

S2 Table. Scoring of the questionnaires

In which countries can Chagas disease be found? (maximum 1.5 point)	a. Only in Latin American countries	0 point
	b. In Latin America, the United States, Europe, Japan and Australia	0.5 point
	c. Worldwide	1 point
How is Chagas disease spread? (maximum 4 points)	By the bite of the kissing bug (vinchuca, chinche besucona, barbeiro)	1 point
	By transfusion of blood or infected organs	1 point
	From mother to child during pregnancy if the woman is infected	1 point
	By consumption of food contaminated with the infected kissing-bug	1 point
	By kisses and hugs. None of them.	0 point 0 point
What symptoms does Chagas disease give? (maximum 2 points)	Sight problems.	0 point
	Heart problems.	1 point
	Digestive symptoms.	1 point
	Digestive and heart disorders.	2 points
	None of these	0 point
If you are tested for Chagas and the result is positive: (maximum 1 points)	It means that I have the disease	0 point
	It means that I am infected, but I may not be sick.	1 point
	Only 3 out of 10 people infected develop the disease.	
	It means that I am infected and I have the disease for life, it is no-curable.	0 point
Is the available treatment useful? (maximum 1 points)	Not useful	0 point
	It is useful only for children	0 point
	It is not useful in advanced cases but it is in other cases.	1 point