

# FAST-ED

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Face

## Facial Weakness

- 0 Both sides of the face move equally or not at all
- 1 One side of face droops or is clearly asymmetrical

Arm

## Arm Weakness

- 0 Both arms remain up for 10 seconds
- 1 One arm drifts down, but can be lifted against gravity
- 2 No effort against gravity or no movement

Speech

## Point out/show three common items and ask to name them

- 0 Speech normal **AND** names 2-3 items correctly
- 1 Abnormal speech **OR** only names 0-1 objects correctly

## Ask "Show me two fingers"

- 0 Shows two fingers
- 1 Cannot understand / does not show two fingers

Eyes

## Eye Deviation

- 0 No deviation, eyes move to both sides equally
- 1 Difficulty looking to one side (left or right)
- 2 Eyes are deviated to one side and do not move to the other

*Continue only if there is arm weakness*

Denial / Neglect

## Ask "Are you weak anywhere?"

- 0 Recognizes weakness
- 1 Does not recognize weakness

## Ask "Whose arm is this?"

- 0 Recognizes weak arm
- 1 Does not recognize weak arm