

Canine Functional Independence Measurement Scale (C-FIM)

To help us understand your pet's needs, please complete the grid below. Score your animal on what they *actually* do, not on what they *could* do. Include scores for all areas. Score "1" if animal does not do the activity or if no information is available. Use the lower score if function is variable.

Patient Name: _____ Age: _____ Date: _____

Male/Female: _____ Spay/Neuter: _____ Medical Diagnosis: _____

Client Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

E-mail: _____

Scores:		
7	Independent	Fully independent
6	Modified Independence	Independent with assistive devices (braces, wheelchairs, splints, etc...)
5	Supervision	Stand by assistance, verbal prompting or help with set-up
4	Minimal Assistance	Incidental hands-on assistance, animal performs > 75% of task
3	Moderate Assistance	Animal performs 50-75% of task
2	Maximal Assistance	Animal performs less than half of effort to complete task (25%-49%)
1	Total Assistance	Animal performs < 25% of effort to complete task or unable to complete task

Task	Date	Date	Date	Date	Owner Goal
Positioning to Eat					
Positioning to Toilet					
Bladder Control					
Bowel Control					
Up and down from floor					
On and off of furniture					
In and out of car					
Up and down stairs					
Walking indoors					
Walking outdoors					
Other:					
Total Score					

