## MINI MENTAL STATE EXAMINATION (MMSE)

Pati	ent's	name

**Hospital number:** 

ONE POINT FOR EACH ANSWER				
ORIENTATION				
Year Month Day Date Time	/5	/5	/5	/5
Country Town District Hospital Ward	/5	/5	/5	/5
REGISTRATION				
Examiner names 3 objects (eg apple, table, penny) Patient asked to repeat (1 point for each correct). THEN patient to learn the 3 names repeating until				
correct.	/3	/3	/3	/3
ATTENTION AND CALCULATION				
Subtract 7 from 100, then repeat from result.  Continue 5 times: 100 93 86 79 65  Alternative: spell "WORLD" backwards - dlrow.		/5	/5	/5
RECALL Ask for names of 3 objects learned earlier.	/3	/3	/3	/3
LANGUAGE				
Name a pencil and watch.		/2	/2	/2
Repeat "No ifs, ands, or buts".		/1	/1	/1
Give a 3 stage command. Score 1 for each stage.  Eg. "Place index finger of right hand on your nose and then on your left ear".		/3	/3	/3
Ask patient to read and obey a written command on a piece of paper stating "Close your eyes".		/1	/1	/1
Ask the patient to write a sentence. Score if it is sensible and has a subject and a verb.		/1	/1	/1
COPYING				
Ask the patient to copy a pair of intersecting pentagons:				
	/1	/1	/1	/1
TOTAL	/30	/30	/30	/30