Background

"Positive" conceptualization of well-being

Hedonic (from ἡδονή "pleasure") and Eudaimonic well-being (from δαίμων "daemon"):

Hedonic well-being:

Positive emotions Absence of negative emotions Life satisfaction Happiness

Flourishing

Eudaimonic well-being:

Autonomy Personal growth Self-acceptance Meaning of life Competence Social connection



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