	5.00
P2GRA9	Aims, goals, things believed important	3.70	73	1.02	0.00	5.00
P2GRA10	Amount of time spent together	3.35	72	1.28	0.00	5.00
P2GRA11	Making major decisions	3.86	72	0.97	0.00	5.00
P2GRA12	Household jobs	3.15	73	1.20	0.00	5.00
P2GRA13	Hobbies	3.40	73	1.19	0.00	5.00
P2GRA14	Career decisions	3.75	73	1.18	0.00	5.00
p2gra15r	How often consider divorce/end relationship	3.78	72	1.26	0.00	5.00
p2gra16r	How often leave after fight w/partner	3.99	73	1.16	0.00	5.00
P2GRA17	How often do you think things are going well	3.82	72	0.86	1.00	5.00
P2GRA18	How often tell partner about private things	3.72	72	1.26	0.00	5.00
p2gra19r	Ever regret marriage/living together	3.99	72	1.13	0.00	5.00
p2gra20r	How often argue w/partner	3.01	72	1.01	0.00	5.00
p2gra21r	How often get on each others nerves	2.96	72	1.16	0.00	5.00
P2GRA22	Participate w/partner in outside interests	2.89	73	1.34	0.00	5.00
P2GRA23	How often have an interesting conversation w/partner	3.67	72	1.05	1.00	5.00
P2GRA24	How often laugh together	4.08	72	0.96	1.00	5.00
P2GRA25	Calmly discuss something	3.72	72	1.08	1.00	5.00
P2GRA26	Work together on a project	2.79	72	1.49	0.00	5.00
P2GRA27	Amount of happiness in relationship	3.40	72	0.97	0.00	5.00
P2GRA28	How feel about future of relationship	3.60	72	0.93	0.00	5.00
RAS2TOT	Year 2 Relationship Adjustment Scale - Total Score	98.37	72	19.42	30.00	136.89

## VII. Item Correlations

### Relationship Adjustment Scale - Item Correlations Combined Normative and Control Sample

Pearson Correlation Coefficients, N = 252 Prob >  r  under H0: Rho=0															
	p2gra1	p2gra2	p2gra3	p2gra4	p2gra5	p2gra6	p2gra7	p2gra8	p2gra9	p2gra10	p2gra11	p2gra12	p2gra13	p2gra14	p2gra15r
p2gra1 handling family money	1.000	0.434 0.000	0.365 0.000	0.409 0.000	0.450 0.000	0.534 0.000	0.457 0.000	0.295 0.000	0.431 0.000	0.428 0.000	0.557 0.000	0.414 0.000	0.307 0.000	0.452 0.000	0.347 0.000
p2gra2 what to do for fun	0.434 0.000	1.000	0.440 0.000	0.435 0.000	0.503 0.000	0.524 0.000	0.542 0.000	0.463 0.000	0.538 0.000	0.464 0.000	0.415 0.000	0.424 0.000	0.544 0.000	0.524 0.000	0.479 0.000
p2gra3 religious ideas	0.365 0.000	0.440 0.000	1.000	0.345 0.000	0.351 0.000	0.387 0.000	0.434 0.000	0.358 0.000	0.367 0.000	0.377 0.000	0.432 0.000	0.345 0.000	0.374 0.000	0.475 0.000	0.220 0.000
p2gra4 showing affection	0.409 0.000	0.435 0.000	0.345 0.000	1.000	0.464 0.000	0.430 0.000	0.533 0.000	0.348 0.000	0.514 0.000	0.427 0.000	0.380 0.000	0.334 0.000	0.339 0.000	0.368 0.000	0.328 0.000
p2gra5 friends	0.450 0.000	0.503 0.000	0.351 0.000	0.464 0.000	1.000	0.585 0.000	0.487 0.000	0.491 0.000	0.430 0.000	0.449 0.000	0.406 0.000	0.373 0.000	0.455 0.000	0.487 0.000	0.434 0.000
