

EDITING EXAMPLE #3

Are there any possible benefits to participating in this study?

Improving depression symptoms is not an anticipated outcome of participating in the survey in the first phase of the study. However, we hope that providing you with information about depression will help you discuss the issue with your primary care provider.

Grade level = 12.5

Reading ease = 35.3 (“difficult”)

Will being in this study help me?

We do not expect doing the survey in Part 1 of the study will help you. But we hope that giving you information about depression will help you talk with your doctor about how you are feeling.

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Grade level = 5.6

Reading ease = 80.4 (“easy”)

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