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SCI EDGE outcome measures for entry-level education

The SCI EDGE task force reviewed 63 outcome measures covering the range of body structure and function, activities and participation evaluating each for psychometrics and clinical utility for individuals with SCI. Through literature review, analysis, and a modified Delphi procedure, recommendations were formulated for outcome measures that entry-level students should be made aware of and measures they should learn to administer. Complete materials are available at: http://www.neuropt.org/professional-resources/neurology-section-outcome-measures-recommendations/spinal-cord-injury

Recommendations for patients with spinal cord injury:

Students should learn to use:

6 minute walk 10 meter walk ASIA Impairment Scale Berg Balance Test Functional Independence Measure Handheld Myometry Manual Muscle Test Numeric Pain Rating Scale Timed Up and Go

Students should be exposed to:

| Modified Ashworth Scale | Reintegration to Normal Living Index |
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| Capabilities of Upper | |
| Extremity Functioning Instrument | Satisfaction with Life Scale |
| | Medical Council Short Form- |
| Craig Handicap Reporting and Assessment Technique | 36 |
| | Sickness Impact Profile |
| Dynamic Gait Index | |
| | Spinal Cord Injury |
| Functional Gait Assessment | Independence Measure |
| Multidimensional Pain Inventory, SCI version | Walking Index for Spinal Cord Injury II |
| Penn Spasm Frequency Scale | World Health Organization Quality of Life- BREF |

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