

## HORIZONTAL GAZED NYSTAGMUS

LEFT EYE

RIGHT EYE

\_\_\_\_\_ No smooth pursuit \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Sustained and distinct nystagmus at \_\_\_\_\_  
maximum deviation (no white showing)

\_\_\_\_\_ Onset of nystagmus prior to 45° \_\_\_\_\_  
(with white showing)

Total Score: \_\_\_\_\_ (Decision Point 4)

## WALK-AND-TURN

\_\_\_\_\_ Cannot keep balance during instructions;

\_\_\_\_\_ Starts test before instructions are finished;

\_\_\_\_\_ Stops while walking (to steady self);

\_\_\_\_\_ Does not walk heel-to-toe (1/2" - 1" latitude);

\_\_\_\_\_ Steps off line;

\_\_\_\_\_ Uses arm for balance (greater than 6" from side);

\_\_\_\_\_ Loses balance while turning or turns incorrectly;

\_\_\_\_\_ Wrong number of steps;

\_\_\_\_\_ Cannot do test (see below).

*NHTSA protocol instructs the officer to record all eight clues against a driver (1) who cannot perform the test; (2) is in danger of falling; or (3) steps off the line 3 or more times.*

Total Score \_\_\_\_\_ (Decision Point 2)

## ONE LEG STAND

\_\_\_\_\_ Sways while balancing;

\_\_\_\_\_ Uses arms to balance (raises arms more than 6");

\_\_\_\_\_ Hops;

\_\_\_\_\_ Puts foot down;

\_\_\_\_\_ Cannot do test (see below).

*NHTSA protocol instructs the officer to record all four clues against a driver who puts the foot down three or more times, during the 30-second period.*

Total Score: \_\_\_\_\_ (Decision Point 2)

## One Leg Stand Instructions

- Have suspect remove shoes with heels over 2"
- Please stand with your feet together and arms down at your side, like this **(Demonstrate)**
- Do not start to perform the test until I tell you to do so.
- Do you understand the instructions so far? **(Make sure driver understands)**
- When I tell you to start, raise one leg, either leg, approx. 6" off the ground foot pointed out. **(Demonstrate)**
- You must keep both legs straight and arms at your side.
- While holding that position, count out loud in following manner: "One Thousand and One, One Thousand and Two (etc.)" Keep your arms at your sides at all times and keep watching the raised foot.
- Do you understand? **(Make sure the driver understands)**
- Go ahead and perform the test. **(Officer should time test for 30 seconds. Test should be discontinued after 30 seconds)**

## HGN Instructions

- Have suspect remove glasses
- **Explain the following:**
- I am going to check your eyes
- Keep your head still and follow this stimulus with your eyes only.
- Keep following the stimulus with your eyes until I tell you to stop.
- (Check Tracking).
- (Check Pupil Size).
- Lack of smooth pursuit 2 seconds out and 2 seconds back for each eye (repeat procedure)
- Distinct nystagmus at maximum deviation, beginning with Suspects left eye. Hold position for at least 4 seconds on each eye and repeat.
- Onset prior to 45° angle, 4 seconds to reach point of onset and repeat.

## Vertical Gaze:

- Instruct the suspect to hold his head still and follow object with his eyes only.
- Raise the object until the suspect's eyes are elevated as far as possible.
- Hold for approximately 4 seconds

## Walk and Turn Instructions

- Have suspect remove shoes with heels over 2"
- Place your left foot on the line. **(Demonstrate)**
- Place your right foot on the line ahead of your left foot with the heel of the right foot against toe of left foot. **(Demonstrate)**
- Place your arms down at your sides. **(Demonstrate)**
- Keep this position until I tell you to begin. Do not start to walk until told to do so.
- Ask driver, "Do you understand the instructions so far?" (make sure driver indicates understanding)
- When I tell you to start, take 9 heel-to-toe steps, turn and take 9 heel-to-toe back. **(Demonstrate 3 steps)**
- When you turn, keep the front foot on the line, and turn by taking a series of small steps with the other foot like this. **(Demonstrate)**
- While you are walking, keep your arms at your sides, watch your feet at all times and count your steps out loud.
- Once you start walking, do not stop until you have completed the test.
- Do you understand the instructions? **(Make sure driver understands)**
- You may begin.

## Environmental Considerations

- Reasonably dry, hard, level, non-slippery surface?
- Enough light for the subject to use a frame of reference for balance?
- Note in report if subject:
  - is over 65 years of age;
  - is more than 50 pounds overweight;
  - has back, leg, or middle ear problems.

## Check List

Suspect Name: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_

Test:  Yes. Result \_\_\_\_\_ BAC  
 Refused. Why? \_\_\_\_\_

Citation No. \_\_\_\_\_  Tow Slip \_\_\_\_\_

Narrative Supplement/Arrest Report(s)

Witness? \_\_\_\_\_

Video? Video# \_\_\_\_\_ Property Tag# \_\_\_\_\_

Officer \_\_\_\_\_ Unit/Badge# \_\_\_\_\_