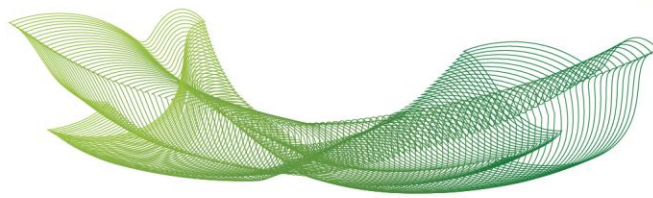




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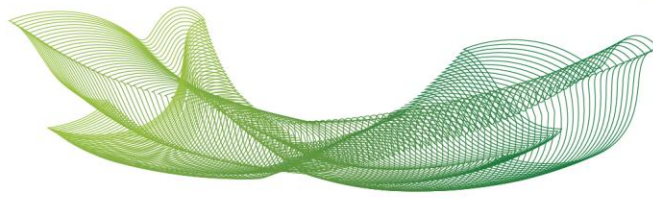
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has motivated the construction of  
different scales for both,  
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constructed in the 1960s and  
1970s using less advanced  
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today, which may have  
generated inconsistent  
replication results of validity  
evidence regarding the  
internal structure of these  
instruments. The aim of this  
study was, from a scoping  
review, to investigate these  
psychometric properties of  
scales with generalized control  
expectations for adults. Forty-  
seven studies were selected  
that included analyzes of  
three scales: Rotter's I-E  
Scale (1966), Levenson's I-P-  
C Scale (1973, 1974), and  
Oviedo Locus of Control Scale  
from Suárez-Álvarez et al.  
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out gaps in the I-E and I-P-C



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scales, as well as recommendation of new studies with Oviedo Locus of Control Scale. Study limitations and suggestions for further investigations are discussed.

Fomento

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