

Supplementary Table S2. Current evidence of neurodevelopmental assessment tool for motor function

	Reliability (ICC, Cohen's kappa)	Internal consistency (Cronbach's alpha)	Content validity +, ?, -, 0	Criterion validity (correlation coefficient, MCID, sensitivity/specificity)	Construct validity +, ?, -, 0
GMs	+++	0	+	+++	+
[1] n=20	Intrater κ=1.00		+ Experts in field		Theory supported by ultrasound studies
[2] n=130				CP or DQ <85 outcome at 24 mo Sensitivity 0.95 (89.49%–100.0%) Specificity 0.96 (90.96%–100.0%)	
[3] n=58				CP or DQ <85 outcome at 24 mo Sensitivity/specificity according to initial assessment of GMs 38–42 wk: 0.94/0.59 43–47 wk: 0.94/0.86 48–56 wk: 0.94/0.83	
[4] n=31				CP or DQ <85 outcome at 24 mo Sensitivity/specificity according to initial assessment of GMs 28–37 wk: 90.6/57.6 38–42 wk: 100/64.5 43–65 wk: 96.2–100/74.2–98.8	
[5] n=30	Interrater Item speed/amplitude/variability in arm pattern κ=0.51–0.84 Item variability in leg pattern, general pattern: 0.36–0.40 Interrater κ=0.92				
[6] n=19	Interrater κ=0.84			Neurological outcome at 24 mo Yates trend test, p<0.02	
[7] n=27	Interrater κ=0.91			Neurological outcome at 24 mo R=0.561, p<0.005	
[8] n=16	Interrater ICC=0.80–0.94 Intrater ICC=0.727–0.792				
[9] n=37	Inter-observer agreement=90.2%				
[10] n=84				CP at 24–36 mo Sensitivity/specificity according to initial assessment of GMs (%) 28–37 wk: 100/38 38–42 wk: 100/41 43–46 wk: 100/53 47–60 wk: 100/82	
TIMP	+++	+	+	+	+
[1]		+ Expert panel Literature review			Rasch analysis

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[2] n=96				Term and preterm infants 3 mo: AIMS I=0.646 Prediction of AIMS <5%ile Sensitivity/specificity according to age (day) 7 day: 0.45/0.74 30 day: 0.64/0.68 60 day: 0.75/0.78 90 day: 0.92/0.76 Delay on BOT Sensitivity 50.0% (15.6%-85.7%) Specificity 100% PDMS DQ <70 Sensitivity/specificity (%) 1 mo: 33 (19-47)/94 (87-100) 2 mo: 50 (35-65)/86 (76-96) 3 mo: 72 (59-83)/91 (83-99)	
[3] n=35					
[4] n=61					
[5] n=21	Intrater ICC=0.98-0.99 Interrater ICC=0.95				
[6] n=655	Intrater α =0.65-0.99 Interrater α =0.97-0.99 Test-retest r =1.00, ICC=1.00	α =0.71-0.98	+ High concordance among the experts, for language clarity and pertinence, were found	Discriminant validity: to identify groups at-risk for delays (p<0.0001) Predictive validity: capability to predict motor delay (r =0.55-0.89)	
MAI	+	+	?	+	+
[1]	Fair for sum of risk scores Interrater r =0.72 Test-retest r =0.76	Interrater/test-retest Muscle tone κ =0.19-0.61/0.05-1.00 Reflex κ =-0.03-0.67/-0.05-0.87 Automatic κ =0.18-0.70/0.01-0.75 Volitional κ =0.09-0.79/-0.04-0.97	Educational experience, literature review of general observations of infants movement	More recent studies report more favorable outcomes Cut-off score : suspect 8-13 high risk >13	No survey; item selections by authors High risk score study (n=35) to establish interrater reliability >0.90
[2] n=160				BSID-motor r =-0.67 (4 mo), -0.68 (8 mo) Cut-off \geq 10; sensitivity/specificity 4 mo: 83.3%/78.2% 8 mo: 96.0%/64.5% BSID (1-2 yr): -0.32 to -0.42 (poor) PDMS: -0.12 (not correlated) Recommend to use MAI together with norm-referenced test Volitional-Griffiths mental developmental r =-0.63, Reflex-Griffiths locomotor subscale r =-0.61	
[3] Review					

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[4] n=50					Too stringent, not accurately reflect neuro-motor behavior → necessary of deleting/ revising items
[5] n=134				Cut-off (term; at 4 mo) >13: sensitivity 0.49, specificity 0.77 >9: sensitivity 0.63, specificity 0.53 BSID r=-0.23	
[6] n=75				Cut-off (preterm; at 4 mo) >4: sensitivity 100%, specificity 80% >9: sensitivity 66.6%, specificity 94.1% 4 mo (n=246), BSID (PDI) (r=-0.63) 4 mo (n=160), BSID-III at 18 mo Sensitivity 69%, specificity 53%, PPV 56%, NPV 67% 4 mo (n=134), BSID at 2 yr-MAI >13 Sensitivity 49%, specificity 77%, PPV 50%, NPV 76%, AUC 0.629 4 mo (n=34), CP-MAI >10	
[7] Review				Sensitivity 64%, specificity 91%, PPV 78%, NPV 84% 4-8 mo (n=160), BSID at 18 mo r=-0.58 to -0.44 Sensitivity 83.3%-96.0%, specificity 64.5%-78.2%, PPV 51.9%-59.2%, NPV 84.9%-90.8%	
AIMS	+++	+	+		+
[1], [2] Norm n=2,200	(n=506) Interrater ICC 0.9959-0.997 Stability ICC 0.859-0.993		Neuromaturational model of motor development	PDMS GMQ; r=0.90-0.99 BSID motor scale; r=0.84-0.97	Psychometric analysis for measuring small increments of change in the motor develop- ment
[3] n=164				10th %ile at 4 mo Sensitivity 77.3%/specificity 81.7% 5th %ile at 8 mo Sensitivity 86.4%/specificity 93.0%	
[4] n=650				Stability (20 yr dataset); r=0.99 (comparison with [1])	
[5]				ICC 0.98-0.99 (even without training, but only with given manual)	
[6] Serbia n=60				Interrater ICC 0.860-0.997 Stability ICC 0.860-0.997	
				0-3 mo α=0.940 4-7 mo α=0.998 8-14 mo α=0.996	

