### Appendix A

Table A1

### Homogeneous Item Composites

HICS 1-6 represent various facets of binge eating as defined in the DSM-IV as uncontrollable eating of large amounts of food within a relatively short period of time.

- 1. Eating Large amount of Food in Discrete Period of Time
- 2. Subjective Feeling of Loss of Control Over Eating Episode
- 3. Eating large amounts of food when not physically hungry
- 4. Eating much more rapidly than normal
- 5. Eating alone because of being embarrassed by how much one is eating
- 6. Mindless eating

HICS 7-11 represent a pathological dissatisfaction with some aspect of one's weight, shape, or body composition. This group does not include dissatisfaction with facial features or other aspects of dissatisfaction related to body dysmorphic disorder.

- 7. Weight Dissatisfaction
- 8. General Body Shape Dissatisfaction
- 9. Desire for high muscularity
- 10. Desire for different proportions
- 11. Body/Weight Self-Consciousness

HIC 12 is designed to measure global perceived efforts to diet and limit food intake. HIC 13 is designed to measure concrete food intake behaviors.

- 12. Cognitive Food Restraint
- 13. Fasting/Dietary Restraint

HICS 14-16 reflect DSM-IV criteria for anorexia nervosa, including a morbid fear of becoming fat or gaining weight and a refusal to maintain a minimally acceptable body weight for one's height. In addition, based on a review of pro-anorexia websites, items that reflect disgust with overweight or obese people (HIC 14) and a preference (both self and other) for extreme thinness (HIC 15) have been added.

- 14. Fear of Fatness
- 15. Disgust of Overweight/Intense Fear of Gaining Weight
- 16. Obsession with Slimness/Refusal to Maintain "Normal" Body Weight

HICS 17 and 18 reflect DSM-IV inappropriate compensatory behaviors and dietary supplement use that are designed to change one's body weight or body composition.

17. Purging Behavior/Supplement Use/Recurrent Inappropriate Compensatory Behavior

18. Excessive Exercise

HIC 19 is designed to measure satiety (i.e., an individual's ability to feel full/hungry) and is thought to be important in the development and maintenance of obesity.

19. Satiety

HIC 20 reflects obsessive food rituals that frequently result from extreme dietary restriction, as well as behaviors that are performed in an attempt to decrease anxiety about weight gain.

20. Food/Weight Rituals

Table A2

Study 1 Item Pool

- 1. I ate a very large amount of food in a short period of time (e.g., within 2 hours
- 2. I stuffed myself with food to the point of feeling sick
- 3. People would have been surprised if they knew how much I ate in one sitting
- 4. I ate until I was uncomfortably full
- 5. I ate large amounts of food
- 6. I ate a lot more than people who are my same sex and height
- 7. I had a lot of trouble controlling what I ate
- 8. I felt that I could not control the amount of food I ate
- 9. Once I started eating, I had trouble stopping
- 10. If someone offered me food, I felt that I could not resist eating it
- 11. I could not stop snacking throughout the day
- 12. I was not able to resist eating second helpings at meals
- 13. I had trouble keeping away from certain foods
- 14. I ate when I was not hungry
- 15. I had a strong urge to eat after seeing a commercial about food
- 16. If food tasted good, I ate a lot more of it than I should have
- 17. I ate because other people around me were eating, even though I was not hungry
- 18. I felt I needed to finish everything on my plate
- 19. I ate a lot when there was nothing else to do
- 20. I ate much more rapidly than others
- 21. People told me that I ate really fast
- 22. I ate so quickly that I barely could taste my food
- 23. When I ate with others, I was the first one done eating
- 24. I made sure to carefully chew each bite of food several times before swallowing
- 25. Eating felt like a race to me
- 26. I ate alone because I was embarrassed by how much I was eating
- 27. I was embarrassed by how much food I ate
- 28. I hid how much food I ate from others
- 29. I hid evidence of what I ate (e.g., candy wrappers)
- 30. I felt like people were judging me because of how much food I was eating

- 31. I preferred to eat large meals by myself
- 32. I ate alone so that others would not know how much I was eating
- 33. I ate without being aware of how much I was eating
- 34. I ate as if I was on auto-pilot
- 35. I found myself snacking without thinking about it
- 36. I snacked throughout the evening without realizing it
- 37. I ate an entire bag of chips or cookies without realizing it
- 38. I did not notice how much I ate until after I had finished eating
- 39. I ate when I was bored
- 40. I was not satisfied with my weight
- 41. I wished I could lose five or more pounds
- 42. I would have been happier if I lost some weight
- 43. I felt dissatisfied because I could not reach my target weight
- 44. I thought that my weight was perfect
- 45. I thought about my weight so much that it interfered with my life
- 46. I did not like how my body looked
- 47. I felt uncomfortable in the clothes I was wearing
- 48. I thought my body shape was attractive
- 49. I did not like how clothes fit the shape of my body
- 50. I wished the shape of my body was different
- 51. I tried on different outfits, because I did not like how I looked
- 52. I wished my body was more muscular
- 53. I would have liked to have less body fat
- 54. I would have felt more confident if I had greater muscle mass
- 55. I wished my arms were more muscular
- 56. I wanted more defined abdominal muscles
- 57. I wanted a more muscular chest
- 58. I wished my body was more toned
- 59. I was not satisfied with the size of my hips
- 60. I wished I had a smaller waist
- 61. I did not like the size of my thighs
- 62. I wanted to be so thin that my thighs would not touch

- 63. I thought my arms were too fat
- 64. I thought my shoulders were too narrow
- 65. I thought my arms were too thin
- 66. I thought my butt was too big
- 67. I wished my stomach was flatter
- 68. Parts of my body seemed disproportionate
- 69. I looked at my body in mirrors or windows
- 70. I was self-conscious about the way my body looked
- 71. I thought people would reject me because of my weight
- 72. I thought people were looking at me because of my weight
- 73. I avoided looking at my body
- 74. I avoided certain activities because people would see my body
- 75. I did not participate in certain activities because people would notice my weight
- 76. I tried to avoid foods with a high fat content
- 77. I tried to avoid eating between meals
- 78. I was on a diet
- 79. I tried to exclude "unhealthy" foods from my diet
- 80. I thought I should eat less food
- 81. I thought about food or calories
- 82. I tried to avoid foods with high calorie content
- 83. I skipped a meal
- 84. I counted the calories of foods I ate
- 85. I ate at a fast food restaurant
- 86. I ate less than people I was with
- 87. People told me that I do not eat very much
- 88. I snacked
- 89. I went for 8 or more waking hours without eating
- 90. I tried to eat as few calories as I could each day
- 91. I ate small portions at meals in order to control my weight
- 92. I finished the food on my plate
- 93. I chose a low-calorie snack
- 94. I was very afraid of gaining weight

