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The Visual Vertigo Analogue Scale: Evaluation of its validity and responsiveness

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Many people with vestibular impairments have visual vertigo; dizziness provoked in dynamic visual environments. As this is a subjective feeling, it is valuable to have a quantitative method of assessing it. The Visual Vertigo Analogue Scale (VVAS) is a method of monitoring the intensity of visual vertigo. This presentation will review the VVAS scale and a study evaluating its validity and responsiveness to change in patients' outcomes.