



Hammersmith Infant Neurological Examination

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The Hammersmith Infant Neurological Examination (HINE) is a standardised and scoreable clinical neurological examination that can be used to assess infants from 2-24 months of age. The HINE contains 26 items across 5 domains and summing of scores in each domain provide a global score. More than ten studies of high risk newborns (preterm and term) have demonstrated that this assessment can be used in the diagnosis of cerebral palsy (CP).

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Introduction of HINE

http://hammersmith-neuro-exam.com

Hammersmith Infant Neurological Examination (HINE)

- Based on the same principles as the neonatal exam
- Consists of 26 items that assess different neurological function
 - cranial nerve function
 - movements
 - reflexes and protective reactions
 - behaviour
 - some age-dependent items: gross and fine motor function
- To be used for infants between 3 and 24 months of age
- For clinic use and research
- Enable detection of high risk of cerebral palsy (CP) at an early age & prediction of independent sitting and walking in children with CP

Hammersmith Infant Neurological Examination

Name:

12 months (%) 18 months (%)

Gestational Age:			Dat	te of examination:			straight; in midline		slightly to side or to
						12 months (%) 18 months (%)	100 100	-	
Summary of examir	nation						-		
No. of asymmetries						Trunk in sitting (hold at hips if	E		8
ivo. or asymmetries	in section 1.					unstable)	straight		slightly curved of bent to side
Milestones section	2:					12 months (%) 18 months (%)	100		
Behavioural score s	ection 3:					Arms (at rest)	in neutral position central straight or slightly bent		slight internal rotation external rotation
COMMENTS:						12 months (%)	98		2
						18 months (%)	95		5
Cranial nerve functi	ion:							,	
Posture:						Hands	hands open		intermittent adducted thum or fisting
Movements						12 months (%)	100		
Tone						18 months (%)	100		
Reflexes and reaction	ons:					Legs in sitting	able to sit with straight back and legs straight or slightly bent (long sitting)		sit with straight be knees bent at 15
Assessment of cr		•	n (5 항목)			in supine and in standing	legs in a central position straight or slightly bent	slight external rotation	marked internal rotatio external rotal at hips
			_			12 months (%) 18 months (%)	64 92	25	10
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Facial appearance (at rest and when crying or stimulated)	1 (score 3) smiles or reacts to stimuli by closing eyes and grimacing	2 (sc.2)	3 (score 1) closes eyes but not tightly poor facial expression	4 (score 0) expressionless, does not react to stimuli		Feet in supine and in standing	central in neutral position	slight internal rotation or	intermittent tendency to stan tiptoes or toes up or
18 months	100						toes straight midway between flexion and	external	curling unde
Eye appearance	T	T	intermittent	continuous			extension		
	normal conjugated eye movements		deviation of eyes or abnormal movements	deviation of eyes or abnormal movements		12 months (%)	90		10
12 months (%)	98		1	1		18 months (%)	90		10
18 months (%)	100								
Auditory response Test the response to rattle or bell	reacts to stimuli on both sides		doubtful reaction to stimuli or asymmetrical	does not react to stimuli	<u> </u>	Novements (2 3	항목) 1 (score 3)	2 (sc.2)	3 (score 1)
12 months (%)	100					Quantity	normal	2 (00.2)	excessive or sli
18 months (%)	98		2			Watch infant lying in the supine			
Visual response	follows the object for		follows the object for an	does not follow the object		12 months (%)	97		3
Test the ability to follow a red ball or a moving object.	a complete arc		incomplete arc or asymmetry			18 months (%)	100		
12 months (%) 18 months (%)	100					Quality	free,		jerky,
Sucking/swallowing Watch the infant suck on			poor suck and/or swallowing	no sucking reflex no swallowing		,	alternating, smooth		slight tremor

Date of Birth:

Posture (6 항목)

column	1(score 3)	2 (sc.2)	3 (score 1)	4 (score 0)
Head in sitting	straight; in midline		slightly to side or backward or forward	markedly to side or backward or forward
12 months (%)	100			
18 months (%)	100			

