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What is the purpose of the assessment?

* To determine which stage of dementia a patient is currently suffering from

What does it measure?

* Concentration
* Recent memory
* Past memory
* Orientation
* Functioning & self-care

What is the intended population?

* Older adults with dementia

How long will it take to administer and score?

* At least a day

Other important features or special considerations:

* Five axis’
* Done verbally (first four) and through observation (last stage)
* Helps determine amount of assistance the client needs in programs and verbal queues
* Facilitated by nurses, therapists, or social workers
* Part 1 includes ratings for Concentration, Recent memory, Remote memory, Orientation, and Functioning and self care, whereas part 2 includes ratings for Speech and Language abilities, Motoric capabilities, Mood and behavior, Praxis ability, Calculation ability, and Feeding capacity.
* Each domain is rated on a 1-7 point scale