

## APPENDIX J

### MODIFIED RANKIN SCALE

#### Instructions for Completion

This scale provides an assessment of the degree of disability. Minor strokes are considered Grades 0 to 2, while major strokes are Grades 3 to 5

<b>Grade 0</b>	no symptoms at all
<b>Grade 1</b>	no significant disability despite symptoms: able to carry out usual duties and activity
<b>Grade 2</b>	slight disability: unable to carry out all previous activities but able to look after own affairs without assistance
<b>Grade 3</b>	Moderate disability: requiring some help, but able to walk without assistance
<b>Grade 4</b>	Moderate/severe disability: unable to walk without assistance, and unable to attend to own bodily needs without assistance
<b>Grade 5</b>	Severe disability: bedridden, incontinent, and requiring constant nursing care and attention
<b>Grade 6</b>	fatal

**Grade:** .....

**Remark:**.....  
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