Trunk in sitting (hold at hips if unstable)	straight	slightly curved or bent to side	very rounded	rocketing back	9 bent sideways
12 months (%)	100				
18 months (%)	100				

Arms (at rest)	in neutral position central straight or slightly bent	slight internal rotation or external rotation	marked internal rotation or external rotation or dystonic posture hemiplegic posture
12 months (%)	98	2	
18 months (%)	95	5	

Hands	hands open	intermittent adducted thumb or fisting	persistent adducted thumb or fisting
12 months (%)	100		
18 months (%)	100		

Legs	able to sit with		sit with straight back but	unable to sit straight unless
in sitting	straight back and legs	1 1	knees bent at 15-20 *	knees markedly bent
	straight or slightly bent	1 1	_	Θ.
	(long sitting)	!!	Φ.	F
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in supine and in		slight	marked	
standing	legs in a central	external	internal rotation or	fixed extension or flexion or
	position straight or	rotation	external rotation	contractures
	slightly bent		at hips	at hips and knees
12 months (%)	64	25	10	1
18 months (%)	92		8	

Feet in supine and in standing	central in neutral position toes straight midway between flexion and extension	slight internal rotation or external rotation	Intermittent tendency to stand on tiptoes or toes up or curling under	marked internal rotation or external rotation or external rotation at the ankie persistent tendency to stand on tiptoes or toes up or curling under
12 months (%)	90		10	
18 months (%)	90		10	

column	1 (score 3)	2 (sc.2)	3 (score 1)	4 (score 0)
Quantity	normal		excessive or sluggish	minimal or
Watch infant lying in the supine				none
12 months (%)	97		3	
18 months (%)	100			

Quality	free, alternating, smooth	jerky, slight tremor	cramped & synchronous extensor spasms athetoid ataxic very tremulous myoclonic spasm dystonic
12 months (%)	99	1	
18 months (%)	98	2	

Tone (8 항목)

column	1 (score 3)	2 (sc.2)	3 (score 1)	4 (score 0)
Scarf sign	Range:			
Take the infant's hand and	~ ~	1		- A
		1	I (S).	9. 9
pull the arm across the chest	1 (1) (1)		1 697	1 192 40
until there is resistance. Note	1 (17)		(1)	(I) ²
the position of the elbow.		1	Ψ.	U or U
	RL RL		R L	RL RL
12 months (%)	98		2	
18 months (%)	95	L	5	
Passive shoulder	resistance but		no resistance	resistance
elevation	overcome			not overcome
	1 -	1	l 100	•
Lift arm next to the infant's	I ((C)	ı	(3)	16
head. Note resistance at	1 7		1 17	(7)
shoulder and elbow.				
	R L		R L	R L
12 months (%)	84		16	
18 months (%)	75		25	
-2			1 20	-
	1		1 4 8	1
Pronation/supination	full pronation and	I	full pronation and	full pronation and
Steady upper arm while	supination,	I	supination but	supination not possible,
pronating and supinating	no resistance	1	resistance to be	marked resistance
forearm, note resistance		l	overcome	
			010.00110	
12 months (%)	100			
18 months (%)	100			1
Adductors	150-80°	150-160°	>170°	<80°
With the infant's legs	0.00	(C)	•	•
		J=<	J=2	J=2_
extended, open them as far as		175	()	()
possible. The angle formed by	1 M . M	\sim		H
the legs is noted.	V to V	RL	I	1 7 6
	RLRL		R L	R L
12 months (%)	75	25		
18 months (%)	88	12		
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Darithani annia	Dance 4700 4400	150-160°	~90° or > 170°	<80°
Popliteal angle	Range: 170°-110°	150-160*	~90" 07 > 170"	<80"
Legs are flexed at the hip	1			
simultaneously, then extended	Ø Ø₽	00	0 3 0	0 4
at the knee until there is	<u> </u>	4	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
resistance. Note angle			I	1
	RLRL	RL	RLRL	R L
between lower and upper leg.		0.5		
12 months (%)	75	25		
18 months (%)	90	10		
Ankle dorsiflexion	Range: 30°-85°	20-30°	<20°or 90°	> 90*
	gc. 55 -55	20.00	200.00	1
With knee extended, dorsiflex		_		
ankle. Note the angle between	RLRL	R L	RLRL	R L
oot and leg.				
12 months (%)	84	13	3	
18 months (%)	88	12		
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			~	_
Pulled to sit	0 0		O	· •
Pull infant to sit by wrists.	4 4		~	- C-
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12 months (N/)	100			
12 months (%)				
18 months (%)	100			
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Reflexes and reactions (5 항목)

