Dehydration Skin Test

Patient Information:

Name: Date of Birth: Medical Record Number: Date of Assessment: Time of Assessment:

Clinical Observations:

1. General Appearance

- Well-hydrated (Normal appearance)
- Mild Dehydration (Slight dryness or dullness)
- □ Moderate Dehydration (Visible signs of dryness, reduced elasticity)
- Severe Dehydration (Significant dryness, pronounced wrinkles, or very slow recoil)

2. Skin Turgor Test

Location:

- Back of Hand
- □ Forearm
- Abdomen

Pinch and Release:

- Immediate Recoil (Well-hydrated)
- Slight Delay (Mild Dehydration)
- Significant Delay (Moderate Dehydration)
- Extended Tenting (Severe Dehydration)

3. Skin Appearance:

- Smooth and Elastic (Well-hydrated)
- Rough or Flaky (Mild Dehydration)
- □ Noticeable Dry Patches (Moderate Dehydration)
- Severe Dryness, Cracks, or Scaling (Severe Dehydration)

4. Urine Color:

- □ Pale Yellow (Well-hydrated)
- □ Yellow (Normal)
- Dark Yellow (Mild Dehydration)
- □ Amber or Dark (Moderate to Severe Dehydration)

Additional Notes:

Thirst Levels:

- Normal
- \Box Increased
- Excessive

Other Symptoms:

- □ Fatigue
- Dizziness
- Sunken Eyes
- Dry Lips
- Dry Mouth
- □ Low Blood Pressure

Results and Recommendations:

Skin Turgor Test Result:

Overall Dehydration Level:

- □ Well-hydrated
- □ Mild
- Moderate
- □ Severe

Recommendations: