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Mini-Clinical Evaluation (Mini-CEX) Assessment Form

Trainee name _____

Assessment date _____

Level	SET 1	<input type="checkbox"/>
	SET 2	<input type="checkbox"/>
	SET 3	<input type="checkbox"/>
	SET 4	<input type="checkbox"/>
	SET 5	<input type="checkbox"/>

Hospital _____

Type of case _____

New case	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Follow-up		<input type="checkbox"/>

Focus of clinical encounter	History	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Diagnosis	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Management	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Explanation	<input type="checkbox"/>

Complexity of case	Low	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Average	<input type="checkbox"/>
	High	<input type="checkbox"/>

Please assess and mark the following areas		Unsatisfactory	Borderline	Competent	Excellent	Not observed / not applicable
1	History-taking					
2	Physical examination					
3	Communicates to patients (and their family) about procedures, potentialities and risks to encourage their participation in informed decision-making					
4	Adjusts manner of communication with patients for cultural and linguistic differences and emotional status					
5	Recognises what constitutes 'bad news' for patients (and their family) and communicates accordingly					
6	Recognises the symptoms of, accurately diagnoses, and manages common problems					
7	Professionalism					
8	Organisation/efficiency					
9	Overall clinical care					

Suggestions for development

Agreed action

Self-reflection – what did you learn from this assessment experience?

Assessor's signature _____

Assessor's name _____

Signature of trainee _____

Notes to trainee

- The trainee should keep a copy of this evidence for their records.
- The original form should be sent to the NZOA office:

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