

questions to ask

To Assess the Orientation and Memory

1. Ask, "Where are you going and where are you coming from?" *Record response as given.*

2. Ask to state/spell full name, address, and home phone number.

3. Ask today's date and day of the week, using prompts if necessary.

4. Ask correct time of day without looking at watch
(*more than 1 hour off is abnormal*).

Stated: _____

Actual: _____

5. Ask to recite months in reverse order.

Number of errors: _____ (*two or more is abnormal*)

6. Ask what city or town you are in now:

7. Ask what is make/model/year of car.

8. Point at each item listed below and ask the individual to name it. *Record responses as given.*

*If contact is not a result of a traffic stop, choose nearby common items and ask the individual to name them.

(*record items asked and responses, below*).

Steering Wheel: _____ Windshield: _____

Glove Compartment/Box: _____ Radio/Stereo: _____

Rear-view Mirror: _____ Gear Shift: _____

QUESTIONS 1 THROUGH 8:

Correct Responses _____ # Incorrect Responses _____

Notes: _____

Recommendations: *circle*

Too Impaired for Driving Skills Test | Too Unsafe/No Further Testing

Vision Testing Recommended | Report to DMV/Unsafe on Road

Locate Family/Neighbor and Secure at Home

File Report/Warning or Citation Issue | Transport to Hospital

Request Further Action

IACP's Alzheimer's INITIATIVES

SAFEGUARDING THE MATURING POPULATION

Identifying & Evaluating the At-Risk Older Adult

DATE _____

OFFICER _____

NAME OF PERSON _____

LOCATION _____



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