

Foot Ulcer Risk Examination tool evaluation

1. The Foot Ulcer Risk Examination tool feasible to perform in clinical practice. -
1. Strongly disagree 2. Disagree 3. Neutral 4. Agree - see comments
5. Strongly agree

2. The FURE an appropriate tool to use in assessing foot ulcer risk.
1. Strongly disagree 2. Disagree 3. Neutral 4. Agree 5. Strongly agree

3. The “risk groups” stratification and recommended follow up treatment are appropriate.

1. Strongly disagree 2. Disagree 3. Neutral 4. Agree 5. Strongly agree

4. I am prepared to implement this tool into practice.

1. Strongly disagree 2. Disagree 3. Neutral 4. Agree 5. Strongly agree

Are there any aspects of foot examination not addressed? ___ Does not include options, for example with vascular assessment: what if only a dorsalis pedis pulse is felt, but not both?

Flowchart evaluation

1. The flowchart clear to understand and easily followed.

1. Strongly disagree 2. Disagree 3. Neutral 4. Agree 5. Strongly agree – It would be helpful to have the scoring definitions included in each box – for example Low Risk Group add: “A score less than or equal to 6”.

Step By Step to Better Foot Care evaluation

1. The brochure is a culturally appropriate patient resource.

1. Strongly disagree 2. Disagree 3. Neutral 4. Agree 5. Strongly agree

2. Are there any aspects on foot care and self-examination not addressed? _____

Do you feel the resources presented can be a viable part of your clinical practice when working with patients diagnosed with diabetes or peripheral neuropathy?

1. Strongly disagree 2. Disagree 3. Neutral 4. Agree 5. Strongly agree

Comments: _ #1 Question: Re: Skin Sensation – the first choice requires ability to discriminate between light touch , pressure, and pain on dorsum and plantar surface....what if they can feel, for example: only light pressure on the dorsum surface, but not on the plantar surface? Doesn't allow for any in-between combinations.

These tools look great! I think they will be a welcome addition for practitioners and patients. I will look forward to your post-trip assessment.