

## McLaren Print System Order

Order No: 85227  
 Order Date: 2024-05-06  
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Ship Location: McLaren Macomb Interventional Neurology Office attn Catherine  
 1030 Harrington Blvd suite 304  
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Brochures  
 Quantity: 4  
 Paragon Dept No: 25240  
 Dept Name: Interventional Neurology  
 Company Number: 260

Order Total Price: 100.00

Item Number: 24MM044  
 Item Description: NIHSS REFERENCE Badge Buddy  
 Revision Date: 05/2024  
 Print:  
 Paper:  
 Size:  
 Fold:  
 Finish:  
 Drill:  
 Poster:  
 Misc Info: 50 per package; laminated with rounded corners; slot punch



NIHSS Scoring			
Scale Item	Coma	Difficult or Confused	Tips
1a. Responsiveness	2 = for some movement 3 = flaccid or no movement	0 = if awake, alert	Can usually tell score by greeting
1b. LOC Questions	2	1 = ET tube, trauma, severe dysarthria; 2 = Aphasia, stupor, confusion	Score initial response; patient may smile or wince.
1c. LOC Commands	2	2 = if unable to understand or follow the commands	You are not testing grip strength. May pantomime if patient doesn't respond to command; ok if impaired by weakness
2. Best Gaze	0 = if normal eye movement noted	0 = if patient able to track your movements	Coma = hold eyes open and turn head side to side. Confused = Make eye contact and move to other side of bed
3. Visual	0 = if blinks to visual threat 3 = if no blink in any field 3 = if blind due to any cause	0 = if blinks to visual threat 3 = if no blink in any field 3 = if blind due to any cause	Three ways to test = finger counting, finger movement or threat; test in four quadrants of each eye separately
4. Facial Palsy	3	If patient is verbal, observe for facial droop. If confused and nonverbal, use noxious stimulation to elicit grimace	Check NLF in advance; 1 = for minor asymmetry on smiling; 2 = major for asymmetry of smile; 3 = for absence of movement in upper and lower face
5a, 5b. Motor Arm	3 = for no effort against gravity 4 = for no movement at all	If unable to follow directions, use observation to score. Is the patient using the arm?	Unreliable only with amputation or fusion.

Spec Info: