

TAI Mental status

	S tatus	Illustration
5	None of one following disturbance in cognitive function. 1. inappropriate behavior for two weeks 2. memory or decision making disturbance 3.Orientation disturbance	 "Don't waste your money!" "I can read the paper!" Copyright by TAI research group

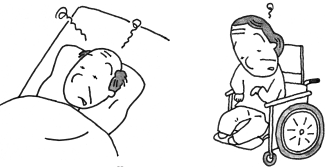
Any disturbance in cognitive function	No	↗
	Yes	↘

		Problem behavior		
4	S tatus	NO	YES	3
	The elderly person has disturbance of decision making or disturbance of living caused by memory loss but shows no problem behavior	↖	↙	
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	 Apparent forgetfulness Copyright by TAI research group			
	S tatus			
	The elderly person does not have orientation disturbance but has behavior(s) that embarrass his family or neighbors.			
	Illus tration			
	 "Someone took my wallet!" Copyright by TAI research group			

Orientation questions 1.What month is it now? 2.Where are we now? 3.Who is this person?	All correct	↗
	Any failure	↘

		Problem behavior		
2	S tatus	NO	YES	1
	Severe orientation disturbance but no problem behavior	↖	↙	
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	 Sitting all day long Copyright by TAI research group			
	S tatus			
	Both severe orientation disturbance and problem behavior(s)			
	Illus tration			
	 Restlessness and /or aggressiveness Copyright by TAI research group			

Responsiveness	Yes	↗
	No	↘

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0	No mental activity and no problem behavior	 "Who I am?" No mental activity Copyright by TAI research group