column	1 (score 3)	2 (sc.2)	3 (score 1)	4 (score 0)
Tendon Reflexes	easily elicitable	mildly brisk	brisk	clonus or absent
	biceps knee ankle	bic knee ank	biceps knee ankle	biceps knee ankle
12 months (%)	82	18		
18 months (%)	88	12		

Arm protection Pull the infant by one arm from the supine position and note the reaction of the opposite side.	arm & hand extend	arm semi-flexed	arm fully flexed R L
12 months (%)	99	1	
18 months (%)	100		

Vertical suspension Hold infant under axilla, make sure legs do not touch any surface.	Ricks symmetrically	kicks one leg more or poor kicking	no kicking even if stimulated or scissoring
12 months (%)	100		
18 months (%)	98	2	

Lateral tilting (describe side up). Infant held vertically, tilt quickly to horizontal. Note spine, limbs and head.	©c≥ R L	Q _C	R L	R L
12 months (%)	75	16	9	
18 months (%)	79	19	2	

Forward parachute Infant held vertically and suddenly tited forwards. Note reaction of the arms.	(after 6 months)	(after 6 months)
12 months (%)	100	
18 months (%)	100	

Section 2: Motor milestones

Column	1	2	3	4	5	6
Head control	unable to mantain head upright (normal < 3 mo)	wobbles (normal at 4 mo)	all the time mantained upright (normal at 5 mo)			Observed: Reported (age):
12 m (%)			100			
18 m (%)		1.0000000000000000000000000000000000000	100	N. P. S. S. S.		
Sitting	Cannot sit	(normal at 4 mo)	(normal at 6 mo)	Stable sit	Pivots (normal at 10 mo)	Observed: Reported (age):
12 m (%)	-			1	99	
18 m (%)				-	100	
Voluntary					100	Observed:
grasp	no grasp	uses whole hand	index finger and thumb but immature grasp	pincer grasp		Reported (age):
12 m (%)			3	97		2000000
18 m (%)			2	98		
Ability to kick: (in supine)	no kicking	horizontally legs do not lift	upward (vertically) (normal at 3 mo)	(normal at 4-5 mo)	(normal at 5-8 mo)	Observed: Reported (age):
12 m (%)					100	5
18 m (%)			Language and the state of the s		100	5(
Rolling	no rolling	rolling to side (normal at 4 mo)	prone to supine or supine to prone (normal at 6 mo)	supine to prone and prone to supine (normal at 7 mo)		Observed: Reported (age):
12 m (%)		1	1	98		
18 m (%)				100		
Crawling	Does not lift head	On elbow On elbow (normal at 3 mo)	On outstretched hand (normal at 4-5 mo)	Crawling flat on abdomen O (normal at 8 mo)	Crawling on hands and knees (normal at 10 mo)	Observed: Reported (age):
	_		2	4	94	
					100	
Standing	Does not support weight	Supports weight (normal at 4-5 mo)	Stands with support (normal at 8 mg)	Stands unaided (normal at 12 mo)		Observed: Reported (age):
12 m (%)		3	18	79		
			2	98		
4.00 on /46.1				7-35-50 T		Observed:
18 m (%) Walking		Bouncing (normal at 6 mo)	Cruising (walks holding on) (normal at 11 mg)	(normal at 15 mo)		Reported (age):
				10.0000000		Reported (age):

