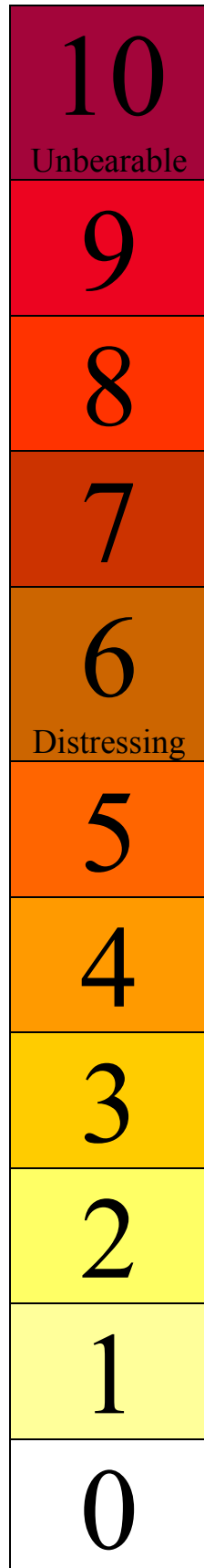


PAIN SCALE



Elliot Hospital supports your right to have your report of pain taken seriously and to be treated with dignity and respect by your health care team. Your team will routinely perform pain assessments that may include aspects of the following:

Pain assessment questions:

- Character
- Location
- Intensity
- Duration
- Response evaluation

Assessing non-verbal pain indicators:

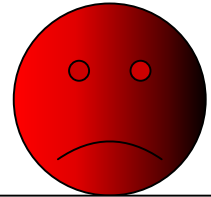
- Facial grimacing
- Guarding of body part
- Crying, moaning
- Irritability, restlessness
- Confusion

Assessing autonomic pain responses:

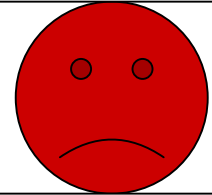
- Increased B/P
- Diaphoresis (sweating)
- Dilated pupils
- Abdominal heaviness
- Cutaneous irritation

Pain assessment in the cognitively impaired:

- Assess facial expression
- Assess leg position
- Assess activity
- Assess cry
- Assess consol ability



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Hurts Worse



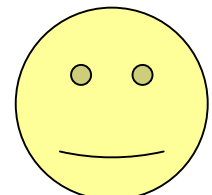
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Hurts Whole Lot



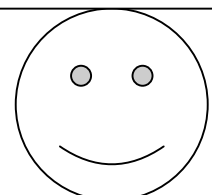
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Hurts Even More



4
Hurts Little More



2
Hurts Little Bit



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No Hurt