p2gra6 proper behavior	0.534 0.000	0.524 0.000	0.387 0.000	0.430 0.000	0.585 0.000	1.000	0.589 0.000	0.404 0.000	0.437 0.000	0.405 0.000	0.460 0.000	0.421 0.000	0.467 0.000	0.473 0.000	0.358 0.000
p2gra7 way of thinking about life	0.457 0.000	0.542 0.000	0.434 0.000	0.533 0.000	0.487 0.000	0.589 0.000	1.000	0.480 0.000	0.574 0.000	0.503 0.000	0.441 0.000	0.413 0.000	0.508 0.000	0.502 0.000	0.459 0.000
p2gra8 way of dealing with parents/in-laws	0.295 0.000	0.463 0.000	0.358 0.000	0.348 0.000	0.491 0.000	0.404 0.000	0.480 0.000	1.000	0.390 0.000	0.373 0.000	0.407 0.000	0.288 0.000	0.386 0.000	0.465 0.000	0.322 0.000
p2gra9 aims, goals	0.431 0.000	0.538 0.000	0.367 0.000	0.514 0.000	0.430 0.000	0.437 0.000	0.574 0.000	0.390 0.000	1.000	0.510 0.000	0.486 0.000	0.356 0.000	0.454 0.000	0.527 0.000	0.396 0.000
p2gra10 amount of time together	0.428 0.000	0.464 0.000	0.377 0.000	0.427 0.000	0.449 0.000	0.405 0.000	0.503 0.000	0.373 0.000	0.510 0.000	1.000	0.421 0.000	0.413 0.000	0.411 0.000	0.460 0.000	0.400 0.000
p2gra11 making major decisions	0.557 0.000	0.415 0.000	0.432 0.000	0.380 0.000	0.406 0.000	0.460 0.000	0.441 0.000	0.407 0.000	0.486 0.000	0.421 0.000	1.000	0.462 0.000	0.400 0.000	0.526 0.000	0.355 0.000
p2gra12 household jobs	0.414 0.000	0.424 0.000	0.345 0.000	0.334 0.000	0.373 0.000	0.421 0.000	0.413 0.000	0.288 0.000	0.356 0.000	0.413 0.000	0.462 0.000	1.000	0.428 0.000	0.353 0.000	0.319 0.000
p2gra13 hobbies	0.307 0.000	0.544 0.000	0.374 0.000	0.339 0.000	0.455 0.000	0.467 0.000	0.508 0.000	0.386 0.000	0.454 0.000	0.411 0.000	0.400 0.000	0.428 0.000	1.000	0.557 0.000	0.346 0.000
p2gra14 career decisions	0.452 0.000	0.524 0.000	0.475 0.000	0.368 0.000	0.487 0.000	0.473 0.000	0.502 0.000	0.465 0.000	0.527 0.000	0.460 0.000	0.526 0.000	0.353 0.000	0.557 0.000	1.000	0.334 0.000
p2gra15r how often consider divorce /end relationship	0.347 0.000	0.479 0.000	0.220 0.000	0.328 0.000	0.434 0.000	0.358 0.000	0.459 0.000	0.322 0.000	0.396 0.000	0.400 0.000	0.355 0.000	0.319 0.000	0.346 0.000	0.334 0.000	1.000
p2gra16r how often leave after fight w/partner	0.250 0.000	0.375 0.000	0.210 0.001	0.357 0.000	0.387 0.000	0.310 0.000	0.317 0.000	0.272 0.000	0.348 0.000	0.264 0.000	0.279 0.000	0.208 0.001	0.243 0.000	0.284 0.000	0.399 0.000
p2gra17 how often do things go well	0.449 0.000	0.498 0.000	0.266 0.000	0.542 0.000	0.475 0.000	0.437 0.000	0.545 0.000	0.343 0.000	0.551 0.000	0.471 0.000	0.470 0.000	0.304 0.000	0.342 0.000	0.426 0.000	0.635 0.000
p2gra18 tell partner personal things	0.339 0.000	0.272 0.000	0.155 0.014	0.489 0.000	0.318 0.000	0.294 0.000	0.351 0.000	0.218 0.000	0.341 0.000	0.328 0.000	0.331 0.000	0.232 0.000	0.206 0.001	0.289 0.000	0.276 0.000

Pearson Correlation Coefficients, N = 252															
Prob >  r  under H0: Rho=0															
