ELDERLY MOBILITY SCALE SCORE



Patient details.....

TASK	Date			
Lying to Sitting	 2 Independent 1 Needs help of 1 person 0 Needs help of 2+ people 			
Sitting to Lying	 2 Independent 1 Needs help of 1 person 0 Needs help of 2+ people 			
Sitting to Standing	 3 Independent in under 3 seconds 2 Independent in over 3 seconds 1 Needs help of 1 person 0 Needs help of 2+ people 			
Standing	 3 Stands without support and able to reach 2 Stands without support but needs support to reach 1 Stands but needs support 0 Stands only with physical support of another person 			
Gait	 3 Independent (+ / - stick) 2 Independent with frame 1 Mobile with walking aid but erratic / unsafe 0 Needs physical help to walk or constant supervision 			
Timed Walk (6 metres)	 3 Under 15 seconds 2 16 - 30 seconds 1 Over 30 seconds 0 Unable to cover 6 metres <i>Recorded time in seconds.</i> 			
Functional Reach	 4 Over 20 cm. 2 10 - 20 cm. 0 Under 10 cm. Actual reach 			
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Scores under 10 - generally these patients are <u>dependent</u> in mobility manoeuvres; require help with basic ADL, such as transfers, toileting and dressing.

Scores between 10 - 13 - generally these patients are <u>borderline</u> in terms of safe mobility and independence in ADL i.e. they require some help with some mobility manoeuvres.

Scores over 14 - Generally these patients are able to perform mobility manoeuvres alone and safely and are <u>independent</u> in basic ADL.