

The Upper Extremity functional Index (UEFI)

We are interested in knowing whether you are having any difficulty at all with the activities listed below <u>because of your upper limb problem</u> for which you are currently seeking attention. Please provide an answer for each activity to the question, "Today, do you or would you have any difficulty at all with: "

	Activities	Extreme Difficulty or Unable to Perform Activity	Quite a Bit of Difficulty	Moderate Difficulty	A Little Bit of Difficulty	No Difficulty
1	Any of your usual work, housework, or school activities	0	1	2	3	4
2	Your usual hobbies, recreational or sporting activities	0	1	2	3	4
3	Lifting a bag of groceries to waist level	0	1	2	3	4
4	Lifting a bag of groceries above your head	0	1	2	3	4
5	Grooming your hair	0	1	2	3	4
6	Pushing up on your hands (eg from bathtub or chair)	0	1	2	3	4
7	Preparing food (eg peeling, cutting)	0	1	2	3	4
8	Driving	0	1	2	3	4
9	Vacuuming, sweeping or raking	0	1	2	3	4
10	Dressing	0	1	2	3	4
11	Doing up buttons	0	1	2	3	4
12	Using tools or appliances	0	1	2	3	4
13	Opening doors	0	1	2	3	4
14	Cleaning	0	1	2	3	4
15	Tying or lacing shoes	0	1	2	3	4
16	Sleeping	0	1	2	3	4
17	Laundering clothes (eg washing,ironing,folding)	0	1	2	3	4
18	Opening a jar	0	1	2	3	4
19	Throwing a ball	0	1	2	3	4
20	Carrying a small suitcase with your affected limb	0	1	2	3	4
	Column Totals:	0	1	2	3 SCORE: /80	4

(scored by clinic personnel) Minimum Level of Detectable Change (90% Confidence): 9 points

SCORE: ____/80

Source: Stratford PW,Binkley,JM,Stratford DM (2001): Development and initial validation of the upper extremity functional index. Physiotherapy Canada. 53(4):259-267.