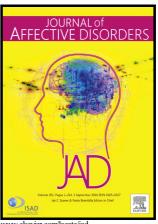
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**Abstract** 

**Background** 

The magnitude of depression is not well investigated among people living with HIV/AIDS.

Thus, this research aimed to assess the magnitude of depression and its influencing factors

among people living with HIV/AIDS attending government institutions in Bahir Dar City, North

West, Ethiopia.

Methods

institution based-cross-sectional study was done among randomly selected 415 people living

with HIV/AIDS attending antiretroviral therapy program in Bahir Dar city, Ethiopia. Socio-

demographic data and medical histories for all respondents were collected using interviewer-

administered structured questionnaire. We assessed the odds of association of patient

characteristics with depression was assessed using multiple logistic regression. The relative

effect estimates of the respective factors were presented with odds ratio accompanied by their

95% uncertainty intervals.

Results:

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