## **BAYER ACTIVITIES OF DAILY LIVING (B-ADL)**

The following questions are about everyday activities with which the person you are being asked about might have difficulty. Please indicate how often difficulties occur by indicating the appropriate number. The higher the number, the more difficulty the person has with the activity in question. If difficulties <u>never</u> occur please mark (1). If difficulties <u>always</u> occur mark (10). If a question does not apply to the person for any reason please put a cross in the "N/A" box. If you cannot decide on the difficulty the person has please put a cross in the "unknown" box. If you have problems understanding any of the questions, please ask for help. Please do not write in the Score box.

Doe	es the person have difficulty		N/A	Unknown	Score
1	managing his/her everyday activities?	never 1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10 always			
2	taking care of him/herself?	never 1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10 always			
3	taking medicine without supervision?	never 1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10 always			
4	with personal hygiene?	never 1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10 always			
5	observing important dates or events?	never 1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10 always			
6	concentrating on reading?	never 1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10 always			
7	describing what he/she has just seen or heard?	never 1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10 always			
8	taking part in a conversation?	never 1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10 always			
9	using the telephone?	never 1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10 always			
10	taking a message for someone else?	never 1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10 always			
11	going for a walk without getting lost?	never 1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10 always			
12	shopping?	never 1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10 always			
13	preparing food?	never 1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10 always			
14	correctly counting out money?	never 1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10 always			
15	understanding his/her personal financial affairs?	never 1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10 always			
16	giving directions if asked the way?	never 1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10 always			
17	using domestic appliances?	never 1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10 always			
18	finding his/her way in an unfamiliar place?	never 1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10 always			
19	using transportation?	never 1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10 always			
20	participating his/her leisure activities?	never 1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10 always			
21	continuing with the same task after a brief interruption?	never 1–2–3–4–5–6–7–8–9–10 always			
22	doing two things at the same time?	never 1–2–3–4–5–6–7–8–9–10 always			
23	coping with unfamiliar situations	never 1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10 always			
24	doing things safely?	never 1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10 always			
25	performing a task when under pressure?	never 1–2–3–4–5–6–7–8–9–10 always	_		

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