

# NEW PATIENT QUESTIONNAIRE

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation (includes homemaking) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Employer \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_

Age \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date \_\_\_\_\_ Sex M F Marriage Status: M S W D # Children \_\_\_\_\_

Referred by \_\_\_\_\_ Condition due to accident or injury? Y  N

Accident Occurred at Work? Y  N  When? \_\_\_\_\_

Auto Accident Related? Y  N  When? \_\_\_\_\_

## SYMPTOM/PAIN INFORMATION

### HEAD:

- Headache
  - entire head
  - back of head
  - forehead
  - temples
  - migraine
- Head feels heavy
- Loss of memory
- Light-headedness
- Fainting
- Lights bother eyes
- Loss of smell
- Loss of taste
- Loss of balance
- Dizziness
- Loss of hearing
- Pain in ears
- Buzzing in ears

### NECK:

- Pain in neck
- Neck pain on movement
- Pinched nerve in neck
- Neck feels out of place
- Stiff neck
- Muscles spasms in neck
- Grinding sounds in neck
- Grating sounds in neck
- Popping sounds in neck
- Arthritis in neck

### LOW BACK:

- Low back pain
- Low back pain is worse when:
  - working
  - lifting
  - stooping
  - standing
  - sitting
  - bending
  - coughing

- Pinched nerve in low back
- Slipped disc
- Low back feels out of place
- Muscle spasms
- Arthritis

### MID BACK:

- Midback pain
- Pain between shoulder blades
- Sharp stabbing pain in mid-back
- Muscle spasms
- Hurts to take deep breath

### ABDOMEN:

- Nervous stomach
- Nausea
- Gas
- Constipation
- Diarrhea
- Stomach pain after meal
- Difficult reclining after meal

### SHOULDERS:

- Pain in shoulder R L
- Pain across shoulders
- Bursitis R L
- Arthritis R L
- Can't raise arm
  - Above shoulder level
  - over head
- Tension in shoulder R L
- Muscle spasms shoulder
- Frozen shoulder

### ARM & HANDS:

- Pain in upper arm
- Pain in forearm
- Pain in hands
- Pain in fingers
- Pinched nerve arm
- Pinched nerve fingers
- Feeling of pins & needles in arms
- Feeling of pins & needles in fingers
- Fingers go to sleep
- Hands feel cold
- Swollen finger joints
- Sore finger joints
- Arthritis in fingers
- Loss of grip strength
- Tennis elbow
- Carpal Tunnel

### HIPS, LEGS & FEET:

- Pain in buttocks R L
- Pain in hip joint R L
- Pain down leg R L
- Pain down both legs
- Leg cramps
- Pins & needles in legs R L
- Numbness of leg R L
- Numbness of feet R L
- Numbness of toes R L
- Feet feel cold
- Cramps in feet R L
- Sprained ankle R L
- Swollen feet R L
- Painful joints in toes
- Pain in foot R L
- Pain in knee R L

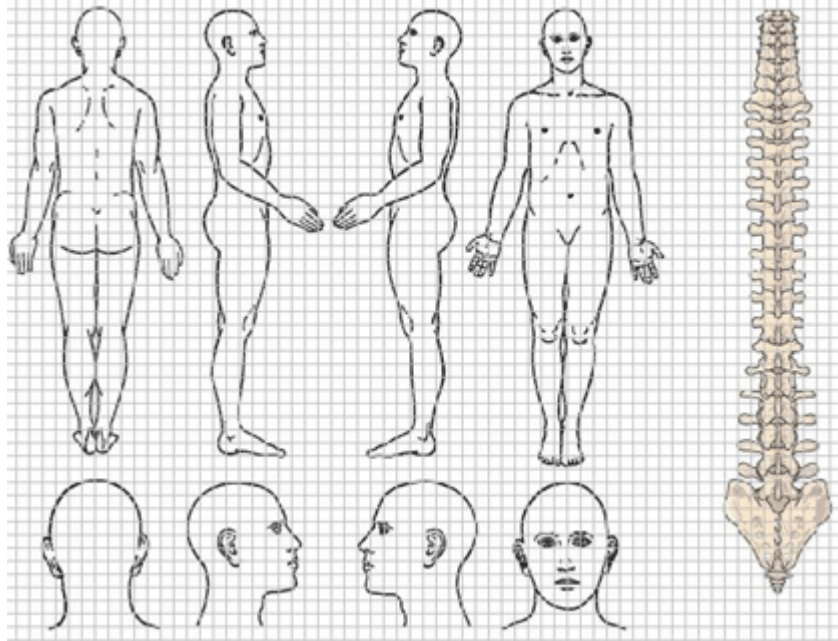
### CHEST:

- Chest pain
- Pain around ribs
- Shortness of breath

### GENERAL:

- Nervousness
- Irritable
- Depressed
- Fatigue
- Generally feel run-down
- Loss of sleep
- Loss of weight
- Migratory pains

- Please describe the health problem for which you came to our office. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
- Describe the character of your symptom(s). Some words often used might include burning, tingling, aching, tired, numb, sharp, dull, stabbing, shooting, radiating, etc. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
- Shade in the areas on the diagram where you feel discomfort or symptoms.



