

# The Quick Mild Cognitive Impairment (Qmci) screen

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: \_\_\_\_\_ Years in Education: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Time: \_\_\_\_\_

## 1: ORIENTATION

Ten seconds for each answer.

Give 2 points for correct answer,  
1 if attempted but incorrect, 0 if no attempt.

What country is this? \_\_\_\_\_ /2  
 What year is this? \_\_\_\_\_ /2  
 What month is this? \_\_\_\_\_ /2  
 What is todays date? \_\_\_\_\_ /2  
 What day of the week is it? \_\_\_\_\_ /2

**SCORE**

10

## 2: WORD REGISTRATION

"I am going to say 5 words. After I have said these 5 words, repeat them back to me."

30 seconds.

Give 1 point per word repeated, in any order, no hints. When finished, say....."Remember these words because I'll ask you to recall them later."

dog rain butter love door  
 Alternate word groups include...  
 cat dark pepper fear bed  
 rat heat bread round chair

5

## 3: CLOCK DRAWING

"Draw a clock face and set the time to 'ten past eleven'."  
(circle provided over page)

One minute.

Give 1 mark for each number, 1 for each hand & 1 for the pivot correctly placed or close to their ideal location. Lose 1 mark for each number duplicated or, if greater than 12.

Numbers Correct + \_\_\_\_\_ / 12  
 Errors - \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hands + \_\_\_\_\_ / 2  
 Pivot + \_\_\_\_\_ / 1  
**Total** + \_\_\_\_\_ / 15

15

## 4: DELAYED RECALL

"A few minutes ago I said five words. Please name as many words as you can remember."

30 seconds.

Recall in any order, within 30 seconds, giving 4 points per word, no hints.

dog rain butter love door  
 Alternate word groups include...  
 cat dark pepper fear bed  
 rat heat bread round chair

20

## 5: VERBAL FLUENCY

"Name as many animals as you can in one minute."

One minute.

Give half a point per animal named; to a maximum of 40. Accept all 'creatures' including birds, fish, insects etc.

Alternative forms include:  
**fruit & veg** or **towns & cities.**  
**SCORE: 0.5 x number of animals =**  
**List here, in 'shorthand' if required:**

20

## 6: LOGICAL MEMORY

"I am going to read you a short story. When I am finished tell me as much of the story as you can."

One minute.

Give 2 points per highlighted word, recalled exactly, immediately within 30 seconds, in any order, no hints. Two alternatives are provided.

Story 1		Alternative version 1		Alternative version 2	
The red fox	It was a hot May	The brown dog	It was a cold October	The white hen	It was a warm September
ran across the	morning.	Ran across	day.	Walked across	afternoon.
Ploughed field.	Fragrant Blossoms	the metal bridge.	Ripe Apples	the concrete road.	Dry Leaves
It was chased by a brown dog.	were forming on the bushes.	It was hunting a white rabbit.	were hanging on the trees.	It was followed by a black cat.	were blowing in the wind.

