

PUTNAM (1968) SCORING SYSTEM

Grade 0	Normal
Grade 1	The patella luxates manually but spontaneously returns to the trochlea when released.
Grade 2	The patella luxates spontaneously or on manipulation and remains luxated at a certain angle of the stifle joint. It is either spontaneously reduced on active flexion or extension or can be manually reduced by the examiner.
Grade 3	The patella remains luxated most of the time but can be manually reduced. However, relaxation occurs spontaneously.
Grade 4	The patella is permanently luxated and cannot be manually repositioned.
<u>Note:</u> Grade 1 and 2 are considered as intermittent PL. Grade 3 and 4 are considered as permanent PL.	

Please submit a copy of this completed form to The Miniature Pinscher Club's Health Co-ordinator

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Results will be treated with the utmost confidence unless stated overleaf

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