Section 3: Behaviour

	1	2	3	4	5	6	Comment
A. State of consciousness	unrousable	drowsy	sleepy but wakes easily	awake but no interest	loses interest	maintains interest	
B. Emotional state	irritable, not consolable	irritable, mother can console	irritable when approached	neither happy nor unhappy	happy, smiling		
C. Social orientation	avoiding, withdrawn	hesitant	accepts approach	friendly			

Summary of examination in Section 1

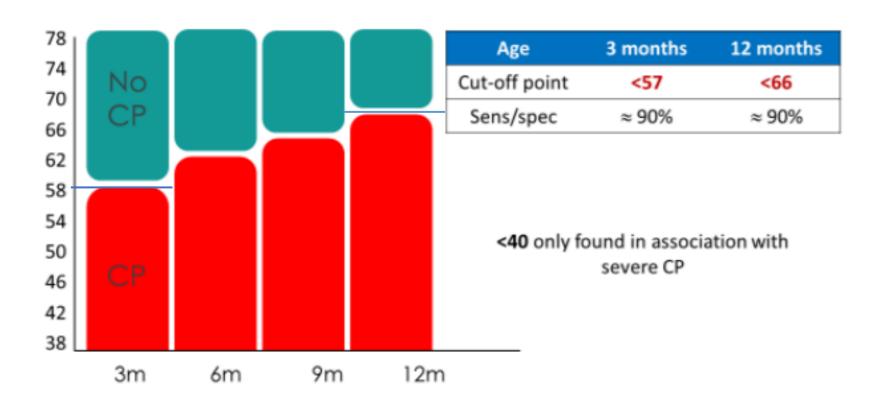
Global score (max 78)

1.	Cranial nerve function score	(max 15)
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- 2. Posture score (max 18)
- 3. Movement score (max 6)
- 4. Tone score (max 24)
- 5. Reflexes and reactions score (max 15)
- Number of asymmetries
- Behavioral score (Not part of the optimality score)
- COMMENTS

Significance of HINE use as an evaluation tool

Prediction of Cerebral Palsy



Hammersmith Infant Neurological Examination (HINE)

CLINICAL FACT SHEET

How long does the HINE take?

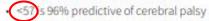
The examination takes 10-15 minutes to perform.

Do I need certified training to use the HINE in clinical practice?

No you do not need certified training to use the HINE in clinical practice.

HINE is predictive of cerebral palsy

HINE scores at 3 months:



<40 never occurs in children with normal outcomes^{1,4}

HINE scores at (6, 9, 12 months):

- · 90% predictive of cerebral palsy
- <73 predictive of cerebral palsy
- <40 almost always indicates cerebral palsy^{3,4}

HINE is predictive of severity and topography of cerebral palsy

 Motor severity of cerebral palsy under years of age is most accurately predicted using the HINE

HINE scores at 3, 6, 9 or 12 months:

50-73 ndicates likely unilateral cerebral palsy (i.e. 95-99% will walk)

<50 indicates likely bilateral cerebral palsy

HINE scores at 3-6 months:

40-60 indicates likely GMFCS I-II

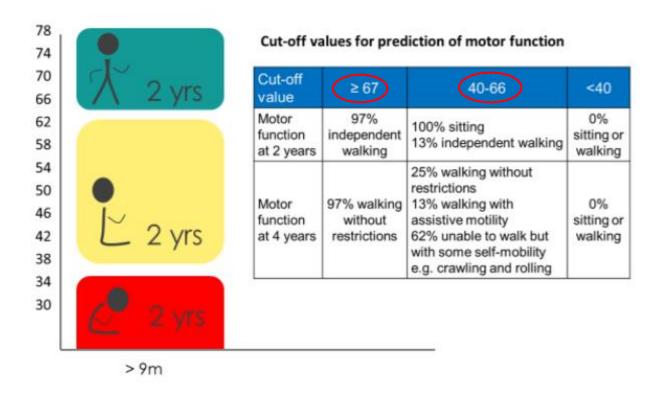
<40 indicates likely GMFCS III-V





Hammersmith Infant Neurological Examination (HINE) Cut-off point Summary

Term infants with HIE



^{*} Optimality score at 9 -14 months and motor function at 2 & 4 years in term-born infants with hypoxic-ischaemic encephalopathy (Haataja et al, J Peds 2001)

