



How to use the Nomogram

Given the sensitivity and specificity of the test, construct a line joining the appropriate points on the sensitivity and specificity scales and extend it to the bar.

From that point on the bar construct a second line through the appropriate point on the prevalence scale and extend it to the scale for the predictive value.

Read off or interpolate the predictive value for a positive test.

NOMOGRAM FOR ESTIMATING THE PREDICTIVE VALUE OF A POSITIVE TEST RESULT