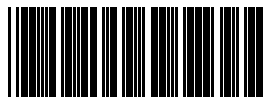


FOLSTEIN'S MENTAL STATE TEST



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Name of institution _____

A) Orientation

Ask the patient:

1- What is {

			M	T	W	Th	F	Sa	Su
the year	the month	the day	the day of the week						
The season? Spring <input type="checkbox"/>		Summer <input type="checkbox"/>	Fall <input type="checkbox"/>	Winter <input type="checkbox"/>					

 } **5** ()

2- Where are we {

Province	Country
City, town, village	Place (hospital, office, house, etc.)
	Floor

 } **5** ()

B) Registration

3- Pronounce one of the following groups of 3 words; take 1 second for each word:

shirt, blue, honesty () }
 or
 shoe, brown, modesty () } **3** ()
 or
 sweater, white, charity () }

Then ask the patient to repeat the 3 words selected.

Give 1 point for each correct answer on first attempt. Repeat until the patient learns all 3 words.

Count and record number of attempts, for information purposes only.

Number of attempts: _____

C) Attention and calculation (Check either test)

4- Ask the patient to begin with 100 and subtract by intervals of 7:
 $100 - 7 = ()$ $93 - 7 = ()$ $86 - 7 = ()$ $79 - 7 = ()$ $72 - 7 = ()$ 65.
OR 1 point for each correct answer. } **5** ()
 Ask the patient to spell the word "world" backwards. (DLROW): _____
 (enter the letters)

D) Recall

5- Ask the patient to repeat the 3 words previously selected:
 shirt, blue, honesty () }
 or
 shoe, brown, modesty () } **3** ()
 or
 sweater, white, charity () }

E) Language

6- Show the patient a pencil () a watch () and ask him what it is. **2** ()
 7- Ask the patient to repeat the following sentence: "No ifs or buts". **1** ()
 8- Ask the patient to obey a 3-stage command: "Take this paper in your right or left hand, fold it in half and give it back to me". **3** ()

N.B.: If the patient is right-handed, ask him to take the paper in his left hand and vice versa. Be careful not to hold out your hand; avoid non-verbal indications.

Unvalidated adaptation of "Mini-Mental State" by Folstein, M.F., Folstein, S.E., Mc Hugh, P.R.: "Mini-Mental State: A practical method for grading the cognitive state of patients for the clinician". Journal of Psychiatric Research, 1975, 12: 189-198, based on the work of the geriatric centre, Hôpital d'Youville Sherbrooke, Québec.

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E) Language (continued)

MAXIMUM SCORE	PATIENT'S SCORE
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9- Ask the patient to read the following instruction and to do what it says:

“CLOSE YOUR EYES”

1	()
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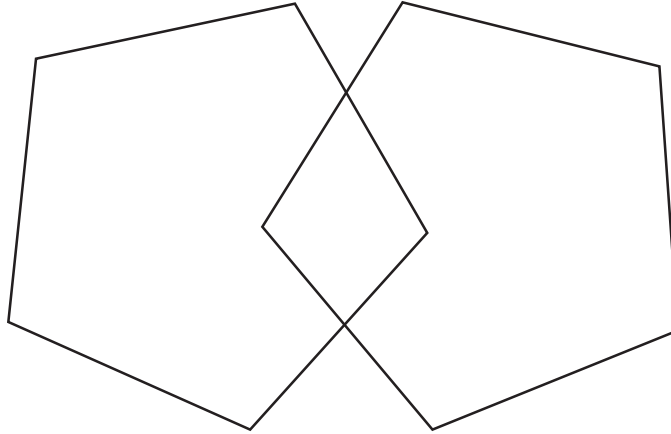
10- Ask the patient to write a sentence: _____

1	()
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(Subject, verb. Disregard mistakes.)

F) Constructional praxis

11- Ask the patient to copy the following drawing:



1	()
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MAXIMUM SCORE: 30

PATIENT'S SCORE: _____

Interpretation of scores:

While a score of less than 24 points in Folstein's Mental State Test indicates impairment of the cognitive functions, the test is not a means of diagnosing the cause of the impairment.

Patient's number of years of schooling: _____

Estimate the patient's level of sensorium: alert somnolent

If the patient cannot be tested, specify: _____

State any conditions that may have influenced your estimation. _____

Date

Year	Month	Day							

Signature