



Cognitive Evaluation

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Digit Span Test

-Inattention is evaluated by **Digit Span Test**

Normal Attention

-Normal to repeat 5 digits

Inattention

-Unable to repeat 5 digits = inattention

Dementia

-Evaluated by the **Mini-Cog**

Mini-Cog

- 3 item recall
- Ask patient to repeat 3 words for you
 - Ex: ball, tree, flag
- Clock drawing
- Have patient recall the 3 items

Instructions for the Clock Drawing

- Draw the face of a clock (without numbers)
- Put in the numbers
- Put the hands at 11:10