RTMS.e13 “Validation” of Outcome Measures in Dermatology

QUESTIONS

1. GRADE and SORT describe which of the following?
   A. Score.
   B. Scale.
   C. Profile.
   D. Index.
   E. Table.

2. Which of the following is NOT a property used to test the behavior of an outcome measurement tool?
   A. Validity.
   B. Structure.
   C. Responsiveness.
   D. Reliability.
   E. Sensibility.

3. Which of the following statements regarding outcome measures is false?
   A. The PASI remains the gold standard by which all other psoriasis tools are judged.
   B. The COSMIN checklist is an attempt to standardize development and reporting of outcome measures.
   C. Outcome measures are used to quantify clinical disease severity and patient-reported outcomes.
   D. Items that load onto multiple constructs are best eliminated from the instrument.
   E. In the Skindex, the emotional dimension is further subdivided into the constructs of depression, fear, embarrassment, and anger.

ANSWERS

1. E.
2. E.
3. A.