- 95. I was disgusted by the sight of obese people
- 96. I thought to myself that overweight people are unhappy
- 97. I felt that overweight people are lazy
- 98. I thought that obese people lack self-control
- 99. I felt that overweight people are unattractive
- 100. I felt like I would never stop gaining weight
- 101. I was disgusted by the sight of an overweight person wearing tight clothes
- 102. I would have done anything to keep myself from gaining weight
- 103. I thought gaining weight would ruin my life
- 104. I would rather have died than be fat
- 105. I thought gaining weight would make me very unhappy
- 106. I motivated myself by looking at pictures of very thin people
- 107. I wanted to be as thin as possible
- 108. I thought that being underweight is attractive
- 109. I was, or wanted to be, underweight
- 110. I was told that I am too thin
- 111. I enjoyed reading about weight loss tips
- 112. I felt that a person can never be too thin
- 113. I thought about making myself vomit in order to lose weight
- 114. I made myself vomit in order to lose weight
- 115. I thought laxatives are a good way to lose weight
- 116. I used laxatives in order to lose weight
- 117. I thought about taking steroids as a way to get more muscular
- 118. I took weight gainers
- 119. I thought about taking weight gainers
- 120. I tried to eat at least 25 grams of protein per meal
- 121. I tried to eat as many calories as I could each day
- 122. I used muscle building supplements
- 123. I considered taking a muscle building supplement
- 124. I thought about using anti-estrogens to get more muscular
- 125. I used diet pills
- 126. I thought about taking a diet pill so that I could lose weight

Table A2. Continued

- 127. I used protein supplements
- 128. I used diuretics in order to lose weight
- 129. I considered taking diuretics to lose weight
- 130. I took an enema to lose weight
- 131. I thought about taking an enema to lose weight
- 132. I followed a liquid diet (e.g., juice fast)
- 133. I used diet teas or cleansing teas to lose weight
- 134. I exercised even when I was sick
- 135. I exercised even though I was very tired
- 136. I exercised even when I had an injury
- 137. Other people thought I exercised too much
- 138. I felt guilty when I missed a workout or exercise class
- 139. My exercise schedule interfered with my life
- 140. Sometimes I lost track of how long I was exercising
- 141. I exercised for more than 2 hours at a time
- 142. I got full more easily than most people
- 143. No matter how much I ate, I never seemed to get full
- 144. I got full after eating what most people would consider a small amount of food
- 145. I did not like having a full stomach
- 146. I had a hard time knowing when I was full
- 147. I felt satisfied from eating enough after a meal
- 148. I needed to eat my food in a specific order
- 149. I chewed each bite of my food a specific number of times
- 150. I stirred around the food on my plate to avoid eating it
- 151. I enjoyed cooking for others
- 152. I weighed myself repeatedly during the day
- 153. I needed to have the table set in a specific way or I could not eat
- 154. I did not like it when food touched my lips
- 155. I cut my food into uniform pieces
- 156. I stocked up on food even though I didn't plan to eat it
- 157. I enjoyed collecting and saving recipes

- 158. I enjoyed looking at pictures of food
- 159. I recorded the calories of foods I ate
- 160. I kept a list of foods I ate each day

- 1. I ate a very large amount of food in a short period of time (e.g., within 2 hours)
- 2. I stuffed myself with food to the point of feeling sick
- 3. I ate until I was uncomfortably full
- 4. If someone offered me food, I felt that I could not resist eating it
- 5. I could not stop snacking throughout the day
- 6. I was not able to resist eating second helpings at meals
- 7. I ate when I was not hungry
- 8. If food tasted good, I ate a lot more of it than I should have
- 9. I ate because other people around me were eating, even though I was not hungry
- 10. I ate as if I was on auto-pilot
- 11. I snacked throughout the evening without realizing it
- 12. I ate an entire bag of chips or cookies without realizing it
- 13. I did not notice how much I ate until after I had finished eating
- 14. I thought that my weight was perfect
- 15. I did not like how my body looked
- 16. I did not like how clothes fit the shape of my body
- 17. I wished the shape of my body was different
- 18. I tried on different outfits, because I did not like how I looked
- 19. I would have felt more confident if I had greater muscle mass
- 20. I wanted more defined muscles
- 21. I thought my calves were not muscular enough
- 22. I exercised to achieve maximal vascularity (i.e., larger veins)
- 23. I exercised to achieve better muscle separation
- 24. I measured my muscles
- 25. I wanted to lift more weight
- 26. I thought my muscles were too small
- 27. I was not satisfied with the size of my hips
- 28. I did not like the size of my thighs
- 29. I thought my arms were too fat
- 30. I thought my butt was too big

- 31. Parts of my body seemed disproportionate
- 32. I looked at my body in mirrors or windows
- 33. I was self-conscious about the way my body looked
- 34. I tried to avoid foods with a high fat content
- 35. I tried to avoid eating between meals
- 36. I tried to exclude "unhealthy" foods from my diet
- 37. I tried to avoid foods with high calorie content
- 38. I counted the calories of foods I ate
- 39. I ate less than people I was with
- 40. People would be surprised if they knew how little I ate
- 41. People encouraged me to eat more
- 42. I purposely ate less than those around me
- 43. I avoided places where there would be tempting food
- 44. I chewed gum to avoid eating
- 45. I drank water to feel full
- 46. I enjoyed having an empty stomach
- 47. I could not stand feeling full
- 48. I intentionally banned specific foods from my diet
- 49. I followed a strict daily calorie limit
- 50. I maintained my ideal weight
- 51. People told me that I do not eat very much
- 52. I ate small portions at meals in order to control my weight
- 53. I chose a low-calorie snack
- 54. I was disgusted by the sight of obese people
- 55. I felt that overweight people are lazy
- 56. I thought that obese people lack self-control
- 57. I felt that overweight people are unattractive
- 58. I was disgusted by the sight of an overweight person wearing tight clothes
- 59. I was told that I am too thin
- 60. I made myself vomit in order to lose weight
- 61. I thought laxatives are a good way to lose weight
- 62. I used laxatives in order to lose weight