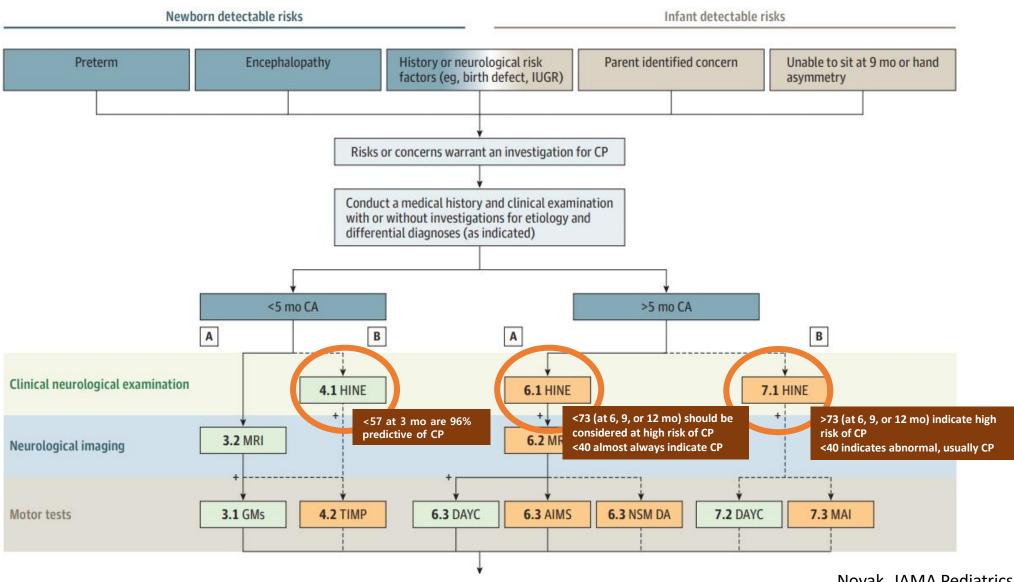
Early, Accurate Diagnosis and Early Intervention in Cerebral Palsy Advances in Diagnosis and Treatment

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- To develop an international clinical practice guideline in accord with the World Health Organization's *Handbook for Guideline Development* and the Institute of Medicine's standards
- Followed Appraisal of Guidelines, Research and Evaluation (AGREE) II & Appraisal of Guidelines,
 Preferred Reporting Items for Systematic Reviews and Meta-analyses (PRISMA) statement
- The Grading of Recommendations Assessment, Development, and Evaluation (GRADE) framework : strong for / conditional for / conditional against / strong against
- Six systematic reviews and 2 evidence-based clinical guidelines
- Before age 12 to 24 months regarded as the latent or silent period → 6 months of C.A.
- > Three tools with best predictive validity for detecting CP
 - < 5 months C.A: Brain MRI (86-96% sensitivity), GM (98%), HINE (90%)
 - > 5 mo: MRI (86-89%), HINE (90%)

Combination of these!

Algorithm for early diagnosis of cerebral palsy or high risk of cerebral palsy



Hammersmith Infant Neurological Examination for infants born preterm: predicting outcomes other than cerebral palsy

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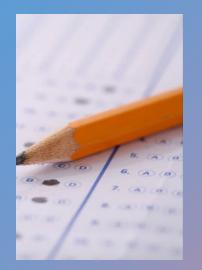
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METHOD

- retrospective study of infants born preterm, who had repeated HINEs between 3 and 12 months
- At 2 years, cognition was assessed using the Mental Development Index (MDI) from Bayley Scales of Infant Development II
- All children were classified as cognitively typical/mildly delayed or significantly delayed (MDI <70) and CP.

