Modified Ashworth Scale for grading Spasticity

Grade	Description
0	No increase in muscle tone
1	Slight increase in muscle tone, manifested by a catch and release, or by minimal resistance at the end of the range of motion when the affected part(s) is moved in flexion or extension
2	Slight increase in muscle tone, manifested by a catch, followed by minimal resistance throughout the remainder (less than half) of the range of movement (ROM)
3	More marked increase in muscle tone through most of ROM, but affected part(s) easily moved
4	Considerable increase in muscle tone, passive movement difficult
5	Affected part(s) rigid in flexion and extension