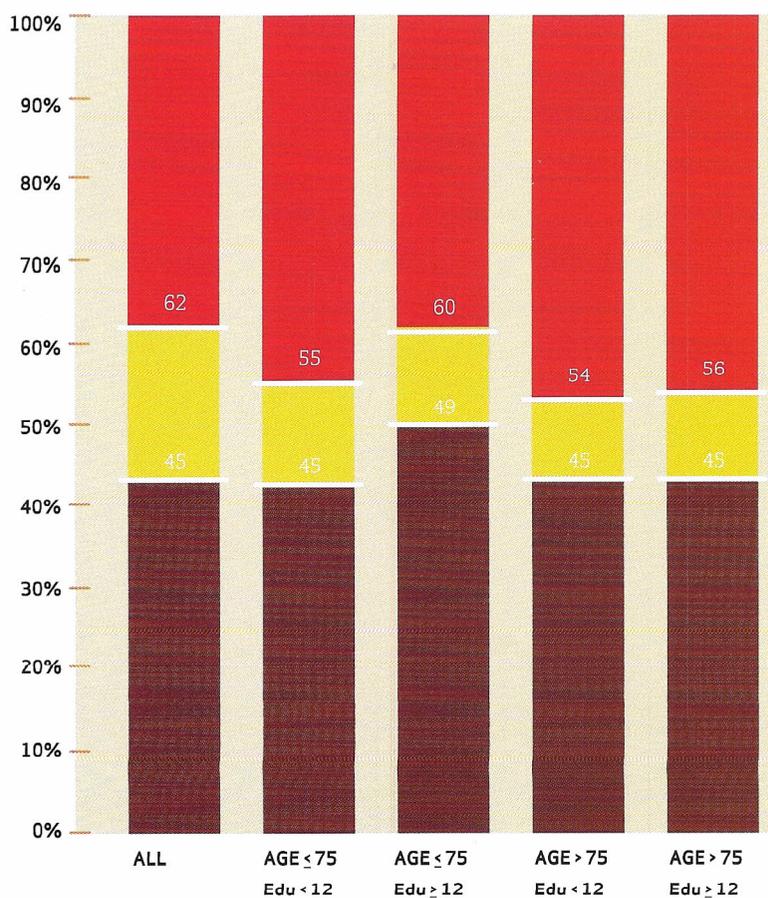
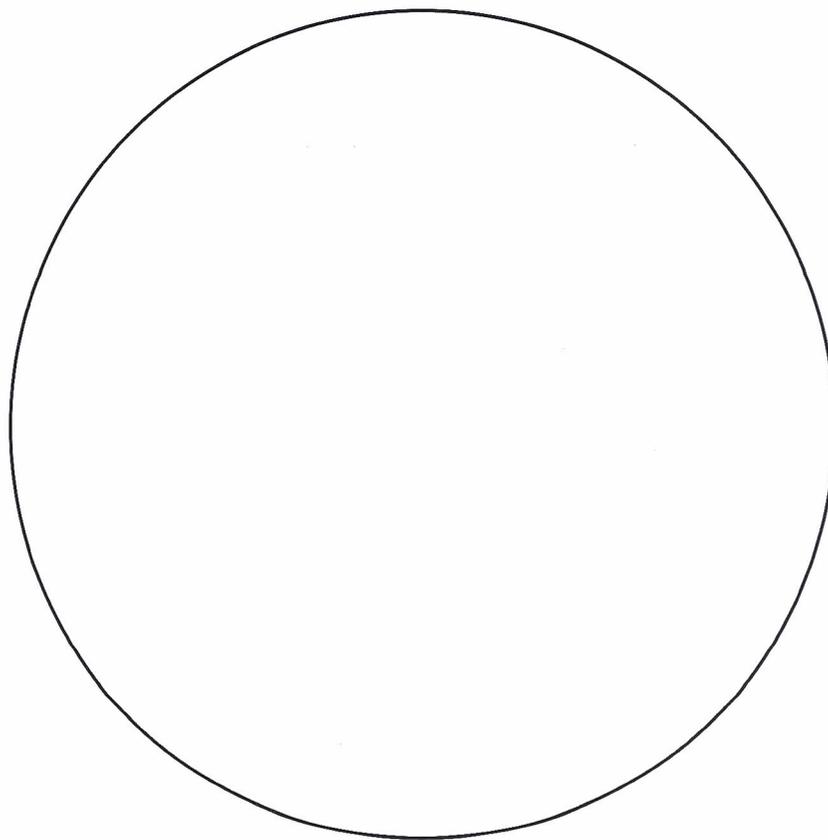
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Administered by: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Cognitive Impairment is suggested if the score <62/100 but requires adjustment for age and education.

Total score      / 100\*

100

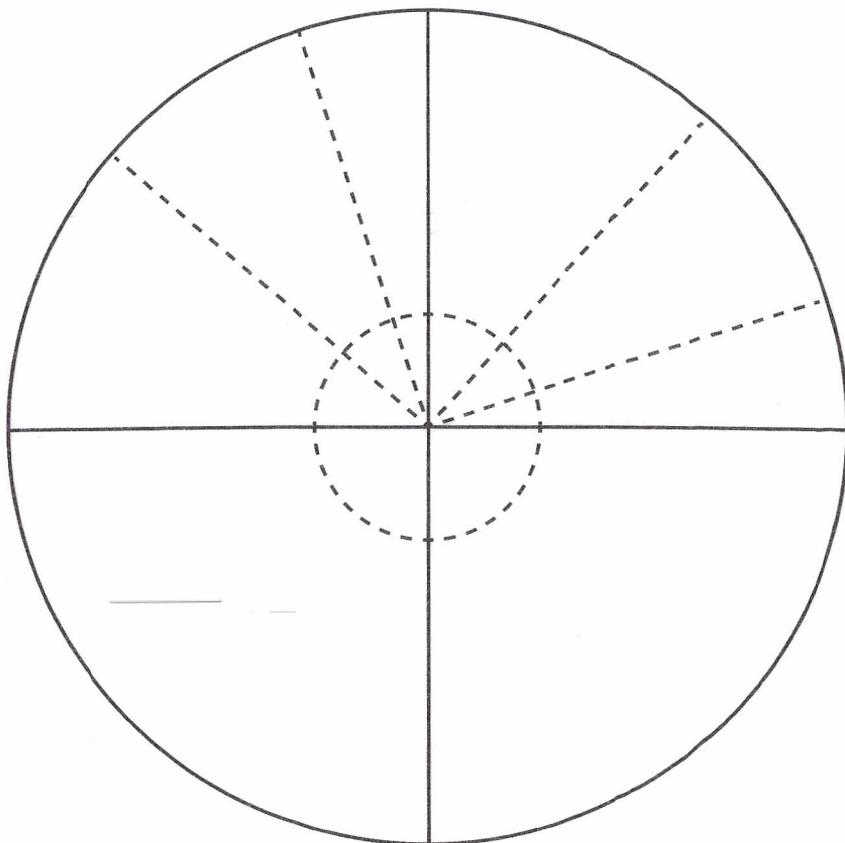


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# SCORING TEMPLATE

## Scoring the Pivot



### Directions:

Place this scoring template over the completed clock. Line up the template's at "12 o'clock". Place the 12 on the template over the person's 12. Adjust the template to maximize the score for the numbers and hands. Total score is 15. Record scores on the score sheet.

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