

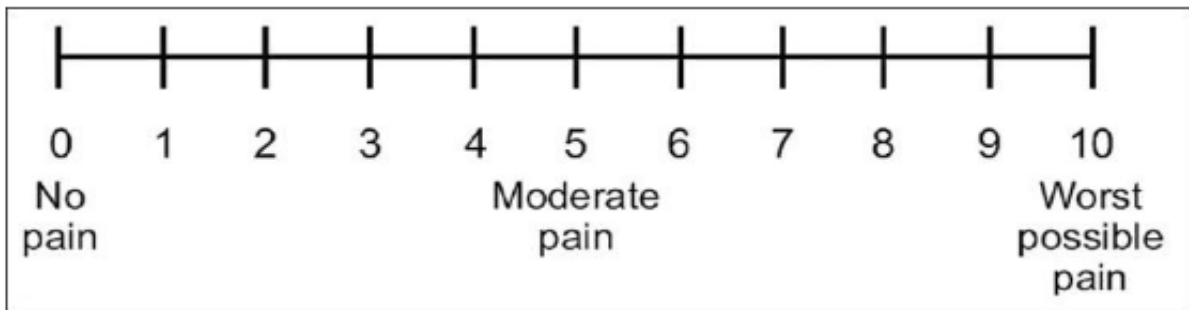
## Numerical Pain Scale

Patient instruction:

Please score your pain from 0 (no Pain) to 10 (worst pain imaginable)

Assess patients pain on both at rest and movement.

Pain should be assessed regularly using a validated tool and re assessed post intervention such as administering analgesia.



Numeric Pain Scale	
Patient Pain Score	Pain levels
0	No pain
1-3	Mild Pain
4-6	Moderate Pain
7-10	Severe Pain

Chapter 11 - Clinical Assessment of Postoperative Pain, Editor(s): Shorten G, Carr D, Harmon D, Puig, M, Browne J, Postoperative Pain Management, W.B. Saunders, 2006, Pages 102-108.