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Frontal Lobe		
1a. Level of consciousness	0 = alert 1 = drowsy 2 = stuporous 3 = coma	
1b. LOC Questions (Month, Age)	0 = both correct 1 = one correct 2 = incorrect	
1c. Commands (Open/close eyes, make a fist/open) *of the non-paralysed side.	0 = obeys both correctly 1 = obeys once correct 2 = Incorrect	
Cerebellar / Visual Pathways		
2. Best Gaze (patient to follow fingers/face)	0 = normal 1 = partial gaze palsy 2 = forced deviation	
3. Visual Fields (introduce visual stimula/threat to pts visual field quadrants)	0 = No visual loss 1 = Partial hemianopia 2 = complete hemianopia 3 = Bilateral hemianopia	
CN7 (Motor cortex → brainstem → face)		
4. Facial Paresis (show teeth, raise eyebrows and squeeze eyes shut) CN 7	0 = normal 1 = minor 2 = partial 3 = complete	
Motor cortex → decussation in brainstem (medulla) → spinal pathways		
5. Motor Arms (elevate arms to 90 degrees for 10 seconds)	0 = no drift 1 = drift 2 = Can't resist gravity 3 = No effort against gravity 4 = No movement	L – R –
6. Motor Legs (elevate leg off bed for 5 seconds)	0 = no drift 1 = drift 2 = Can't resist gravity 3 = No effort against gravity 4 = No movement	L – R –
Spinocerebellar pathways – coordinating fine movement		
7. Limb Ataxia (Finger-nose, heel-shin)	0 = no ataxia 1 = Present in one limb 2 = Present in two limbs	
Afferent pathways (Spinothalamic and dorsal columns)		
8. Sensory (pin prick, compare sides)	0 = normal 1 = partial loss 2 = severe loss	
Language Comprehension (Wernicke's – inferior MCA, usually L dominant)		
9. Best Language (Name items, describe picture and read sentence)	0 = Normal 1 = Partial loss 2 = Severe loss	
Speaking (Broca's – superior MCA, usually L dominant) (also tests CN5 sensation, CN7 lip movement, CN9 glossopharyngeal, larynx RLN/CN10 vagus, tongue hypoglossal CN12)		
10. Dysarthria (Evaluate speech clarity by patient repeat listed words)	0 = normal articulation 1 = mild slurring of words 2 = near unintelligible words	
Is there a significant anterior circulation (MCA/ACA) occlusion?		
11. Extinction and inattention (double stimulus testing – touch and wiggling fingers)	0 = No neglect 1 = Partial neglect 2 = complete neglect	
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