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HINE	-	-	+	+++	?
[1], [2]			Literature review Optimal score development from 12, 18 mo normal children (n=92) Score comparison of HIE (n=53)	1 yr; ≥67 → independent walk 40-67 → restricted mobility <40 → severely limited Reported cut-off 50-73; ≤56 (3 mo), ≤65 (12 mo) CP Sensitivity/specificity >90%; 90% predictive accuracy of CP (>5 mo CA)	Item selections for detecting abnormal signs; Further domain addendum through experts opinions
[3] Review n=10 Children =3,452					
[4]				CP, GMFCS level r=-0.82	
[5]					
Recommend education to establish inter-rater reliability (not sufficient evidence)					
PDMS-II	+++	+++	+	+++	+
[1] New norms (n=2,003)	Test-retest r=0.82-0.93 Inter-rater r=0.96-0.99 Excellent for all subsets, all ages	24-35 mo α=0.97, 36-47 mo α=0.95, 48-59 mo α=0.97, 60-71 mo α=0.98 Total α=0.9934	Literature review & created by experts and feedback from therapists Hierarchical sequence of items (age-equivalent basal, ceiling level)	Mullen Scales of Early Learning GMQ p=0.86 FMQ p=0.80	Conventional item analysis Modern differential item functioning analysis to new norms
[2] Taiwan n=141	ICC 0.97	α=0.89		MABC-2; p=0.80-0.84 BOT-2; p=0.84-0.88	Age, subtest raw scores correlation exists Psychometric properties (3-6 yr)
[3] China n=184		α=0.89-0.97		MCID 8.39; sensitivity 61.65% / specificity 71.34% MABC-2 fine motor-FMQ; r=0.750 MABC-2 gross motor-GMQ; r=0.743 MABC-2 total-TMQ; r=0.631	
[4] Iran n=88	ICC 0.982 (GMQ)/0.989 (FMQ) ICC 0.988 (TMQ)	α=0.93 (GMQ)/α=0.90 (FMQ) α=0.92 (TMQ)		BSID-2 motor scale FMQ r=0.91; GMQ 0.93	
[5] New Mexico n=110				BSID-2 motor scale-Reflex; r=0.89 (n=13) Stationary; r=0.93 (n=110) Locomotion; r=0.97 (n=110) Object manipulation; r=0.90 (n=95) Grasping; r=0.85 (n=110) Visual/motor integration; r=0.94 (n=110) GMQ r=0.75 FMQ r=0.67 TMQ 0.76	

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[6] Korea n=50	ICC Stationary Korean version 0.985 Locomotion Korean version 0.994 Object manipulation Korean version 0.972 Grasping Korean version 0.941 Visual/motor integration Korean version 0.988	+	Review committee Lynn score for content validity 3.34	BOT-2 (Korean) Stationary r=0.756-0.904 Locomotion r=0.657-0.769 Object manipulation r=0.651-0.846 Grasping r=0.710-0.884 Visual-motor integration r=0.785-0.951	+
NSMDA	+	+	+	+	+
[1]	Interrater r=0.80	Cross-correlation matrix item scoring (12+24 mo) 0.73 p<0.001 Functional grade (12+24 mo) 0.87 p<0.001	Literature review Developed by an experienced pediatric physio-therapist	Low-birthweight infants 24 mo: no significant difference between NSMDA and paediatrician's classification $\chi^2=0.08$ Prediction of development at 24 mo, according to age at testing (%) 1 mo: sensitivity 68.8, specificity 72.6 4 mo: sensitivity 80.0, specificity 56.9 8 mo: sensitivity 82.4, specificity 83.7 12 mo: sensitivity 58.8, specificity 93.3 BSID-III motor <85 1 mo: r=-0.79, p<0.001 4 mo: r=-0.79, p<0.001 8 mo: r=-0.93, p<0.001 12 mo: r=-0.88, p<0.001 NSMDA at 1 yr - McCarthy Scales of Children's Abilities at 4 yr: sensitivity 30%-57%, specificity 70%-98%, PPV 78%, NPV 87%	Factor analysis (up to 2 yr of age) Stability of test results over time (up to 2 yr)
[2] n=148					Factor analysis, discriminates between normal and abnormal development
[3] n=160					
[4] n=132					

ICC, intraclass correlation coefficient; MCID, minimal clinically important difference; GMs, general movements; CP, cerebral palsy; DQ, developmental quotient; TIMP, Test of Infant Motor Performance; AIMS, Alberta Infant Motor Scale; BOT, Bruininks-Oseretsky Test of Motor Proficiency; PDMS, Peabody Developmental Motor Scales; MAI, Movement Assessment of Infants; BSID, Bayley Scales of Infant Development; PDI, psychomotor developmental index; PPV, positive predictive value; NPV, negative predictive value; AUC, area under curve; GMQ, gross motor quotient; HINE, Hammersmith Infant Neurologic Examination; HIE, hypoxic ischemic encephalopathy; CA, corrected age; GMFCS, gross motor function classification system; FMQ, fine motor quotient; MABC-2, movement assessment battery for children-2; TMQ, total motor quotient; NSMDA, Neuro-sensory Motor Developmental Assessment.

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