

NEUROCOGNITIVE EXAMINATION

TESTS ADMINISTERED

NEUROBEHAVIORAL STATUS EXAM

Referral

Ms. XXXX was referred for neuropsychological testing as part of a comprehensive presurgical work-up of her epilepsy syndrome. The results will be used in surgical and treatment planning.

Background

The following information was obtained during an interview with Ms. XXXX and from review of available medical records. Ms. XXXX has a history of seizures since age 14. While they were initially well controlled, in the last 3 years they have become refractory to multiple seizure medications. She currently experiences one to two seizures per week. Seizures are characterized by behavioral and speech arrest, and last approximately 2 minutes. Postictally, she is mildly confused with language disruption, but she returns to baseline in approximately 10 minutes. She is treated with Depakote, Keppra, and Lamictal.

Cognitive complaints: mild memory and word-finding issues over the last 2 years.

Past Neuropsychological Test Results

Patient denied having prior testing.

Other Medical History

- Frequent sinus infections.
- Other medications: Femcon, folic acid.
- Appetite/weight: Normal, no changes.
- Sleep: Normal, no changes.
- Alcohol/tobacco: No history of abuse; denied current use.

Surgical History

Sinus surgery.

Psychiatric History

Patient denied.

Family History

Patient denied a family history of neurological conditions. Her brother was diagnosed with ADHD.

Cultural/Social Background

Ms. XXXX is a Caucasian female who was born and raised in XXXX. She is single, never married, and has no children.

Educational History

Ms. XXXX graduated from college and completed some Master's-level courses. She did not endorse any difficulties with advancing through school.