

M-R2
CINCINNATI
STROKE SCALE

This scale is for reference:
**Utilize C-STAT [M-R1] for all patients
with new neuro signs/symptoms**

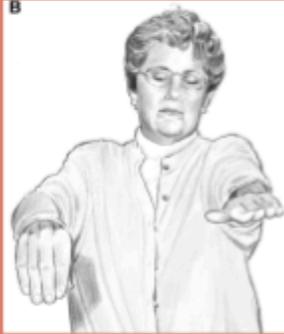


For evaluation of acute, non-comatose, non-traumatic neurologic complaint.

Facial/Smile or Grimace:

<p>Have the patient show teeth or smile.</p>	<p>Normal: Both sides of the face move equally</p>		<p>Abnormal: Left or right side of face does not move as well</p>	
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Arm Drift:

<p>Have the patient close both eyes & hold both arms straight out for 10 seconds.</p>	<p>Normal: Arms move equally or do not move</p>	<p>A</p> 	<p>Abnormal: Left or right arm does not move or drifts down</p>	<p>B</p> 
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Speech:

<p>Have the patient repeat a simple phrase, such as "It is sunny outside today"</p>	<p>Normal: Words stated correctly without slurring</p>	<p>Abnormal: Patient slurs words or uses the wrong words, or is unable to speak.</p>
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ANY abnormal finding localized to one side is a stroke until proven otherwise.