

Short Term Memory Loss Test

PATIENT INFORMATION

Name: _____ Assessor's Name: _____

Date of Assessment: _____ dd / mm / yyyy

Instructions: The patient will be given a series of tasks designed to assess short-term memory. Each task should be scored based on the patient's ability to recall information. Use the scoring system provided for each task.

Task 1: Word Recall - Present a list of 10 words to the patient. Allow the patient to study the list for 1 minute. After 5 minutes, ask the patient to recall as many words as possible.

Word 1: _____ Word 2: _____

Word 3: _____ Word 4: _____

Word 5: _____ Word 6: _____

Word 7: _____ Word 8: _____

Word 9: _____ Word 10: _____

Recalled Words

Task 1 Score: _____

Task 2: Number Sequences - Read a sequence of numbers to the patient at a rate of one number per second. Start with a 3-number sequence, gradually increasing up to 7 numbers. After each sequence, ask the patient to repeat the numbers in the same order.

Sequence Given

Sequence Recalled

Task 2 Score: _____

Task 3: Object Recall - Show the patient 5 common objects for 30 seconds. After a 3-minute interval, ask the patient to recall the objects.

Objects Shown

Objects Recalled

Task 3 Score: _____

Task 4: Story Recall - Read a short story or paragraph to the patient. After reading, ask the patient to recount as much of the story as they can.

Task 4 Score: _____

Overall Score: _____

Assessor's Observations and Comments