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Cornell Scale for Depression in Dementia

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A 19-item clinician-administered instrument, developed by Alexopoulos et al. in 1986, that utilizes a three-point rating scale to assess signs and symptoms of major depression in patients with dementia, based on interviews with both the patient and a caregiver.