	p2gra1	p2gra2	p2gra3	p2gra4	p2gra5	p2gra6	p2gra7	p2gra8	p2gra9	p2gra10	p2gra11	p2gra12	p2gra13	p2gra14	p2gra15r
p2gra19r ever regret marriage /living together	0.327 0.000	0.460 0.000	0.265 0.000	0.316 0.000	0.406 0.000	0.403 0.000	0.454 0.000	0.325 0.000	0.392 0.000	0.427 0.000	0.287 0.000	0.253 0.000	0.358 0.000	0.382 0.000	0.738 0.000
p2gra20r how often argue w/partner	0.278 0.000	0.386 0.000	0.164 0.009	0.282 0.000	0.424 0.000	0.316 0.000	0.309 0.000	0.257 0.000	0.315 0.000	0.284 0.000	0.246 0.000	0.199 0.002	0.280 0.000	0.358 0.000	0.548 0.000
p2gra21r how often get on each others nerves	0.233 0.000	0.461 0.000	0.253 0.000	0.363 0.000	0.371 0.000	0.253 0.000	0.335 0.000	0.354 0.000	0.334 0.000	0.351 0.000	0.200 0.001	0.277 0.000	0.348 0.000	0.390 0.000	0.480 0.000
p2gra22 participate/outside interests together	0.291 0.000	0.355 0.000	0.253 0.000	0.226 0.000	0.280 0.000	0.306 0.000	0.270 0.000	0.238 0.000	0.350 0.000	0.295 0.000	0.287 0.000	0.245 0.000	0.236 0.000	0.232 0.000	0.273 0.000
p2gra23 have an interesting conversation	0.126 0.047	0.286 0.000	0.087 0.166	0.263 0.000	0.252 0.000	0.121 0.054	0.258 0.000	0.095 0.134	0.292 0.000	0.306 0.000	0.257 0.000	0.207 0.001	0.163 0.010	0.191 0.002	0.235 0.000
p2gra24 laugh together	0.164 0.009	0.396 0.000	0.099 0.115	0.353 0.000	0.264 0.000	0.212 0.001	0.314 0.000	0.143 0.023	0.390 0.000	0.416 0.000	0.248 0.000	0.196 0.002	0.283 0.000	0.252 0.000	0.391 0.000
p2gra25 calmly discuss something	0.152 0.015	0.302 0.000	0.121 0.056	0.270 0.000	0.229 0.000	0.216 0.001	0.261 0.000	0.150 0.017	0.298 0.000	0.364 0.000	0.267 0.000	0.321 0.000	0.292 0.000	0.293 0.000	0.297 0.000
p2gra26 work together\ on a project	0.243 0.000	0.263 0.000	0.257 0.000	0.305 0.000	0.261 0.000	0.240 0.000	0.292 0.000	0.134 0.034	0.328 0.000	0.384 0.000	0.237 0.000	0.279 0.000	0.226 0.000	0.275 0.000	0.259 0.000
p2gra27 amount of happiness in relationship	0.294 0.000	0.447 0.000	0.214 0.001	0.408 0.000	0.358 0.000	0.287 0.000	0.444 0.000	0.297 0.000	0.444 0.000	0.436 0.000	0.347 0.000	0.267 0.000	0.276 0.000	0.363 0.000	0.639 0.000
p2gra28 feelings about future of relationship	0.171 0.007	0.227 0.000	0.087 0.169	0.172 0.006	0.290 0.000	0.234 0.000	0.267 0.000	0.189 0.003	0.151 0.016	0.292 0.000	0.205 0.001	0.167 0.008	0.109 0.085	0.210 0.001	0.477 0.000

**Relationship Adjustment Scale - Item Correlations (continued)**  
**Combined Normative and Control Sample**

Pearson Correlation Coefficients, N = 252														
Prob >  r  under H0: Rho=0														
	p2gra16r	p2gra17	p2gra18	p2gra19r	p2gra20r	p2gra21r	p2gra22	p2gra23	p2gra24	p2gra25	p2gra26	p2gra27	p2gra28	
p2gra1 handling family money	0.250 0.000	0.449 0.000	0.339 0.000	0.327 0.000	0.278 0.000	0.233 0.000	0.291 0.000	0.126 0.047	0.164 0.009	0.152 0.015	0.243 0.000	0.294 0.000	0.171 0.007	