RESULTS

- Of 1229 eligible infants (gestational age 25–36wks), 1108 did not develop CP, 891 had an MDI that was typical/mildly delayed, and 217 had an MDI less than 70.
- Of the 121 infants who developed CP, the MDI was typical in 28, mildly delayed in 27, and less than 70 in 66.
- HINE scores showed a good sensitivity and specificity, for detecting significantly delayed cognitive performance in infants without CP.
- In those who developed CP, the score was associated with their cognitive level.
- The HINE provides information about the risk of delayed cognitive performance in infants born preterm with and without CP.



Scoring guideline

- Equipment
 - Scoring proforma
 - Visual targets
 - Rattle
 - Hammer
 - Toys





Recording the examination

- Items do not need to be administered in order.
- Indicate the response by circling the appropriate picture. Draw variations on pictures.
- Finding falls between two options – mark across the vertical line
- Record any comments descriptively.
- If unsure, repeat item or make descriptive comment.

ASSESSMENT OF POSTURE (note any asymmetries)

	score 3	score 2	score 1	score 0	SC	Asymmetry / comments
Head in sitting	Straight; in midline		Slightly to side or backward or forward	Markedly to side or backward or forward		
Trunk in sitting	Straight	0	Slightly curved or bent to side	Very rocketing bent sideway.		
Arms at rest	In a neutral position, central straight or slightly bent		internal rotation or external rotation Intermittent dystonic posture	Marked internal rotation or external rotation or dystonic posture hemiplegic posture		Dystonia, 우축 손에서 분명함
Hands	Hands open		intermittent adducted thumb or fisting	Persistent adducted thumb or fisting		0
Legs in sitting	Able to sit with a straight back and legs straight or slightly bent (long sitting)		Sit with straight back but knees bent at 15-20 °	Unable to sit straight unless knees markedly bent (no long sitting)		
in supine and in standing	Legs in neutral position straight or slightly bent	Slight internal rotation or external rotation	Internal rotation or external rotation at the hips	Marked internal rotation or external rotation or fixed extension or flexion or contractures at hips and knees		

Scoring

Score Score the relevant ½ point if you mark across the vertical line. If asymmetrical, add the two scores for that item and take the Mean mean. Score predominant position/performance, not their best Predominant performance.

Ideally following items should be assessed with the child undressed down to vest and diapers. However, if undressing the child causes upset at least remove shoes and shocks, trousers, and thick jumpers.





Asymmetric cases

ASSESSMENT OF TONE

	Score 3	Score 2	Score 1	Score 0	so
Scarf sign Take the infant's hand and pull the arm across the chest until there is resistance. Note the position of the elbow in relation to the midline.	Range:		R L	or R L	
Passive shoulder elevation Lift arm up alongside infant's head. Note resistance at shoulder and elbow.	Resistance overcomeable	Resistance difficult to overcome	No resistance	Resistance, not overcomeable	
Pronation/supination Steady the upper arm while pronating and supinating forearm, note resistance	Full pronation and supination, no resistance		Resistance to full pronation / supination overcomeable	Full pronation and supination not possible, marked resistance	
Hip adductors With both the infant's legs extended, abduct them as far as possible. The angle formed by the legs is noted.	Range: 150-80°	150-160° R L	>170° R L	<80° R L	(
Popliteal angle Keeping the infant's bottom on the bed, flex both hips onto the abdomen, then extend the knees until there is resistance. Note the angle between upper and lower leg.	Range: 150°-100° R L R L	150-160° R L	~90° or > 170° R L R L	<80° ⊙ ′ R L	
Ankle dorsiflexion With knee extended, dorsiflex the ankle. Note the angle between foot and leg.	Range: 30°-85° R L R L	20-30° R L	<20° or 90° R L R L	> 90° / R L	

