

# Rancho Los Amigos National Rehab Center

Presents

## The Rancho Levels of Cognitive Functioning

A videotape illustrating the behavioral patterns demonstrated following closed diffuse brain injury.

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The Rancho Levels of Cognitive Functioning was developed by clinicians at Rancho Los Amigos Medical Center who collected weekly descriptive data on the verbal and nonverbal behaviors of thousands of closed brain injury patients demonstrating cognitive dysfunction. The observed patterns of recovery lead to the development of the behavioral descriptors utilized in the scale. This videotape provides vignettes which exemplify behaviors evident at each of the originally defined eight levels of cognitive functioning.

The purposes of the scale are:

- 1) To provide a descriptive tool covering a wide range of behaviors, ranging from no response or interaction with the environment to a more complex level of cognitive responsiveness;
- 2) To provide staff and families with a common descriptive vocabulary;
- 3) To provide staff and families with an increased understanding of the behavioral stages which may be seen during the recovery process;
- 4) To assist in establishing appropriate treatment objectives and/or referrals.

**Running Time: 40 minutes**

**Includes instructional handouts: Rancho Levels of Cognitive Functioning and Family Guide**

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