p2gra2 what to do for fun	0.375 0.000	0.498 0.000	0.272 0.000	0.460 0.000	0.386 0.000	0.461 0.000	0.355 0.000	0.286 0.000	0.396 0.000	0.302 0.000	0.263 0.000	0.447 0.000	0.227 0.000	
p2gra3 religious ideas	0.210 0.001	0.266 0.000	0.155 0.014	0.265 0.000	0.164 0.009	0.253 0.000	0.253 0.000	0.087 0.166	0.099 0.115	0.121 0.056	0.257 0.000	0.214 0.001	0.087 0.169	
p2gra4 showing affection	0.357 0.000	0.542 0.000	0.489 0.000	0.316 0.000	0.282 0.000	0.363 0.000	0.226 0.000	0.263 0.000	0.353 0.000	0.270 0.000	0.305 0.000	0.408 0.000	0.172 0.006	
p2gra5 friends	0.387 0.000	0.475 0.000	0.318 0.000	0.406 0.000	0.424 0.000	0.371 0.000	0.280 0.000	0.252 0.000	0.264 0.000	0.229 0.000	0.261 0.000	0.358 0.000	0.290 0.000	
p2gra6 proper behavior	0.310 0.000	0.437 0.000	0.294 0.000	0.403 0.000	0.316 0.000	0.253 0.000	0.306 0.000	0.121 0.054	0.212 0.001	0.216 0.001	0.240 0.000	0.287 0.000	0.234 0.000	

Pearson Correlation Coefficients, N = 252													
Prob >  r  under H0: Rho=0													
	p2gra16r	p2gra17	p2gra18	p2gra19r	p2gra20r	p2gra21r	p2gra22	p2gra23	p2gra24	p2gra25	p2gra26	p2gra27	p2gra28
p2gra7 way of thinking about life	0.317 0.000	0.545 0.000	0.351 0.000	0.454 0.000	0.309 0.000	0.335 0.000	0.270 0.000	0.258 0.000	0.314 0.000	0.261 0.000	0.292 0.000	0.444 0.000	0.267 0.000
p2gra8 way of dealing with parents/in-laws	0.272 0.000	0.343 0.000	0.218 0.000	0.325 0.000	0.257 0.000	0.354 0.000	0.238 0.000	0.095 0.134	0.143 0.023	0.150 0.017	0.134 0.034	0.297 0.000	0.189 0.003
p2gra9 aims, goals	0.348 0.000	0.551 0.000	0.341 0.000	0.392 0.000	0.315 0.000	0.334 0.000	0.350 0.000	0.292 0.000	0.390 0.000	0.298 0.000	0.328 0.000	0.444 0.000	0.151 0.016
p2gra10 amount of time together	0.264 0.000	0.471 0.000	0.328 0.000	0.427 0.000	0.284 0.000	0.351 0.000	0.295 0.000	0.306 0.000	0.416 0.000	0.364 0.000	0.384 0.000	0.436 0.000	0.292 0.000
p2gra11 making major decisions	0.279 0.000	0.470 0.000	0.331 0.000	0.287 0.000	0.246 0.000	0.200 0.001	0.287 0.000	0.257 0.000	0.248 0.000	0.267 0.000	0.237 0.000	0.347 0.000	0.205 0.001
p2gra12 household jobs	0.208 0.001	0.304 0.000	0.232 0.000	0.253 0.000	0.199 0.002	0.277 0.000	0.245 0.000	0.207 0.001	0.196 0.002	0.321 0.000	0.279 0.000	0.267 0.000	0.167 0.008
p2gra13 hobbies	0.243 0.000	0.342 0.000	0.206 0.001	0.358 0.000	0.280 0.000	0.348 0.000	0.236 0.000	0.163 0.010	0.283 0.000	0.292 0.000	0.226 0.000	0.276 0.000	0.109 0.085
p2gra14 career decisions	0.284 0.000	0.426 0.000	0.289 0.000	0.382 0.000	0.358 0.000	0.390 0.000	0.232 0.000	0.191 0.002	0.252 0.000	0.293 0.000	0.275 0.000	0.363 0.000	0.210 0.001
p2gra15r how often consider divorce/end relationship	0.399 0.000	0.635 0.000	0.276 0.000	0.738 0.000	0.548 0.000	0.480 0.000	0.273 0.000	0.235 0.000	0.391 0.000	0.297 0.000	0.259 0.000	0.639 0.000	0.477 0.000
