

English Version



OPTION Observing patient involvement

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Rater Name		Clinician Code		Date of rating	DD	MM	YY
				Consultation number			
				Consultation duration (m, s)			
				Practitioner (M = 1, F = 2)	Age		Sex
				Patient (M = 1, F = 2)	Age		Sex
				New Consultation	1		
				Review Consultation	2		
				Composite Consultation	3		
Description of index problem							

1	The clinician <i>draws attention to</i> an identified problem as one that requires a decision making process.	0	1	2	3	4
2	The clinician <i>states</i> that there is more than one way to deal with the identified problem ('equipoise').	0	1	2	3	4
3	The clinician <i>assesses</i> the patient's preferred approach to receiving information to assist decision making (e.g. discussion, reading printed material, assessing graphical data, using videotapes or other media).	0	1	2	3	4
4	The clinician <i>lists</i> 'options', which can include the choice of 'no action'.	0	1	2	3	4
5	The clinician <i>explains</i> the pros and cons of options to the patient (taking 'no action' is an option).	0	1	2	3	4
6	The clinician explores the patient's <i>expectations</i> (or ideas) about how the problem(s) are to be managed.	0	1	2	3	4
7	The clinician explores the patient's <i>concerns</i> (fears) about how problem(s) are to be managed.	0	1	2	3	4
8	The clinician checks that the patient has <i>understood</i> the information.	0	1	2	3	4
9	The clinician offers the patient explicit <i>opportunities</i> to ask questions during the decision making process.	0	1	2	3	4
10	The clinician elicits the patient's <i>preferred level of involvement</i> in decision-making.	0	1	2	3	4
11	The clinician indicates the need for a <i>decision making</i> (or <i>deferring</i>) stage.	0	1	2	3	4
12	The clinician indicates the need to review the decision (or <i>deferment</i>).	0	1	2	3	4

Score	Description
0	The behaviour is not observed.
1	A minimal attempt is made to exhibit the behaviour.
2	The behaviour is observed and a minimum skill level achieved.
3	The behaviour is exhibited to a good standard.
4	The behaviour is exhibited to a very high standard.