- 63. I thought about taking steroids as a way to get more muscular
- 64. I took weight gainers
- 65. I thought about taking weight gainers
- 66. I tried to eat at least 25 grams of protein per meal
- 67. I tried to eat as many calories as I could each day
- 68. I used muscle building supplements
- 69. I considered taking a muscle building supplement
- 70. I used diet pills
- 71. I used protein supplements
- 72. I used diuretics in order to lose weight
- 73. I considered taking diuretics to lose weight
- 74. I used diet teas or cleansing teas to lose weight
- 75. I exercised even though I was very tired
- 76. Other people thought I exercised too much
- 77. I exercised a lot more than most people my age
- 78. I pushed myself extremely hard when I exercised
- 79. I engaged in strenuous exercise at least five days per week
- 80. I exercised to the point of exhaustion
- 81. I exercised until I burned a specific amount of calories
- 82. I planned my days around exercising
- 83. I felt that I needed to exercise nearly every day
- 84. I skipped two meals in a row
- 85. I got full more easily than most people
- 86. I got full after eating what most people would consider a small amount of food
- 87. I recorded the calories of foods I ate
- 88. I kept a list of foods I ate each day

# Appendix B

Table B1	
Final Exploratory Factor Analysis for S	Study 1 Community Sample

Item	HIC	BD	Binge	WC	BBS	NA	Purging	Restricting	Muscularity
44. I thought that my weight was perfect	BD	-0.48	-0.14	-0.10	0.06	0.10	0.05	0.19	-0.15
46. I did not like how my body looked	BD	0.69	0.11	0.04	0.00	-0.02	-0.02	-0.08	0.22
49. I did not like how clothes fit the shape of my body	BD	0.72	0.11	0.01	-0.01	0.01	-0.03	-0.02	0.14
50. I wished the shape of my body was different	BD	0.70	0.06	-0.01	-0.02	0.05	-0.03	-0.02	0.21
51. I tried on different outfits, because I did not like how I looked	BD	0.63	0.06	0.01	0.02	0.05	0.05	0.14	0.01
59. I was not satisfied with the size of my hips	BD	0.86	-0.05	-0.05	-0.02	0.02	0.03	0.01	-0.11
61. I did not like the size of my thighs	BD	0.93	-0.01	-0.03	0.01	-0.03	0.00	0.02	-0.16
62. I wanted to be so thin that my thighs would not touch	BD	0.75	0.00	0.03	0.02	0.06	0.07	0.03	-0.19
63. I thought my arms were too fat	BD	0.79	0.08	0.02	-0.01	-0.15	-0.05	0.02	-0.09
66. I thought my butt was too big	BD	0.86	-0.06	-0.05	-0.01	0.06	0.04	-0.05	-0.16
68. Parts of my body seemed disproportionate	BD	0.65	0.06	-0.09	0.01	0.01	0.08	0.01	0.16
70. I was self-conscious about the way my body looked	BD	0.72	0.06	0.01	0.08	0.06	0.00	0.01	0.15
1. I ate a very large amount of food in a short period of time (e.g., within 2 hours)	BE	0.02	0.70	0.03	0.07	0.06	-0.13	-0.11	-0.06
2. I stuffed myself with food to the point of feeling sick	BE	0.22	0.58	-0.12	0.18	0.09	-0.06	0.03	-0.11
4. I ate until I was uncomfortably full	BE	0.06	0.71	0.01	0.00	0.03	-0.03	-0.04	-0.16
5. I ate large amounts of food	BE	-0.11	0.72	-0.03	0.06	0.08	0.00	-0.24	-0.06

Item	HIC	BD	Binge	WC	BBS	NA	Purging	Restricting	Muscularity
6. I ate a lot more than people who are my same sex and height	BE	0.04	0.65	-0.10	0.06	0.06	0.04	-0.24	-0.10
10. If someone offered me food, I felt that I could not resist eating it	BE	0.03	0.61	0.07	-0.05	0.06	0.03	-0.06	0.06
11. I could not stop snacking throughout the day	BE	0.00	0.62	0.09	-0.04	-0.16	-0.02	0.05	0.10
12. I was not able to resist eating second helpings at meals	BE	-0.09	0.72	0.07	-0.04	0.02	-0.02	-0.09	-0.04
14. I ate when I was not hungry	BE	0.11	0.63	0.09	-0.14	-0.02	-0.04	0.05	-0.07
15. I had a strong urge to eat after seeing a commercial about food	BE	0.03	0.54	-0.09	0.04	-0.01	-0.04	0.18	0.14
16. If food tasted good, I ate a lot more of it than I should have	BE	0.08	0.70	-0.05	-0.05	0.06	-0.08	0.00	0.05
17. I ate because other people around me were eating, even though I was not hungry	BE	0.04	0.60	0.00	-0.17	-0.03	0.06	0.16	-0.01
34. I ate as if I was on auto-pilot	BE	0.07	0.69	0.01	-0.05	-0.08	0.08	-0.01	0.00
36. I snacked throughout the evening without realizing it	BE	0.05	0.67	0.00	-0.10	-0.06	0.00	0.12	0.08
37. I ate an entire bag of chips or cookies without realizing it	BE	-0.03	0.62	-0.06	-0.08	0.01	0.03	0.11	0.13
38. I did not notice how much I ate until after I had finished eating	BE	0.05	0.66	-0.02	-0.08	0.04	0.12	0.10	0.05
43. No matter how much I ate, I never seemed to get full	BE	-0.02	0.51	-0.03	0.06	-0.04	0.13	-0.07	0.04
76. I tried to avoid foods with a high fat content	CFR	0.02	-0.21	0.69	-0.08	0.07	-0.04	-0.03	-0.05
77. I tried to avoid eating between meals	CFR	0.08	-0.10	0.44	-0.12	0.13	0.02	0.06	0.02

