

Explanation of SAGE Scoring

Please note that SAGE screening is not a diagnostic test of any condition. Our research has shown that SAGE can often, but not always, indicate whether individuals fall into the normal range, have mild memory or thinking impairments, or have a more severe memory or thinking condition. Please see the table below.

SAGE Score (Maximum Score=22)	Interpretation
17 to 22	Individuals with these scores are very likely to be <i>normal</i> .
15 and 16	Individuals with these scores are likely to have <i>mild memory or thinking impairments</i> . Further evaluation by a physician is recommended.
14 and below	Individuals with these scores are likely to have a <i>more severe memory or thinking condition</i> . Further evaluation by a physician is recommended.

Reference: Scharre DW, Chang S-I, Murden RA, Lamb J, Beversdorf DQ, Kataki M, Naharaja HN, Bornstein RA: Self-administered Gerocognitive Examination (SAGE): A brief cognitive assessment instrument for Mild Cognitive Impairment (MCI) and early dementia. *Alzheimer Dis Assoc Disord* 2010;24:64-71