

Signs of Neglect in Infants Assessment Scale(SIGN), English version

Please circle (○) the **number** that is closest to the actual situation or condition of the case.

Situation	Twice or more	Once	Never
Lack of basic supervisory care			
1 Caregiver dresses the child in dirty clothes	2	1	0
2 Caregiver gives the child inappropriate clothes for the season or weather	2	1	0
3 Caregiver does not bathe the child regularly	2	1	0
4 Caregiver does not keep the house clean, with trash remaining in the house and stains left uncleaned.	2	1	0
5 Caregiver does not organize, leaving the house cluttered with many things	2	1	0
6 Caregiver places dangerous objects within the child's reach	2	1	0
Child underdevelopment			
7 Child shows signs of poor weight gain	2	1	0
8 Child shows signs of dehydration	2	1	0
9 Caregiver skips breast-feeding times required to meet the child's nutritional requirements	2	1	0
10 Caregiver does not fulfill the child's nutritional requirements	2	1	0
Lack of emotional behavior			
11 Caregiver avoids eye contact with the child	2	1	0
12 Caregiver rarely speaks to or praises the child	2	1	0
13 Caregiver does not comfort the child when the child is crying	2	1	0
14 Caregiver does not engage much in intimate connection with the child such as cuddling.	2	1	0
Total score			

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