Item	HIC	BD	Binge	WC	BBS	NA	Purging	Restricting	Muscularity
79. I tried to exclude "unhealthy" foods from my diet	CFR	-0.05	-0.24	0.67	0.06	0.05	0.01	-0.01	-0.05
82. I tried to avoid foods with high calorie content	CFR	0.02	-0.06	0.78	-0.17	0.07	-0.01	-0.02	0.02
84. I counted the calories of foods I ate	DR	-0.04	0.18	0.71	0.07	-0.11	0.04	0.10	0.05
91. I ate small portions at meals in order to control my weight	DR	0.07	0.02	0.60	-0.11	-0.02	-0.01	0.19	0.08
93. I chose a low-calorie snack	DR	0.03	-0.13	0.66	-0.11	-0.05	0.03	0.05	-0.06
138. I felt guilty when I missed a workout or exercise class	EE	0.00	0.15	0.42	0.22	0.09	0.03	0.00	-0.12
159. I recorded the calories of foods I ate	FWR	-0.03	0.24	0.65	0.12	-0.11	0.01	-0.02	0.10
60. I kept a list of foods I ate each day	FWR	0.10	0.21	0.57	0.09	-0.13	-0.02	0.01	0.05
117. I thought about taking steroids as a way to get more muscular	PRG/SU	0.02	0.02	-0.03	0.43	0.00	0.06	0.03	0.24
118. I took weight gainers	PRG/SU	0.07	-0.11	-0.02	0.81	-0.15	0.02	0.05	0.07
119. I thought about taking weight gainers	PRG/SU	0.02	-0.04	-0.06	0.77	-0.11	-0.05	0.18	0.13
120. I tried to eat at least 25 grams of protein per meal	PRG/SU	-0.01	-0.08	0.01	0.55	0.04	-0.01	0.10	0.01
121. I tried to eat as many calories as I could each day	PRG/SU	-0.05	0.08	-0.17	0.59	-0.09	-0.05	0.20	0.06
122. I used muscle building supplements	PRG/SU	0.04	-0.11	0.07	0.88	0.05	-0.02	-0.09	0.02
123. I considered taking a muscle building supplement	PRG/SU	-0.06	-0.02	0.06	0.81	0.05	-0.02	-0.10	0.11
127. I used protein supplements	PRG/SU	0.12	-0.05	0.04	0.72	-0.01	0.06	-0.08	-0.04
95. I was disgusted by the sight of obese people	DO	0.02	-0.04	-0.02	-0.01	0.76	-0.03	0.08	0.02

Item	HIC	BD	Binge	WC	BBS	NA	Purging	Restricting	Muscularity
96. I thought to myself that overweight people are unhappy	DO	0.16	0.07	0.08	0.00	0.68	-0.06	0.06	0.01
97. I felt that overweight people are lazy	DO	0.01	0.02	-0.06	0.01	0.77	0.04	0.04	0.08
98. I thought that obese people lack self- control	DO	-0.03	0.01	0.01	-0.06	0.80	0.05	0.00	0.11
99. I felt that overweight people are unattractive	DO	-0.06	0.00	0.08	-0.04	0.77	-0.07	-0.04	0.08
101. I was disgusted by the sight of an overweight person wearing tight clothes	DO	0.04	0.00	-0.06	-0.08	0.73	0.02	0.09	0.10
114. I made myself vomit in order to lose weight	PRG/SU	0.09	0.09	0.03	0.08	0.02	0.32	0.01	-0.14
115. I thought laxatives are a good way to lose weight	PRG/SU	0.00	0.04	0.00	0.00	0.05	0.73	0.00	-0.11
116. I used laxatives in order to lose weight	PRG/SU	-0.03	-0.01	0.04	0.01	-0.01	0.84	-0.05	-0.13
125. I used diet pills	PRG/SU	0.12	0.05	0.04	0.02	0.01	0.48	0.04	0.02
128. I used diuretics in order to lose weight	PRG/SU	-0.03	-0.05	-0.02	0.01	-0.06	0.77	-0.01	0.09
129. I considered taking diuretics to lose weight	PRG/SU	0.06	-0.07	0.00	-0.07	0.08	0.69	0.00	0.12
133. I used diet teas or cleansing teas to lose weight	PRG/SU	0.07	0.05	-0.01	-0.02	-0.13	0.54	0.00	0.11
86. I ate less than people I was with	DR	0.05	-0.13	0.22	-0.05	0.00	-0.07	0.49	-0.08
87. People told me that I do not eat very much	DR	-0.01	0.00	0.07	0.05	0.07	-0.01	0.70	-0.04
110. I was told that I am too thin	FF	-0.23	0.11	-0.18	0.23	0.13	0.10	0.42	-0.07

Item	HIC	BD	Binge	WC	BBS	NA	Purging	Restricting	Muscularity
142. I got full more easily than most people	SAT	-0.02	0.03	0.04	0.10	0.04	-0.02	0.76	-0.13
144. I got full after eating what most people would consider a small amount of food	SAT	0.00	-0.03	0.05	0.05	0.04	0.03	0.70	-0.01
54. I would have felt more confident if I had greater muscle mass	DM	0.25	0.01	-0.01	0.13	0.14	-0.02	-0.02	0.56
56. I wanted more defined abdominal muscles	DM	0.26	0.03	0.04	0.10	0.11	0.04	-0.07	0.55
57. I wanted a more muscular chest	DM	-0.19	0.03	-0.03	0.20	0.18	-0.03	-0.14	0.64
58. I wished my body was more toned	DM	0.45	0.05	0.10	0.04	-0.01	0.04	0.01	0.50

Note. *N*=407 community participants. Promax rotation. BD=Body Dissatisfaction, WC=Weight Control Behaviors, BBS=Bodybuilding Supplements, NA=Negative Attitudes toward Obesity. Factor loadings  $\geq$  |.40| are highlighted in bold. HIC=Homogeneous item composite. DM=Desire for high muscularity, BE=Binge Eating, CFR=Cognitive Food Restraint, DR=Fasting/Dietary Restraint, EE=Excessive Exercise, FWR=Food/Weight Rituals, PRG/SU=Purging Behavior/Supplement Use/Recurrent Inappropriate Compensatory Behavior, DO= Disgust of Obesity, FF=Fear of Fatness, SAT=Satiety.

Table B2	
Final Exploratory Factor Analysis for Study 1 College Student Sample	?

