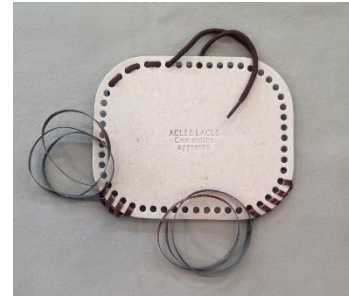


## Disposable Allen Cognitive Level Screen (LACLS [D])

The Disposable Allen Cognitive Level Screen (LACLS [D]) is a standardized screening assessment of functional cognition developed within the cognitive disabilities model. It is intended for persons who have suspected or observed limitations in global cognitive abilities and for whom infection control procedures must be observed. This tool is designed for single or serial use with one individual, after which it should be discarded. The LACLS [D] was developed with inputs and review of experienced clinicians to ensure its validity.



Administration of the LACLS [D] follows the protocol on pages 22 – 32 in the *Manual for the Allen Cognitive Level Screen-5 (ACLS-5) and Large Allen Cognitive Level Screen-5 (LACLS-5)*, except that the word “lace” is substituted for “needle” when giving instructions in the Whipstitch and Single Cordovan Stitch tasks. The “front” of the tool is indicated by the *ACLS & LACLS Committee Approved* stamp. As with the ACLS and LACLS, verification of LACLS [D] scores with further assessments is required.

The Allen Cognitive Group is currently collecting feedback from users of the Disposable LACLS. Please provide your feedback by clicking on [Survey on Disposable LACLS test](#). Evaluation of test form equivalence between this disposable form and the leather form of the LACLS is also in progress. If you are interested in participating in this psychometric research project, please email [contact.allengroup@gmail.com](mailto:contact.allengroup@gmail.com). Thank you.