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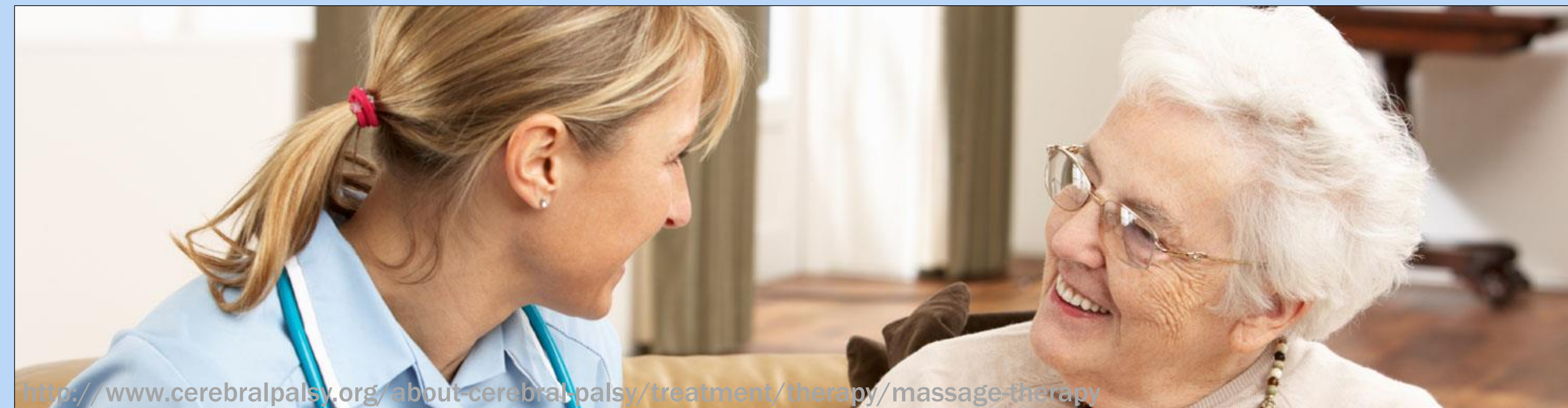
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# Assessing Dementia and Mild Cognitive Impairment Within the Home

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**What are useful assessments which can be administered by occupational therapists for homebound adults with dementia or mild cognitive impairment that will influence practice patterns?**



## Detection of Mild Cognitive Impairment:

- MoCA
- BCAT
- SLUMS
- STMS

## Detection of Dementia:

- SLUMS
- STMS
- MoCA
- ACE-R
- Mini-Cog

## Functional Assessments:

- AMPS
- CPT
- New assessment for b-ADL and i-ADL
- I-HOPE

## Clinical Bottom Line

**The evidence supports the use of specific interdisciplinary cognitive assessments, including observation of function by occupational therapists, when assessing dementia and mild cognitive impairment within the home.**