

DATA SUPPLEMENT: DEMENTIA SCREENING QUESTIONNAIRE FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH INTELLECTUAL DISABILITIES (DSQIID)

NAME:

ADDRESS:

DATE OF BIRTH:

DATE OF COMPLETION OF DSQIID:

FEMALE MALE

PHYSICAL DISABILITY:

- None
- Problems with vision/blind
- Problems with hearing/deaf
- Other – please specify

OTHER MEDICAL CONDITIONS:

- None
- Present – please specify

PSYCHOLOGICAL CONDITIONS:

- None
- Present – please specify

CURRENT MEDICATION (please specify):

PART I: LEVEL OF ‘BEST’ ABILITY

Please indicate the level of ‘best’ ability the person has, or has had, by the appropriate boxes.

SPEECH:

- Could speak fluently and understandably
- Could make short sentences
- Could speak only a few words
- Could not speak much but used sign language
- Could not speak and did not use sign language

DAILY LIVING SKILLS (e.g. dressing, washing, eating):

- Could live independently with minor help
- Could live independently but needed a lot of help with self-help skills
- Could not live independently and needed minor help with self-help skills
- Could not live independently and needed a lot of help with self-help skills

CURRENT ACCOMMODATION:

- On his/her own
- With relatives
- In a shared, staffed house
- In a group home with full-time staff
- In a nursing home with full nursing care
- Other

OTHER INFORMATION:

PART 2

Please complete the following questions by the appropriate box.

Example: Question 1) Cannot wash and/or bathe without help.

If the person has always needed help with washing and bathing in his or her adult life, please ‘Always been the case’.

If the person's previous skills in this area seem to have deteriorated, ‘Always, but seems worse’.

If the person had the skill in their adult life and has recently lost this skill, please ‘New symptom’.

Finally, if the question does not apply to the person (in this case, if the person can wash without help and this has not changed), please ‘Does not apply’.

	Always been the case	Always but worse	New symp- tom	Does not apply
Cannot wash and/or bathe without help				
Cannot dress without help				
Dresses inappropriately (e.g. back to front, incomplete)				
Undresses inappropriately (e.g. in public)				
Needs help eating				
Needs help using the bathroom				
Incontinent (including occasional accidents)				
Does not initiate conversation				
Cannot find words				
Cannot follow simple instructions				
Cannot follow more than one instruction at a time				
Stops in the middle of a task				
Cannot read				
Cannot write (including printing own name)				
Changed sleep pattern (sleeping more or sleeping less)				
Wakes frequently at night				
Confused at night				
Sleeps during the day				

	Always been the case	Always but worse	New symp- tom	Does not apply
Wanders at night				
Cannot find way in familiar surroundings				
Wanders				
Loses track of time (time of day, day of the week, seasons)				
Not confident walking over small cracks, lines on the ground or uneven surfaces				
Unsteady walk, loses balance				
Cannot walk unaided				
Cannot recognise familiar person (staff/relatives)				
Cannot remember names of familiar persons				
Cannot remember recent events				
Withdraws from social activities				
Withdraws from persons				
Loss of interest in hobbies and activities				
Seems to go into own world				
Obsessive or repetitive behaviour (e.g. empties cupboards repeatedly)				
Hides or hoards objects				
Loses objects				
Puts familiar things into wrong places				
Does not know what to do with familiar objects				
Appears insecure				
Appears anxious or nervous				
Appears depressed				
Shows aggression (verbal or physical)				
Fits/epilepsy				
Talks to self				

PART 3

Finally, please answer the following questions by ticking ‘yes’ or ‘no’.

	Yes	No
Lost some skills (e.g. brushing teeth)		
Speaks (or signs) less		
Seems generally more tired		
Appears tearful, gets more easily upset		
Appears generally slower		
Slower speech		
Appears more lazy		
Walks slower		
Generally appears more forgetful		
Generally appears more confused		

Thank you for completing this questionnaire.

If you have any further comments please use the space provided here.