

LEADING CHANGE TOOLKIT™

TO HELP CHANGE AGENTS AND
CHANGE TEAMS MAKE LASTING
IMPROVEMENTS IN HEALTH CARE

Evidence-Based Practice: Beliefs, Attitudes, Knowledge, and Behaviors

Tool's Purpose

The Evidence-Based Practice: Beliefs, Attitudes, Knowledge, and Behaviors survey measures individuals' attitudes, access to resources for using evidence based practice, training or education with gathering and understanding reliable sources of information, and barriers to using EBP in clinical practice (Jette et al., 2003).

Brief Tool Description

- 51 items, scoring varied across the questionnaire sections and detailed below. Four sections:
 - Personal attitudes toward, use of, and perceived benefits and limitations of evidence-based practice (14 items scored using a 5-point Likert scale)
 - Personal use and understanding of clinical practice guidelines (six items scored using a dichotomous (Yes or No) or 5-point Likert scale)
 - Availability of resources (11 items scored using a dichotomous (Yes or No) or a 3-point Likert scale, or a 5-point Likert scale)
 - Demographics (19 items)

Knowledge to Action Framework Phase(s):

- Assess barriers/facilitators to knowledge use
- Monitor knowledge use

Available Languages: English

Source to Access Tool:

- [Link to article](#) (tool is within the article)



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Development Article/Psychometric Article

Jette, D.U., Bacon, K., Batty, C., Carlson, M., Ferland, A., Hemingway, R.D., Hill, J.C., Ogilvie, L., & Volk, D. (2003). Evidence-based practice: beliefs, attitudes, knowledge, and behaviors of physical therapists. *Physical therapy, 83*(9), 786-805. <https://doi.org/10.1093/ptj/83.9.786>