Item	HIC	BD	Binge	WC	BBS	NA	Purging	Restricting	Muscular
40. I was not satisfied with my weight	BD	0.87	0.03	-0.02	0.12	-0.04	-0.05	-0.05	0
41. I wished I could lose five or more pounds	BD	0.91	-0.04	0.01	-0.05	-0.04	-0.07	-0.14	-0
42. I would have been happier if I lost some weight	BD	0.86	0.01	0.03	-0.03	0.02	-0.01	-0.12	-0
43. I felt dissatisfied because I could not reach my target weight	BD	0.82	0.05	0.03	0.09	0.02	-0.04	-0.02	0
44. I thought that my weight was perfect	BD	-0.80	0.09	0.13	-0.09	0.05	0.09	0.15	-0
45. I thought about my weight so much that it interfered with my life	BD	0.54	0.08	0.14	0.04	-0.04	0.20	0.15	0
46. I did not like how my body looked	BD	0.84	0.03	-0.06	0.08	0.02	-0.07	-0.03	0
47. I felt uncomfortable in the clothes I was wearing	BD	0.75	0.13	0.00	-0.06	-0.04	-0.09	0.03	0
48. I thought my body shape was attractive	BD	-0.59	0.03	0.11	-0.09	0.21	0.06	0.10	-0
49. I did not like how clothes fit the shape of my body	BD	0.75	0.13	-0.07	-0.05	-0.03	-0.09	0.04	0
50. I wished the shape of my body was different	BD	0.83	0.05	-0.10	0.11	-0.05	-0.09	0.00	0
51. I tried on different outfits, because I did not like how I looked	BD	0.62	0.13	0.02	-0.08	-0.03	-0.02	0.12	0
59. I was not satisfied with the size of my hips	BD	0.76	-0.03	-0.11	0.03	-0.06	0.00	0.07	-0

Item	HIC	BD	Binge	WC	BBS	NA	Purging	Restricting	Muscularity
60. I wished I had a smaller waist	BD	0.88	-0.05	-0.04	-0.05	-0.03	-0.03	-0.06	-0.12
61. I did not like the size of my	BD	0.67	0.02	-0.14	-0.03	-0.05	0.03	0.17	-0.12
thighs	DD	0.07	0.02	0.11	0.01	0.00	0.05	0.17	0.11
63. I thought my arms were too fat	BD	0.68	0.05	-0.03	-0.10	-0.01	0.09	-0.01	-0.08
66. I thought my butt was too big	BD	0.00	-0.01	-0.02	-0.05	-0.09	0.09	0.06	0.05
67. I wished my stomach was flatter	BD	0.79	-0.01	0.02	-0.09	0.03	-0.08	-0.07	-0.03
68. Parts of my body seemed	BD	0.61	0.01	-0.06	0.07	-0.03	0.06	0.10	-0.01
disproportionate	DD	0.01	0.11	0.00	0.07	0.05	0.00	0.10	0.01
69. I looked at my body in mirrors or	BD	0.51	0.02	0.02	0.06	0.13	-0.03	0.14	0.00
windows	DD	0.01	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.10	0.05	0.11	0.00
70. I was self-conscious about the	BD	0.74	0.06	-0.05	0.05	0.05	-0.01	0.10	0.16
way my body looked									
73. I avoided looking at my body	BD	0.57	0.11	-0.08	0.00	-0.04	0.13	0.02	0.07
74. I avoided certain activities	BD	0.61	0.11	-0.09	0.03	0.07	0.15	-0.03	0.04
because people would see my									
body									
81. I thought about food or calories	CFR	0.62	-0.04	0.24	0.06	0.09	-0.08	-0.01	0.06
82. I tried to avoid foods with high	CFR	0.63	-0.13	0.28	-0.05	0.10	-0.08	0.02	0.00
calorie content									
94. I was very afraid of gaining	FF	0.75	-0.03	0.10	-0.07	0.09	0.07	0.05	-0.05
weight									
100. I felt like I would never stop	FF	0.58	0.13	0.02	-0.13	0.07	0.15	-0.09	-0.02
gaining weight									
102. I would have done anything to	FF	0.52	-0.07	0.12	-0.14	0.19	0.25	0.05	0.01
keep myself from gaining weight									
103. I thought gaining weight would	FF	0.43	0.03	0.12	-0.11	0.22	0.20	0.08	-0.01
ruin my life									

Item	HIC	BD	Binge	WC	BBS	NA	Purging	Restricting	Muscularity
06. I motivated myself by looking at pictures of very thin people	FF	0.55	-0.01	0.15	-0.01	-0.02	0.18	0.06	0.00
07. I wanted to be as thin as possible	FF	0.61	-0.01	0.08	-0.08	-0.04	0.18	0.06	0.04
1. I ate a very large amount of food in a short period of time (e.g., within 2 hours)	BE	-0.09	0.58	0.16	0.03	0.02	0.03	-0.23	-0.01
2. I stuffed myself with food to the point of feeling sick	BE	0.00	0.58	0.06	-0.03	0.09	0.06	-0.13	0.01
3. People would have been surprised if they knew how much I ate in one sitting	BE	-0.23	0.57	0.13	0.00	0.04	0.08	-0.24	0.12
4. I ate until I was uncomfortably full	BE	0.13	0.53	0.02	0.05	0.02	0.01	-0.14	0.03
10. If someone offered me food, I felt that I could not resist eating it	BE	0.07	0.64	0.02	0.05	0.11	-0.05	0.02	-0.06
1. I could not stop snacking throughout the day	BE	0.01	0.64	0.01	-0.01	0.00	-0.15	0.12	0.03
12. I was not able to resist eating second helpings at meals	BE	-0.01	0.60	0.05	0.02	0.08	-0.08	-0.13	0.03
14. I ate when I was not hungry	BE	0.18	0.61	-0.04	-0.08	-0.10	-0.12	0.06	-0.08
15. I had a strong urge to eat after seeing a commercial about food	BE	-0.07	0.51	-0.04	0.02	0.07	-0.07	0.13	0.01
16. If food tasted good, I ate a lot more of it than I should have	BE	-0.01	0.71	0.03	-0.08	0.12	-0.09	-0.05	-0.01
17. I ate because other people around me were eating, even though I was not hungry	BE	0.12	0.65	0.02	-0.02	0.06	-0.06	0.14	-0.04

