Concussion Symptom Wheel





Work with your doctor to find your child's symptoms on the wheel and have your doctor circle the appropriate school tips. Then review the wheel with your child's school principal, teachers and nurse to help ensure a healthy recovery. Together, we can make life better for children.

MENTAL

- · Difficulty thinking clearly
- Problems concentrating
- Issues remembering new information
- Slow to process

PHYSICAL

- Headache
- Blurry vision
- Nausea or vomiting
- Sensitivity to noise or light
- Off balance or dizzy
- Neck pain



SLEEP

- Lack of energy
- Sleeping more
- Sleeping less
- Trouble falling asleep
- Drowsy

MOOD

- Irritability
- Sadness
- Emotional
- Nervous or anxious

SCHOOL TIPS

REDUCE

- Classroom work
- Homework
- Repetitive work

POSTPONE

- Due dates
- Test
- Projects

ALLOW

- Study guides
- Tape recorders

REST

 Frequent breaks in classroom 15-20 minutes

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 Late entrance and early leave to school

REST

- Frequent breaks in classroom 15-20 minutes
- Quiet time at lunch
- Eyes, allowing sunglasses inside and out

SIT OUT

- Physical recess/PE
- Dance classes
- Music/orchestra
- Computer classes

ALLOW

 Students to leave room and speak with counselor, nurse or advisor

WATCH FOR

- Mental fatigue leading to emotional outburst
- Depression and anxiety due to academic work pilling up