

# Section 2 Behaviours

*Please read carefully before completing*

Answer each question on the basis of the person's behaviour **in the last four weeks**. If the behaviour was not present during that period, tick the yellow column. If the person showed the behaviour, *but has always been like this*, also tick the yellow column. Otherwise, indicate the severity of the behaviour by ticking the appropriate red column.

To calculate scores A, B, C, D & E, add up the numbers in each of the boxes that you have ticked.

If you cannot answer a question, then **PUT A LINE THROUGH THE QUESTION** and write the reason. For example, if the person does not speak well enough for you to know if they have strange beliefs, cross out that question and write that reason.

IN THE LAST FOUR WEEKS			
Has not happened, or has always been like this	Happened occasionally or present in a mild form	Happened frequently, or present in a moderate form	Present in a severe form for much of the time
0	2	2	2
0	2	2	2
<b>SCORE A=</b>			

Less able or less prepared to use self-care skills, such as dressing, bathing, using the toilet, and cooking	0	2	2	2
More forgetful or confused than usual, eg forgetting what has been said, or getting lost in familiar places	0	2	2	2

<b>Broken sleep</b> , waking up for an hour or more, before falling back to sleep	0	0	1	1
Less able to concentrate on chosen activities such as watching television, reading, or other hobbies	0	0	1	1
Restlessness or pacing, unable to sit still	0	0	1	1
Irritable or bad tempered	0	0	1	1
<b>SCORE B=</b>				

Loss of appetite and enjoyment of food. (If this is known to be due only to dieting or bodily illness, rate as not present.)	0	0	1	1
Increased appetite, over-eating	0	0	1	1
Change of weight, enough to make clothing fit less well. (If known to be due only to dieting or bodily illness, rate as not present.)	0	0	0	0
Startled by sudden sounds or movements	0	0	1	1
Shows loss of confidence with other people, such as repeatedly asking for reassurance	0	0	1	1
Suspicious, untrusting, behaving as if someone is trying to harm them or is talking about them	0	0	1	1

(Score C is continued on the next page)