p2gra16r how often leave after fight w/partner	1.000	0.315 0.000	0.202 0.001	0.289 0.000	0.369 0.000	0.333 0.000	0.253 0.000	0.206 0.001	0.245 0.000	0.262 0.000	0.281 0.000	0.338 0.000	0.252 0.000
p2gra17 how often do things go well	0.315 0.000	1.000	0.465 0.000	0.533 0.000	0.489 0.000	0.418 0.000	0.298 0.000	0.357 0.000	0.465 0.000	0.379 0.000	0.354 0.000	0.538 0.000	0.389 0.000
p2gra18 tell partner personal things	0.202 0.001	0.465 0.000	1.000	0.307 0.000	0.226 0.000	0.192 0.002	0.260 0.000	0.325 0.000	0.384 0.000	0.326 0.000	0.290 0.000	0.385 0.000	0.319 0.000
p2gra19r ever regret marriage/living together	0.289 0.000	0.533 0.000	0.307 0.000	1.000	0.510 0.000	0.460 0.000	0.270 0.000	0.274 0.000	0.376 0.000	0.295 0.000	0.250 0.000	0.623 0.000	0.381 0.000
p2gra20r how often argue w/partner	0.369 0.000	0.489 0.000	0.226 0.000	0.510 0.000	1.000	0.573 0.000	0.181 0.004	0.219 0.000	0.233 0.000	0.244 0.000	0.271 0.000	0.482 0.000	0.366 0.000
p2gra21r how often get on each others nerves	0.333 0.000	0.418 0.000	0.192 0.002	0.460 0.000	0.573 0.000	1.000	0.161 0.011	0.267 0.000	0.266 0.000	0.254 0.000	0.326 0.000	0.514 0.000	0.277 0.000
p2gra22 participate/outside interests together	0.253 0.000	0.298 0.000	0.260 0.000	0.270 0.000	0.181 0.004	0.161 0.011	1.000	0.371 0.000	0.371 0.000	0.354 0.000	0.459 0.000	0.314 0.000	0.207 0.001
p2gra23 have an interesting conversation	0.206 0.001	0.357 0.000	0.325 0.000	0.274 0.000	0.219 0.000	0.267 0.000	0.371 0.000	1.000	0.595 0.000	0.564 0.000	0.404 0.000	0.331 0.000	0.260 0.000
p2gra24 laugh together	0.245 0.000	0.465 0.000	0.384 0.000	0.376 0.000	0.233 0.000	0.266 0.000	0.371 0.000	0.595 0.000	1.000	0.544 0.000	0.435 0.000	0.511 0.000	0.296 0.000
p2gra25 calmly discuss something	0.262 0.000	0.379 0.000	0.326 0.000	0.295 0.000	0.244 0.000	0.254 0.000	0.354 0.000	0.564 0.000	0.544 0.000	1.000	0.393 0.000	0.378 0.000	0.318 0.000
p2gra26 work together on a project	0.281 0.000	0.354 0.000	0.290 0.000	0.250 0.000	0.271 0.000	0.326 0.000	0.459 0.000	0.404 0.000	0.435 0.000	0.393 0.000	1.000	0.371 0.000	0.270 0.000



Pearson Correlation Coefficients, N = 252													
Prob >  r  under H0: Rho=0													
	p2gra16r	p2gra17	p2gra18	p2gra19r	p2gra20r	p2gra21r	p2gra22	p2gra23	p2gra24	p2gra25	p2gra26	p2gra27	p2gra28
p2gra27 amount of happiness in relationship	0.338 0.000	0.538 0.000	0.385 0.000	0.623 0.000	0.482 0.000	0.514 0.000	0.314 0.000	0.331 0.000	0.511 0.000	0.378 0.000	0.371 0.000	1.000	0.462 0.000
p2gra28 feelings about future of relationship	0.252 0.000	0.389 0.000	0.319 0.000	0.381 0.000	0.366 0.000	0.277 0.000	0.207 0.001	0.260 0.000	0.296 0.000	0.318 0.000	0.270 0.000	0.462 0.000	1.000