

## Pain Assessment Tools

*These tools may provide assistance when calibrating pain with patients.*

### Categorical Scale

<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>
No Pain	Mild	Discomforting	Distressing	Intense	Excruciating

### Visual Analogue Scale

					
No Pain	Mild	Discomforting	Distressing	Intense	Excruciating

### Numeric Rating Scale

<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>
 <p><i>0 = No pain, 10 = Worst pain imaginable</i></p>										