	SUMN	IARY OF EXAMINATION
Global score (max 78)		
Number of asymmetrie	S	
Behavioural score (not	part of the	optimality score)
Cranial nerve function	score	(max 15)
Posture	score	(max 18)
Movements	score	(max 6)
Tone	score	(max 24)
Reflexes and reactions	score	(max 15)
COMMENTS		

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ASSESSMENT OF CRANIAL NERVE FUNCTION

	score 3	2	score 1	score 0	score	Asymmetry / Comments
Facial appearance	Smiles or reacts to		Closes eyes but	Expressionless,		
(at rest and when crying or	stimuli by closing		not tightly, poor	does not react to		
stimulated)	eyes and grimacing		facial expression	stimuli		
Eye movements	Normal conjugate		Intermittent	Continuous		
	eye movements		Deviation of eyes	Deviation of eyes		
			or abnormal	or abnormal		
			movements	movements		
Visual response	Follows the target in		Follows target in	Does not follow		
Test ability to follow a black/white	a complete arc		an incomplete or	the target		
target			asymmetrical arc			
Auditory response	Reacts to stimuli		Doubtful reaction	No response		
Test the response to a rattle	from both sides		to stimuli or			
			asymmetry of			
			response			
Sucking/swallowing	Good suck and		Poor suck and/or	No sucking reflex,		
Watch infant suck on breast or	swallowing		swallow	no swallowing		
bottle. If older, ask about feeding,						
assoc. cough, excessive dribbling						

ASSESSMENT OF POSTURE (note any asymmetries)

	score 3	score 2	score 1	score 0	sc	Asymmetry / comments
Head in sitting	Straight; in midline		Slightly to side <i>or</i> backward <i>or</i> forward	Markedly to side or backward or forward		
Trunk in sitting	Straight		Slightly curved or bent to side	Very rocketing bent rounded back sideway		
Arms at rest	In a neutral position, central straight or slightly bent		Slight internal rotation <i>or</i> external rotation Intermittent dystonic posture	Marked internal rotation or external rotation or dystonic posture hemiplegic posture		
Hands	Hands open		Intermittent adducted thumb or fisting	Persistent adducted thumb or fisting		
Legs in sitting	Able to sit with a straight back and legs straight or slightly bent (long sitting)		Sit with straight back but knees bent at 15-20 °	Unable to sit straight unless knees markedly bent (no long sitting)		
in supine and in standing	Legs in neutral position straight <i>or</i> slightly bent	Slight internal rotation or external rotation	Internal rotation <i>or</i> external rotation at the hips	Marked internal rotation or external rotation or fixed extension or flexion or contractures at hips and knees		
Feet in supine and in standing	Central in neutral position		Slight internal rotation <i>or</i> external rotation	Marked internal rotation or external rotation at the ankle		
	Toes straight midway between flexion and extension		Intermittent Tendency to stand on tiptoes or toes up or curling under	Persistent Tendency to stand on tiptoes or toes up or curling under		

ASSESSMENT OF TONE

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	Score 3	Score 2	Score 1	Score 0	sc	Asym/Co
Scarf sign Take the infant's hand and pull the arm across the chest until there is resistance. Note the position of the elbow in relation to the midline.	Range:		R L	or R L		
Passive shoulder	Resistance overcomeable	Resistance	No resistance	Resistance, not		
elevation Lift arm up alongside infant's head. Note resistance at shoulder and elbow.	R L	difficult to overcome	R L	overcomeable R L		
Pronation/supination	Full pronation and		Resistance to full	Full pronation and		
Steady the upper arm while pronating and supinating forearm, note resistance	supination, no resistance		pronation / supination overcomeable	supination not possible, marked resistance		
Hip adductors	Range: 150-80°	150-160°	>170°	<80°		
With both the infant's legs extended, abduct them as far as possible. The angle formed by the legs is noted.		R L	R L	R L		
Popliteal angle	Range: 150°-100°	150-160°	~90° or > 170°	<80°		
Keeping the infant's bottom on the bed, flex both hips onto the abdomen, then extend the knees until there is resistance. Note the angle between upper and lower leg.	R L R L	R L	R L R L	O		
Ankle dorsiflexion	Range: 30°-85°	20-30°	<20°or 90°	> 90°		
With knee extended, dorsiflex the ankle. Note the angle between foot and leg.	R L R L	R L	R L R L	R L		
Pull to sit Pull infant to sit by the wrists. (support head if necessary)	9 9 9		Oلر	٥٢		
Ventral suspension Hold infant horizontally around trunk in ventral suspension; note position of back, limbs and head.	مکے مک		958	a U		