Item	HIC	BD	Binge	WC	BBS	NA	Purging	Restricting	Muscularity
19. I ate a lot when there was nothing else to do	BE	0.06	0.76	-0.01	0.00	0.00	-0.07	0.05	-0.01
33. I ate without being aware of how much I was eating	BE	0.16	0.54	0.00	0.04	-0.01	0.10	-0.07	-0.05
34. I ate as if I was on auto-pilot	BE	0.04	0.58	-0.02	0.03	0.02	0.16	-0.17	0.05
35. I found myself snacking without thinking about it	BE	0.11	0.67	-0.01	-0.01	-0.10	-0.01	0.14	-0.04
36. I snacked throughout the evening without realizing it	BE	0.13	0.59	-0.06	0.10	-0.04	0.09	0.09	-0.12
37. I ate an entire bag of chips or cookies without realizing it	BE	0.05	0.54	-0.03	0.02	-0.10	0.18	-0.03	0.03
38. I did not notice how much I ate until after I had finished eating	BE	0.11	0.63	0.01	-0.01	-0.03	0.12	-0.11	0.04
39. I ate when I was bored	BE	0.14	0.68	-0.03	-0.04	-0.10	-0.11	0.13	-0.04
134. I exercised even when I was sick	EE	0.04	0.00	0.79	0.06	-0.04	-0.07	0.04	-0.05
135. I exercised even though I was very tired	EE	0.10	-0.01	0.81	0.01	-0.07	-0.11	0.00	0.06
136. I exercised even when I had an injury	EE	-0.02	0.10	0.73	0.07	-0.07	-0.01	0.05	-0.02
137. Other people thought I exercised too much	EE	-0.04	0.03	0.74	-0.02	-0.06	0.02	0.10	-0.04
139. My exercise schedule interfered with my life	EE	0.07	0.16	0.58	0.14	-0.01	0.10	0.01	-0.05
140. Sometimes I lost track of how long I was exercising	EE	-0.04	-0.02	0.71	0.00	-0.08	-0.05	0.09	0.06
141. I exercised for more than 2 hours at a time	EE	-0.18	0.03	0.71	-0.07	-0.04	0.02	0.02	0.03

Item	HIC	BD	Binge	WC	BBS	NA	Purging	Restricting	Muscularity
117. I thought about taking steroids	PRG/SU	0.01	0.02	-0.02	0.53	-0.03	0.10	0.00	-0.01
as a way to get more muscular									
118. I took weight gainers	PRG/SU	0.04	-0.01	-0.08	0.79	-0.05	0.08	0.08	-0.11
119. I thought about taking weight gainers	PRG/SU	-0.06	0.03	-0.12	0.80	-0.06	0.04	0.14	0.03
120. I tried to eat at least 25 grams of protein per meal	PRG/SU	0.01	-0.01	0.16	0.67	0.06	-0.03	-0.01	-0.03
121. I tried to eat as many calories as I could each day	PRG/SU	-0.16	0.13	-0.05	0.55	-0.02	-0.02	0.15	0.09
122. I used muscle building supplements	PRG/SU	0.04	-0.07	0.09	0.84	0.07	-0.01	-0.11	-0.03
123. I considered taking a muscle building supplement	PRG/SU	-0.04	-0.01	0.08	0.76	0.08	-0.02	-0.08	0.06
127. I used protein supplements	PRG/SU	0.02	-0.03	0.15	0.76	0.06	0.03	-0.08	-0.02
95. I was disgusted by the sight of obese people	DO	0.08	0.05	-0.08	0.02	0.73	-0.07	0.11	-0.02
97. I felt that overweight people are lazy	DO	-0.03	0.00	-0.03	0.05	0.77	-0.02	0.05	-0.02
98. I thought that obese people lack self-control	DO	0.00	0.03	-0.11	0.05	0.83	-0.06	0.00	-0.03
99. I felt that overweight people are unattractive	DO	-0.03	0.02	-0.08	0.05	0.69	0.02	-0.05	0.10
101. I was disgusted by the sight of an overweight person wearing tight clothes	DO	-0.05	0.07	-0.09	-0.07	0.68	0.01	0.09	0.01
114. I made myself vomit in order to lose weight	PRG/SU	0.02	0.03	0.00	-0.01	-0.02	0.60	-0.03	0.08

Item	HIC	BD	Binge	WC	BBS	NA	Purging	Restricting	Muscularity
115. I thought laxatives are a good way to lose weight	PRG/SU	0.19	-0.01	-0.08	0.05	0.00	0.66	-0.01	-0.01
116. I used laxatives in order to lose weight	PRG/SU	0.05	-0.07	-0.07	0.13	-0.07	0.73	0.10	-0.05
86. I ate less than people I was with	DR	0.26	-0.21	0.10	0.08	0.05	-0.07	0.50	0.03
87. People told me that I do not eat very much	DR	0.14	-0.07	0.05	0.05	0.04	0.06	0.68	0.00
110. I was told that I am too thin	DR	-0.33	0.20	-0.03	-0.03	-0.08	0.05	0.49	0.32
142. I got full more easily than most people	SAT	0.00	-0.08	0.10	-0.02	0.10	0.01	0.73	0.01
144. I got full after eating what most people would consider a small amount of food	SAT	-0.02	-0.05	0.07	0.00	0.04	0.03	0.75	-0.06
52. I wished my body was more muscular	DM	0.17	-0.10	0.00	-0.03	0.01	0.03	-0.02	0.81
54. I would have felt more confident if I had greater muscle mass	DM	0.15	-0.06	0.04	0.00	0.02	0.00	-0.02	0.81
55. I wished my arms were more muscular	DM	0.12	-0.03	0.04	-0.07	0.03	0.00	-0.01	0.81
65. I thought my arms were too thin	DM	-0.22	0.15	-0.10	0.11	-0.03	-0.04	0.19	0.55

Note. N=433 college students. Promax rotation. BD=Body Dissatisfaction, WC=Weight Control Behaviors, BBS=Bodybuilding Supplements, NA= Negative Attitudes toward Obesity. Factor loadings  $\geq$  |.40| are highlighted in bold. HIC=Homogeneous item composite. DM=Desire for high muscularity, BE=Binge Eating, CFR=Cognitive Food Restraint, DR=Fasting/Dietary Restraint, EE=Excessive Exercise, FWR=Food/Weight Rituals, PRG/SU=Purging Behavior/Supplement Use/Recurrent Inappropriate Compensatory Behavior, DO= Disgust of Obesity, FF=Fear of Fatness, SAT=Satiety.