- Please put a mark on the scale to show how bad your usual discomfort has been recently. If you are describing more than one symptom indicate the level of pain for each symptom.

Symptom(s)	No	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Worse Possible Discomfort
	Discomfort	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	

- How long have you had this episode of symptoms? \_\_\_\_\_
- How many times have you had a problem similar to or the same as this in the past?
  - None previously
  - 1-5 episodes
  - 6-10 episodes
  - More than 10 episodes
  - Single episode of continuous pain
- When was the very first time you ever felt something similar to or the same as your current problem?
  - Less than 6 months ago
  - 6 months – 1 year ago
  - 1 - 5 years ago
  - 5 - 10 years ago
  - 10 - 20 years ago
  - More than 20 years ago
- Did symptoms begin gradually over time or suddenly? \_\_\_\_\_
- Since your symptoms began, have they  improved  worsened  stayed the same?
- Are your symptoms constant?  Yes  No What caused your symptoms to occur (physical overuse, mental stress, accident, etc)? PLEASE BE SPECIFIC \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

11. What posture, movement, or behavior makes your condition worse? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

12. Is there any posture, exercise, movement or behavior that makes your condition better? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

13. Is your sleep disturbed by your condition?  Yes  No

Do you sleep on a:  mattress and box springs  waterbed  futon  other \_\_\_\_\_

What is your normal sleeping position?  back  side  stomach  other \_\_\_\_\_

14. Are your symptoms better in the morning?  Yes  No Worse in the morning?  Yes  No

Better in the evening?  Yes  No Worse in the evening?  Yes  No

15. Have you done anything to try to help or relieve your complaint other than medication such as  rest,  heat,  cold,  sitting,  lying down or  other? \_\_\_\_\_

Describe \_\_\_\_\_

16. Please list whatever medications you are presently taking: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

17. Do you exercise regularly?  Yes  No Please describe:  walking  running  swimming  weights

yoga  Pilates  bicycle  elliptical  other \_\_\_\_\_

How many times per week or month? \_\_\_\_\_

18. Have you seen a chiropractor for this problem?  Yes  No If yes when? \_\_\_\_\_

If applicable, the doctor's name and address: \_\_\_\_\_

How much did it help? 

No Improvement	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Full Improvement
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19. Have you seen a physical therapist for this problem?  Yes  No If yes when? \_\_\_\_\_

How much did it help? 

No Improvement	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Full Improvement
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20. Have you seen a medical doctor related to this problem?  Yes  No If yes when? \_\_\_\_\_

Doctor's name and address: \_\_\_\_\_

How much did it help? 

No Improvement	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Full Improvement
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21. Have you had x-rays, CAT Scans, or MRI's for your condition?  Yes  No If yes when? \_\_\_\_\_

Name and address of facility \_\_\_\_\_

22. Does your family have a history of any health problems? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

23. Do you have a history of any serious illnesses or disorders? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

24. Have you ever had any surgeries?  Yes  No If yes what kind and when? \_\_\_\_\_
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25. Have you ever had serious injuries or broken bones?  Yes  No If yes what kind and when? \_\_\_\_\_
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26. Do you have a specific diet?  Yes  No If yes what kind? \_\_\_\_\_
27. Do you vitamins or herbs?  Yes  No If yes what kinds? \_\_\_\_\_
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28. Do you smoke any tobacco products?  Yes  No If yes how much and how often? \_\_\_\_\_
29. Do you drink any alcohol?  Yes  No If yes how much and how often? \_\_\_\_\_
30. Do you drink any caffeinated beverages?  Yes  No What kind(s)? \_\_\_\_\_  
How much and how often? \_\_\_\_\_

31. Describe your physical activity during the day:  
 Seated at computer  Extensive telephone use
- |                  |   |   |   |   |   |                   |
|------------------|---|---|---|---|---|-------------------|
| Very<br>Physical | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | Very<br>Sedentary |
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Please check the appropriate response.

If "yes", please explain in the comments section below. If you are not sure, check the "?" box.

Yes	No	?		Yes	No	?	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Do you have a past history of cancer?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	History of significant trauma?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Have you had any unexplained weight loss?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Immunosuppression medication &/or condition?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Does your pain improve with rest?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Minor trauma in person >50 years old?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Are you over 50 years old?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Are you over 70 years old?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Failure to respond to a course of conservative care (4-6 weeks)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Do you have osteoporosis (weak bones)?
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Have you had spinal pain greater than 4 weeks?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Acute onset urinary retention or overflow incontinence (wet underwear)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Prolonged use of corticosteroids (such as organ transplant Rx)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Loss of anal sphincter tone or fecal incontinence (bowel accidents)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Intravenous drug use?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Saddle anesthesia (numbness in the groin region)
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Current or recent urinary tract, respiratory tract or other infection?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Global or progressive muscle weakness in the legs (legs give out)

**Women Only:**

- a. Are you pregnant or think you may be pregnant?  Yes  No
- b. Date of last menstrual period? \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Do you or have you ever suffered from any menstrual disorders?  Yes  No  
If yes please describe:

I certify that I have read and understand these four pages of information. To the best of my knowledge the questions have been accurately answered. I understand that providing incorrect information can be dangerous to my health.

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Patients Signature \_\_\_\_\_