

## INDICATION

A 10 point scoring system to rapidly assess elderly patients for cognitive impairment.

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Give address "**42 West Street**" to the patient after 2nd question and ask them to repeat it to ensure they heard correctly, and remember this for the last question of the test.

## INTERPRETATION

SCORE	SEVERITY OF IMPAIRMENT
0-3	Severe cognitive impairment
4-6	Moderate cognitive impairment
>6	No cognitive impairment

## CALCULATION

**Total score = sum of scores for each question**

QUESTION	POINTS
Patient's age	Correct +1
	Incorrect +0
Time to nearest hour	Correct +1
	Incorrect +0
<i>Give the patient the address "42 West Street". Ask the patient to repeat it back to you and remember it</i>	
Current year	Correct +1
	Incorrect +0
Patient's home address	Correct +1
	Incorrect +0
What jobs do these people do (2 people)	Both correct +1
	One correct / Incorrect +0
Patient's DOB	Correct +1
	Incorrect +0
Year World War 2 started	Correct +1
	Incorrect +0
Current Prime minister / Monarch	Correct +1
	Incorrect +0
Count backwards from 20 to 1	Correct +1
	Incorrect +0
Recall address 42 West Street	Correct +1
	Incorrect +0