REFLEXES AND REACTIONS

	Score 3	Score 2	Score 1	Score 0	sc	Asym / Co
Arm protection Pull the infant by one arm from the supine position (steady the contralateral hip) and note the reaction of arm on opposite side.	Arm & hand extend R L		Arm semi-flexed R L	Arm fully flexed R L		
Vertical suspension hold infant under axilla making sure legs do not touch any surface – you may "tickle" feet to stimulate kicking.	Kicks symmetrically		Kicks one leg more or poor kicking	No kicking even if stimulated or scissoring		
Lateral tilting (describe side up). Hold infant up vertically near to hips and tilt sideways towards the horizontal. Note response of trunk, spine, limbs and head.	D R	O _R	R L	Ø L		
Forward parachute Hold infant up vertically and quickly tilt forwards. Note reaction /symmetry of arm responses,	(after 6 months)		(after 6 months)			
Tendon Reflexes Have child relaxed, sitting or lying – use small hammer	Easily elicitable biceps knee ankle	Mildly brisk bicep knee ankle	Brisk biceps knee ankle	Clonus or absent biceps knee ankle		

ASSESSMENT OF MOVEMENTS

	Score 3	Score 2	Score 1	Score 0	score	Asymmetry / comments
Quantity Watch infant lying in supine	Normal		Excessive or sluggish	Minimal or none		
Quality Observe infant's spontaneous voluntary motor activity during the course of the assessment	Free, alternating, and smooth		Jerky Slight tremor	 Cramped & synchronous Extensor spasms Athetoid Ataxic Very tremulous Myoclonic spasm Dystonic movement 		

Section 2 Motor milestones

SECTION 2 MOTOR MILESTONES (not scored; note asymmetries)

Head control	Unable to maintain head upright	Wobbles	Maintained upright all the time			Please note age at which maximum skill is achieved
	normal to 3m	normal up to 4m	normal from 5m	0(11.3	D: (())	
Sitting	Cannot sit	hips hips normal at 4m	Props One of the control of the con	Stable sit	Pivots (rotates)	Observed: Reported (age):
		normai at 4m	HOITHAI AL OIH	normai at 7-8m	normal at 9m	
Voluntary grasp – note side	No grasp	Uses whole hand	Index finger and thumb but immature grasp	Pincer grasp		Observed: Reported (age):
Ability to kick in supine	No kicking	Kicks horizontally but legs do not lift	Upward (vertically) normal at 3m	Touches leg O normal at 4-5m	Touches toes OLS normal at 5-6m	Observed: Reported (age):
Rolling	No rolling	Rolling to side	Prone to supine	Supine to prone		Observed:
- note through which side(s)	J	normal at 4m	normal at 6 m	normal at 6 m		Reported (age):
Crawling - note if	Does not lift head	On elbows	On outstretched hands	Crawling flat on abdomen	Crawling on hands and knees	Observed:
shuffling		normal at 3m	normal at 4m	normal at 8m	normal at 10m	Reported (age):
Standing	Does not support weight	Supports weight normal at 4m	Stands with support normal at 7m	Stands unaided normal at 12m		Observed: Reported (age):
Walking		Bouncing	Cruising (walks holding on)	Walking independently		Observed: Reported (age):
		normal at 6m	normal at 12m	normal by 15m		



Thank you for your attention.