

## Section C: Mood and Behavior- Quick Reference

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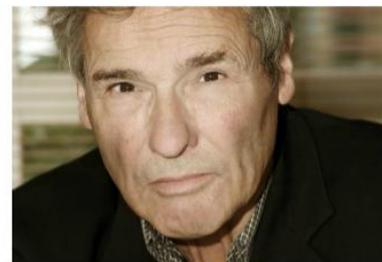
### 1. Behavior Symptoms

- a. **Wandering**- Moved with no rational purpose. Seemingly oblivious to needs or safety.
- b. **Verbal abuse**- e.g., others were threatened screamed at, cursed, etc
- c. **Physical abuse**-e.g., others were hit, shoved, scratched, sexually abused.
- d. **Socially inappropriate or disruptive behavior**-e.g., made disruptive sounds or noises, screamed out, smeared or threw food or feces, hoarded, rummaged through others' belongings.
- e. **Inappropriate public sexual behavior or public disrobing**.
- f. **Resists care**- e.g., taking medications/injections, ADL assistance, eating.

### Mood and Behavior Scenario 1

Please select the correct ranking for this situation.

Mr. Z has been diagnosed with dementia and has been making unsafe decisions. Yesterday he tried to put a metal dish in the microwave. When his wife noticed what he was doing, she went over to him and told him that the dish could not go into the microwave. She tried to open the microwave door, but Mr. Z grabbed her arm and pushed her away from the microwave. He yelled at her to leave him alone, and if she didn't, she would be sorry. He then stormed off to the living room. She was very stunned as Mr. Z has never been verbally or physically aggressive in the past.



Please rate for: a. Wandering

- 0 - Not present
- 1 - Present but not exhibited in last 3 days
- 2 - Exhibited in 1-2 of last 3 days
- 3 - Exhibited daily in last 3 days



**Please rate for: b. Verbal Abuse**

- 0 - Not present
- 1 - Present but not exhibited in the last 3 days
- 2 - Exhibited in 1-2 of the last 3 days
- 3 - Exhibited daily in the last 3 days

**Please rate for: c. Physical Abuse**

- 0 - Not present
- 1 - Present but not exhibited in the last 3 days
- 2 - Exhibited in 1-2 of the last 3 days
- 3 - Exhibited daily in the last 3 days

**Please rate for: d. Socially Inappropriate or Disruptive Behavior**

- 0 - Not present
- 1 - Present but not exhibited in last 3 days
- 2 - Exhibited in 1-2 of last 3 days
- 3 - Exhibited daily in last 3 days

**Please rate for: e. Inappropriate Public Sexual Behavior or Public Disrobing**

- 0 - Not present
- 1 - Present but not exhibited in last 3 days
- 2 - Exhibited in 1-2 of last 3 days
- 3 - Exhibited daily in last 3 days

**Please rate for: f. Resists Care**

- 0 - Not present
- 1 - Present but not exhibited in last 3 days
- 2 - Exhibited in 1-2 of last 3 days
- 3 - Exhibited daily in last 3 days

## Mood and Behavior Scenario 2

Please select the correct ranking for this situation.

Mr. K was outside of a convenience store yelling at a woman selling flowers. The woman was about to call the police when Mr. K's wife came running up the street. She asked the woman not to call the police. She explained to the lady that Mr. K usually doesn't leave the house and when he does he becomes confused and disoriented. Mr. K is suffering from dementia. The lady agreed not to call the police. On the walk back to the house Mr. K kept yelling and making lewd gestures at passing vehicles. Mr. K's wife was trying desperately to calm him down. She has never seen her husband so worked up before. Once they arrived at the home, Mrs. K called the doctor to schedule an appointment with her husband. The following week an assessor with the local AAA came to the home to complete an assessment. Mrs. K told the assessor about the incident and admitted to the assessor that she has found Mr. K outside of the home wandering the past 2 days, but other than the wandering she hasn't had any recent issues with him. She isn't sure what she should do to keep him safe.

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- 3 - Exhibited daily in last 3 days

Please rate for: b. Verbal Abuse

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Please rate for: c. Physical Abuse

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- 1 - Present but not exhibited in last 3 days
- 2 - Exhibited in 1-2 of the last 3 days
- 3 - Exhibited daily in last 3 days

**Please rate for: d. Socially Inappropriate or Disruptive Behavior**

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**Please rate for: e. Inappropriate Public Sexual Behavior or Public Disrobing**

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- 2 - Exhibited 1 - 2 of the last 3 days
- 3 - Exhibited daily in the last 3 days

**Please rate for: f. Resists Care**

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- 2 - Exhibited 1 - 2 of the last 3 days
- 3 - Exhibited daily in the last 3 days

### Mood and Behavior Scenario 3

Mrs. M is an 80-year-old retired school teacher, who is currently residing with her daughter, Stacy. Stacy provides 24-hour care to Mrs. M. Mrs. M is in the late stages of dementia. Mrs. M doesn't speak very often and when she does speak her speech is nonsensical. She is consistently making sounds and grunting. Stacy does not allow Mrs. M to feed herself any longer due to her throwing the food on the floor and not eating. It takes a great deal of time and effort to get Mrs. M to eat. She will clamp her mouth shut and push Stacy's hand away during meal time. Mrs. M has slapped her daughter in the chest to prevent being fed. During toileting, Mrs. M will refuse to sit down on the toilet. She will fling her arms out and hold on to her daughter as if she is falling. Yesterday while Stacy was bathing Mrs. M, she pushed Stacy causing her to fall against the counter.



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Please rate for: b. Verbal Abuse

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- 1 - Present but not exhibited in the last 3 days
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Please rate for: c. Physical Abuse

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- 1 - Present but not exhibited in last 3 days
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**Please rate for: d. Socially Inappropriate or Disruptive Behavior**

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- 1 - Present but not exhibited in the last 3 days
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- 3 - Exhibited daily in the last 3 days

**Please rate for: e. Inappropriate Public Sexual Behavior or Public Disrobing**

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- 2 - Exhibited 1 - 2 of the last 3 days
- 3 - Exhibited daily in the last 3 days

**Please rate for: f. Resists Care**

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- 1 - Present but not exhibited in the last 3 days
- 2 - Exhibited 1 - 2 of the last 3 days
- 3 - Exhibited daily in the last 3 days