

Instructions for difficult items on Form 39:

Dr. Athienites has given the following guidelines:

11. Score "0" for patients WITHOUT any urinary output and for patients with urine output without any problems.

Score "1" if a patient has urine output and has urinary retention or for any patient with a ostomy (ileal conduit for urine, not a colostomy).

Score "2" if a patient has urine output but is incontinent (even small amounts) or requires a indwelling catheter.

HEMO Study Form 39: Index of Physical Impairment Form

- 1. Patient Identification Number....._____
- 2. Patient Name Code_____
- 3. Visit Date ____/____/____
- 4. Visit Type_____
- 5. Week/Month Number_____
- 6. a. Type of Person who evaluated Physical Impairment
(1 = nurse, 2 = social worker, 3 = other)_____
- b. First initial and first seven letters of evaluator's last name....._____

Physical Impairment Category

(0 = Normal Function, 1 = Mild to Moderate Impairment, 2 = Severe Impairment)

- 7. Circulation_____
- 8. Respiration_____
- 9. Neurological....._____
- 10. Mental Status_____
- 11. Urinary_____
- 12. Fecal....._____
- 13. Feeding....._____
- 14. Ambulation_____
- 15. Vision....._____
- 16. Hearing....._____
- 17. Speech....._____

201. Date this form completed..... __ __/ __ __/ __ __ __ __

202. Certification number of HEMO staff member who reviewed
the form..... __ __ __ __

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Data Form Entered __ __/ __ __/ __ __ __ __

Person Entering this Form

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Physical Impairment Category	No significant impairment Normal function 0	Mild/ moderate impairment Symptomatic, may need assistance with ADL 1	Serious/severe impairment Symptomatic 2	CATE- GORY PEAK SCORE 0, 1 OR 2
1. Circulation	Asymptomatic	Circulatory symptoms when walking: chest pain, dyspnea, claudication	Bedridden Unable to perform ADL	
2. Respiration	Asymptomatic	Respiratory symptoms when walking: cough, dyspnea, SOB	Symptoms at rest, home oxygen, tracheostomy Severe ADL limitations	
3. Neurological	No problems	Weakness of arms or legs	Gait disturbance, paralysis, bedridden	
4. Mental Status	No problems	Mild depression, short term memory deficit	Chronic confusion, depression, dementia, psychosis	
5. Urinary	No problems	Urinary retention, ostomy	Urinary incontinence, indwelling catheter	
6. Fecal	No problems	Chronic diarrhea or constipation, ostomy	Fecal incontinence	
7. Feeding	No problems	Minor feeding problems, difficulty swallowing	Cannot feed self, requires tube feeds, unable to swallow	
8. Ambulation	No problems	Walks with assistance, uses cane or walker	Confined to wheelchair Bedridden	
9. Vision	No problems Glasses OK	Mild difficulty with ADL due to decrease in visual acuity	Legally blind, unable to read, write or drive	
10. Hearing	No problems Hearing aid OK	Significant hearing loss, even with hearing aids	Deafness	
11. Speech	No problems	Difficulty speaking, mute but able to	Aphasic, no non-verbal	

communicate in sign language

communication

