Overt Aggression Scale (OAS)
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IDENTIFYING DATA

Name of Patient	Name of Rater
Sex of Patient: 1 Male 2 Female	Date 08/02/2025 (mo/da/yr) Shift : 1 Night 2 Day 3 Evening

No aggressive incident(s) (verbal or physical) against self, others, or objects during the shift. (check here)

AGGRESSIVE BEHAVIOUR (check all that apply)

VERBAL AGGRESSION	PHYSICAL AGGRESSION AGAINST SELF
[X] Makes loud noises,shouts angrilly [X] Yelis mild personal insults,e.g,"you 're stupid!" [X] Cruses viciously,uses foul language in anger,makes moderate threats to others or self [ ] Makes clear threats of violence loward others or self (I'm going to kill you.) or requests to help to control self	[ ] Picks or scratches skin,hits self ,pulls hair,(with no or minor injury only) [ ] Bangs head ,hits fist into objects,throws self onto floor or into objects (hurts self without serious injury) [ ] Small cuts or bruises ,minor bums [ ] multilates self ,makes deep cuts ,bites that bleed. internal injury fracture,loss of consciousness,loss of teeth
PHYSICAL AGGRESSION AGAINST OBJECTS	**PHYSICAL AGGRESSION AGAINST OTHER PEOPLE**
[X] Slams door ,scatters clothing,makes a mess [X] Slams objects down ,Kicks Fumiture without breaking it ,marks the wall [ ] Break objects,smashes window [ ] Sets fires ,throws objects dangerously	[X] Makes threatening gesture,swings at people,grabs at clothes [X] Strikes ,Kicks,pushes,pulls hair (without injury to them) [ ] Attacks others causing mild-moderate physical injury (bruises,sprain,welts) [ ] Attacks others causing severe physical injury (broken bones,deep lacerations,internal injury)
Time incident began: _ _: _ _ AM/PM	Duration of incident: _ _: _ _ (hours/minutes)

INTERVENTION (check all that apply)

[X] None	[X] Immediate medication given by mouth	[X] Use of restraints
[X] to patient	[X] medication given by injection	[ ] injury requires immediate medical treatment for patient
[X] Closer observation	[ ] Isolation without seclusion(time out)	[ ] requires immediate treatment for other person
[ ] Holding patient	[ ] Seclusion	

COMMENTS