Short Term Memory Loss Test

Patient information	
Name:	
Date of assessment:	
Assessor's name:	
Instructions	

- The patient will be given a series of tasks designed to assess short-term memory.
- Each task should be scored based on the patient's ability to recall information.
- Use the scoring system provided for each task.

Task 1: Word recall

- Present a list of 10 words to the patient.
- Allow the patient to study the list for 1 minute.
- After 5 minutes, ask the patient to recall as many words as possible.

Words list 6. 2. 7. 3. 8. 4. 9. 5. 10.

Recalled words:

Score (number of words correctly recalled):

Task 2: Number sequences

- Read a sequence of numbers to the patient at a rate of one number per second.
- Start with a 3-number sequence, gradually increasing up to 7 numbers.
- After each sequence, ask the patient to repeat the numbers in the same order.

Sequence given:

Sequence recalled:

Score (number of sequences correctly recalled):

Task 3: Object recall

- Show the patient 5 common objects for 30 seconds.
- After a 3-minute interval, ask the patient to recall the objects.

Object shown:

Objects recalled:

Score (number of objects correctly recalled):

Task 4: Story recall

- Read a short story or paragraph to the patient.
- After reading, ask the patient to recount as much of the story as they can.

Score (based on the amount and accuracy of details recalled):

Overall score

Assessor's observations and comments

Include observations about the patient's performance, any notable difficulties, and overall assessment of their short-term memory capabilities: