

Measurement of Fatigue in Systemic Lupus Erythematosus: A Systematic Review
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This article reviews previous studies conducted on fatigue. It details the success and shortcomings of 15 different fatigue measurement systems; FSS, ChFS, MAC-FS, PFS, SF 20+1, SF 36-V, MAF, MFI-20, Fatigue Rating, VAS for Fatigue, FAI, VAS-fatigue, SBPI and Single Question for Fatigue. The FSS concluded to be the mostly widely used measurement of fatigue. This article further examines fatigue measurements, to determine fatigue in relation to SLE disease activity, depression, pain, sleep (disorder) and anemia. The findings in this research study are of great interest to all of those with SLE that suffer from fatigue.