							Negative Attitudes	
	Body	Binge	Cognitive			Excessive	toward	Muscle
Item	Dissatisfaction	Eating	Restraint	Purging	Restricting	Exercise	Obesity	Building
15. I did not like how my body looked	.78	08	.01	02	.02	08	05	.13
16. I did not like how clothes fit the shape of my body	.85	03	.00	03	.06	03	13	.15
17. I wished the shape of my body was different	.86	.03	.00	08	.11	04	04	.08
18. I tried on different outfits, because I did not like how I looked	.61	.16	.04	.06	.09	.08	.04	.01
27. I was not satisfied with the size of my hips	.66	.02	.12	.03	10	.03	01	17
28. I did not like the size of my thighs	.66	03	.04	.12	05	.01	.09	11
30. I thought my butt was too big	.57	04	.10	.15	11	.09	.11	14
1. I ate a very large amount of food in a short period of time (e.g., within 2 hours)	11	.92	.11	.01	.04	05	.01	.06
2. I stuffed myself with food to the point of feeling sick	13	.95	.10	.00	.09	06	03	.09
3. I ate until I was uncomfortably full	06	.89	.06	.01	.04	11	.00	.09
4. If someone offered me food, I felt that I could not resist eating it	.06	.67	11	.00	15	.09	.03	.05
7. I ate when I was not hungry	.06	.68	08	07	27	01	.02	.03
10. I ate as if I was on auto-pilot	.08	.69	.07	05	19	04	.05	.00
11. I snacked throughout the evening without realizing it	.02	.59	10	04	24	.10	02	12

# Table B3Final Exploratory Factor Analysis for Study 3 Eating Disorder Patients

<b>X</b>	Body	Binge	Cognitive		<b>D</b>	Excessive	Negative Attitudes toward	Muscle
Item	Dissatisfaction	Eating	Restraint	Purging	Restricting	Exercise	Obesity	Building
13. I did not notice how much I ate until after I had finished eating	.07	.79	14	03	.07	.10	09	10
60. I made myself vomit in order to lose weight	.09	.59	01	.28	.13	.00	.01	10
36. I tried to exclude "unhealthy" foods from my diet	.16	.06	.81	08	.04	.02	.05	.03
37. I tried to avoid foods with high calorie content	.06	02	.87	03	03	.06	.06	01
38. I counted the calories of foods I ate	01	07	.68	.15	.11	.12	08	03
61. I thought laxatives are a good way to lose weight	02	.16	.04	.65	.06	.01	.03	17
70. I used diet pills	.00	.02	05	.71	05	02	.02	.10
72. I used diuretics in order to lose weight	.02	07	06	.85	03	06	01	.03
73. I considered taking diuretics to lose weight	.06	.00	.03	.84	.01	02	07	01
74. I used diet or cleansing teas to lose weight	.02	10	.03	.71	06	.05	.00	.21
40. People would be surprised if they knew how little I ate	02	05	.16	02	.69	.03	03	05
41. People encouraged me to eat more	.03	12	.09	13	.70	.00	07	.08
51. People told me that I do not eat very much	13	22	.01	.06	.65	.13	02	.05
84. I skipped two meals in a row	.04	.24	08	.24	.63	.08	.01	05

							Negative Attitudes	
	Body	Binge	Cognitive			Excessive	toward	Muscle
Item	Dissatisfaction	Eating	Restraint	Purging	•	Exercise	Obesity	Building
85. I got full more easily than most people	.11	20	14	05	.77	11	.11	08
86. I got full after eating what most people would consider a small amount of food	.04	13	09	07	.83	02	.06	02
78. I pushed myself extremely hard when I exercised	.05	.00	07	.05	01	.90	.06	.00
79. I engaged in strenuous exercise at least five days per week	02	01	.01	.04	.03	.92	04	.01
80. I exercised to the point of exhaustion	.00	01	05	.04	.03	.91	.04	01
82. I planned my days around exercising	01	.02	.04	10	01	.89	01	.04
83. I felt that I needed to exercise nearly every day	03	02	.18	08	.00	.82	04	.02
54. I was disgusted by the sight of obese people	.00	09	01	.00	02	.01	.90	.01
55. I felt that overweight people are lazy	03	.07	.01	04	.01	.09	.89	.00
56. I thought that overweight people lack self-control	02	02	.02	02	.01	04	.92	05
57. I felt that overweight people are unattractive	.03	.02	.08	01	03	05	.88	.10

						_	Negative Attitudes	
	Body	Binge	Cognitive			Excessive	toward	Muscle
Item	Dissatisfaction	Eating	Restraint	Purging	Restricting	Exercise	Obesity	Building
58. I was disgusted by the sight of an overweight person wearing tight clothes	02	01	05	.06	.09	.00	.84	.01
26. I thought my muscles were too small	.17	.19	17	17	.21	.09	.04	.23
63. I thought about taking steroids as a way to get more muscular	15	.01	32	.07	.21	.02	.00	.07
68. I used muscle building supplements	03	06	.07	.03	06	.03	02	.84
69. I considered taking a muscle building supplement	.06	02	12	.05	05	.06	.04	.82
71. I used protein supplements	02	.10	.02	.10	.04	05	.05	.69

Note. N=158 patients with eating disorders. Promax rotation. Factor loadings  $\geq |.30|$  are in bold text.

_Final Exploratory Factor Analysis for	Body	Binge	•			Excessive	Negative Attitudes toward	Muscle
Item	Dissatisfaction	Eating	Restraint	Purging	Restricting	Exercise	Obesity	Building
15. I did not like how my body looked	.86	08	05	04	10	06	.08	.12
16. I did not like how clothes fit the shape of my body	.84	.06	.01	03	.00	11	02	.12
17. I wished the shape of my body was different	.83	.04	.00	07	03	06	03	.17
<ol> <li>I tried on different outfits, because I did not like how I looked</li> </ol>	.44	.11	.02	.11	.14	02	04	.02
27. I was not satisfied with the size of my hips	.69	02	.02	.08	.11	.11	.02	22
28. I did not like the size of my thighs	.71	.05	.02	.05	.10	.07	.01	19
30. I thought my butt was too big	.55	.17	.05	.03	.00	.10	05	17
1. I ate a very large amount of food in a short period of time (e.g., within 2 hours)	01	.76	05	.01	03	01	02	.09
2. I stuffed myself with food to the point of feeling sick	05	.82	01	.01	.06	02	.00	.08
3. I ate until I was uncomfortably full	.06	.68	03	.11	05	.02	04	03
4. If someone offered me food, I felt that I could not resist eating it	.04	.64	05	.00	.00	.05	.08	02
7. I ate when I was not hungry	.13	.63	.03	02	12	.07	03	10
10. I ate as if I was on auto-pilot	.15	.64	.03	07	21	03	.01	.04

 Table B4

 Final Exploratory Factor Analysis for Study 3 General Psychiatric Outpatients

							Negative Attitudes	
	Body	Binge	Cognitive			Excessive	toward	Muscle
Item	Dissatisfaction	Eating	Restraint	Purging	Restricting	Exercise	Obesity	Building
11. I snacked throughout the evening without realizing it	.01	.71	02	09	01	03	.00	.01
13. I did not notice how much I ate until after I had finished eating	01	.61	.05	.04	.10	08	.11	03
36. I tried to exclude "unhealthy" foods from my diet	05	.06	.82	03	.02	.00	03	.06
37. I tried to avoid foods with high calorie content	.02	03	.83	.00	05	.03	.04	05
38. I counted the calories of foods I ate	.10	09	.52	.13	03	.07	07	.05
60. I made myself vomit in order to lose weight	07	.26	.09	.36	.16	.03	04	08
61. I thought laxatives are a good way to lose weight	01	.22	.17	.37	.16	06	.08	.02
70. I used diet pills	.06	.04	.00	.67	07	.01	09	.08
72. I used diuretics in order to lose weight	04	06	06	.90	07	04	.00	.04
73. I considered taking diuretics to lose weight	.08	.00	05	.79	.00	.00	.05	07
74. I used diet or cleansing teas to lose weight	.01	12	.08	.68	06	02	.03	.10
40. People would be surprised if they knew how little I ate	.06	02	04	.06	.62	01	08	04

							Negative Attitudes	
	Body	Binge	Cognitive			Excessive	toward	Muscle
Item	Dissatisfaction	Eating	Restraint	0 0		Exercise	Obesity	Building
41. People encouraged me to eat more	07	.08	04	02	.58	04	02	.15
51. People told me that I do not eat very much	05	.07	04	07	.74	.01	01	.07
84. I skipped two meals in a row	.08	.00	07	.15	.44	.06	.00	.11
85. I got full more easily than most people	.08	14	.08	06	.75	03	.02	01
86. I got full after eating what most people would consider a small amount of food	.08	17	.02	07	.75	01	.05	01
78. I pushed myself extremely hard when I exercised	.01	.01	04	.00	.03	.78	.01	.11
79. I engaged in strenuous exercise at least five days per week	06	.02	.04	08	01	.81	08	.03
80. I exercised to the point of exhaustion	.00	.02	13	.06	.09	.81	.01	.01
82. I planned my days around exercising	01	08	.11	04	08	.71	.06	.04
83. I felt that I needed to exercise nearly every day	.06	.00	.15	.00	07	.62	.05	.02
54. I was disgusted by the sight of obese people	.07	.02	.05	03	.06	07	.77	.03
55. I felt that overweight people are lazy	11	.06	.06	01	.01	03	.82	.01

							Negative Attitudes	
	Body	Binge	Cognitive			Excessive	toward	Muscle
Item	Dissatisfaction	Eating	Restraint	Purging	Restricting	Exercise	Obesity	Building
56. I thought that overweight people lack self-control	09	.07	05	.06	.02	.09	.78	11
57. I felt that overweight people are unattractive	.06	06	02	05	14	.01	.75	.04
58. I was disgusted by the sight of an overweight person wearing tight clothes	.07	01	10	.03	.02	.04	.66	.07
26. I thought my muscles were too small	.11	.10	06	.01	.04	.16	.01	.43
63. I thought about taking steroids as a way to get more muscular	16	.19	.03	.08	.15	.02	02	.52
68. I used muscle building supplements	03	.02	.06	03	.06	.03	01	.79
59. I considered taking a muscle building supplement	.04	07	03	.00	02	.05	02	.85
71. I used protein supplements	.01	12	.06	.09	.02	.03	.09	.59

N=308 general psychiatric outpatients. Promax rotation. Factor loadings  $\geq |.30|$  are in bold text.

## Appendix C

Final 45-item Version of the EPSI

### **EPSI**<sup>©</sup>

Below is a list of experiences and problems that people sometimes have. Read each item to determine how well it describes your recent experiences. Then select the option that best describes <u>how</u> <u>frequently</u> each statement applied to you <u>during the past four weeks, including today</u>. Use this scale when answering:

0	1	2	3	4
Never	Rarely	Sometimes	Often	<u>Very</u> Often

1. I did not like how clothes fit the shape of my body	1
2. I tried to exclude "unhealthy" foods from my diet	2
3. I ate when I was not hungry	3
4. People told me that I do not eat very much	4
5. I felt that I needed to exercise nearly every day	5
6. People would be surprised if they knew how little I ate	6
7. I used muscle building supplements	7
8. I pushed myself extremely hard when I exercised	8
9. I snacked throughout the evening without realizing it	9
10. I got full more easily than most people	10
11. I considered taking diuretics to lose weight	11
12. I tried on different outfits, because I did not like how I looked	12
13. I thought laxatives are a good way to lose weight	13
14. I thought that obese people lack self-control	14
15. I thought about taking steroids as a way to get more muscular	15
16. I used diet teas or cleansing teas to lose weight	16
17. I used diet pills	17
18. I did not like how my body looked	18
19. I ate until I was uncomfortably full	19

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	0	1	2	3	4				
	Never	Rarely	Sometimes	Often	<u>Very Often</u>				
20. I felt that overweight people are lazy									
21. I counted the calories of foods I ate									
22. I planned my days around exercising									
23. I thought my butt was too big									
24. I did not like the size of my thighs									
25. I wished the shape of my body was different									
26. I was disgusted by the sight of an overweight person wearing tight clothes									
27. I made myself vomit in order to lose weight									
28. I did not notice how much I ate until after I had finished eating									
29. I considered taking a muscle building supplement									
30. I felt that overweight people are unattractive									
31. I engaged in strenuous exercise at least five days per week									
32. I thought my muscles were too small									
33. I got full after eating what most people would consider a small amount of food									
34. I was not satisfied with the size of my hips									
35. l us		35							
36. Peo		36							
37. lf s		37							
38. I wa		38							
39. I stuffed myself with food to the point of feeling sick EPSI Page 2 of 3									

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	0	1	2	3	4				
	Never	Rarely	Sometimes	Often	<u>Very</u> Often				
40. I tried to avoid foods with high calorie content									
41. I exercised to the point of exhaustion									
42. I used diuretics in order to lose weight									
43. I skipped two meals in a row									
44. I ate as if I was on auto-pilot									
45. I ate a very large amount of food in a short period of time (e.g., within 2 hours)									

## EPSI<sup>©</sup> Scoring

<u>Directions</u>: This page should not be administered to participants/patients. Sum the scores for individual items for each scale (see below).

Body Dissatisfaction #1, #12, #18, #23, #24, #25, #34 Binge Eating #3, #9, #19, #28, #37, #39, #44, #45 Cognitive Restraint #2, #21, #40 Purging #11, #13, #16, #17, #27, #42 Restricting #4, #6, #10, #33, #36, #43 Excessive Exercise #5, #8, #22, #31, #41 Negative Attitudes toward Obesity #14, #20, #26, #30, #38 Muscle Building #7, #15, #29, #32, #35