

# PAIN QUESTIONNAIRE

Complete and return this form before your arrival for your first appointment. Your answers will help us to understand your pain. Our records are strictly confidential. No outsider is permitted to see your case record without your written permission unless we are required to do so by law (e.g., Worker's Compensation Claims).

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_ MI \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Referring Physician \_\_\_\_\_

## PRIOR PAIN PROCEDURES:

Have you previously had any pain procedures, blocks, or injections?  YES  NO

If your answer is YES please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

Why are you seeking treatment? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you seen another pain doctor? Who? \_\_\_\_\_

**PAIN DURATION:** How long have you had your current pain? \_\_\_\_\_ YEARS \_\_\_\_\_ MONTHS

**ONSET OF PAIN:** How did your current pain start?

Injury at work  Motor vehicle accident

Undetermined  Illness, non-injury

Other \_\_\_\_\_

**TIMING OF PAIN:** How often do you have your pain? (Please check one)

Constantly (100% of the time)  Intermittently (30% to 60% of the time)

Nearly constantly (60% to 95% of the time)  Occasionally (less than 30% of the time)

**PAIN QUALITY:** How would you describe the pain?

Burning  Cramping  Pins & Needles  Sharp

Numbness  Shooting  Aching  Throbbing

Pressing  Other \_\_\_\_\_

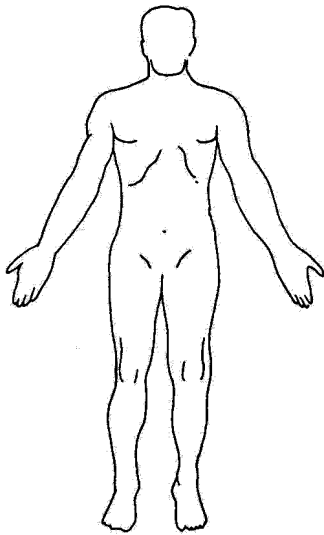
## PAIN LEVEL:

CHOOSE THE FACE THAT BEST DESCRIBES HOW YOU FEEL

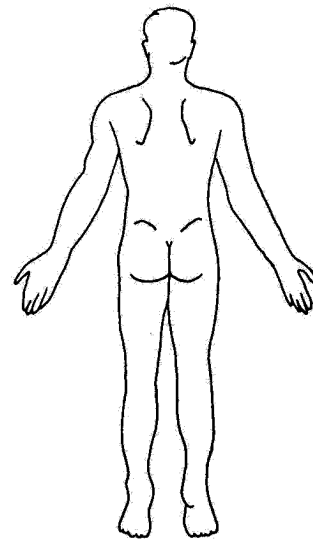


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MILD MODERATE EXTREME

Patients Name : \_\_\_\_\_



*Front*



*Back*

**PAIN LOCATION:** Please describe the location(s) of your pain: \_\_\_\_\_

**RELIEVING AND AGGREVATING FACTORS:**

How do the following affect your pain?

Please check one for each item

	INCREASED	NO CHANGE	DECREASED
Lying down _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Standing _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sitting _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Walking _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Medications _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Relaxation _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Coughing/Sneezing _____	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

How long can you walk before having to stop due to pain?

\_\_\_\_\_ Minutes \_\_\_\_\_ Hours

How long can you sit before having to get up?

\_\_\_\_\_ Minutes \_\_\_\_\_ Hours

How long can you stand before you have to sit down?

\_\_\_\_\_ Minutes \_\_\_\_\_ Hours

Patients Name : \_\_\_\_\_

**PAIN TREATMENTS:**

Check all of the treatments you have tried and then indicate the amount of relief if any

	DATE (approx)	No Relief	Moderate Relief	Excellent Relief
Traction _____		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Acupuncture _____		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
TENS Unite _____		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Physical Therapy _____		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Heat Treatment _____		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Chiropractic _____		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Exercise _____		<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

**PSYCHOLOGICAL TREATMENT:**

Have you ever had psychiatric, psychological, or social work evaluations or treatments for any problem, including your current pain? If yes, when? \_\_\_\_\_ 

YES	NO
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Have you ever considered suicide? \_\_\_\_\_ 

YES	NO
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**EDUCATION:** Your highest educational level achieved: \_\_\_\_\_

**EMPLOYMENT:** Current employment status (please check all that apply):

Employed full-time     Employed part-time     Unemployed     Unemployed because of the pain  
 Homemaker     Retired     Student

If you are currently unemployed, indicate how long you have been off work:

1 - 3 weeks     4 - 7 months     12 - 18 months     25 or more months  
 1 - 3 months     8 - 11 months     19 - 24 months

**LEGAL ISSUES:** Indicate any of the following you have filed related to your pain:

Workers' compensation     Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI)  
 Personal injury/liability (Unrelated to work)     Other insurance     None

Patients Name : \_\_\_\_\_

**SOCIAL HISTORY:**

Marital Status: \_\_\_\_\_ Lives with \_\_\_\_\_ Number of children \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Exercise: 

YES	NO
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 Type of exercise \_\_\_\_\_

Tobacco use: 

YES	NO
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 Caffeine use: 

YES	NO
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Alcohol use: 

YES	NO
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 Contraception? 

YES	NO
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Ever felt the need to cut down alcohol use? 

YES	NO
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Ever been angry when criticized about your alcohol use? 

YES	NO
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Ever felt guilty about something that happened while drinking? 

YES	NO
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Ever needed an "Eye Opener" in the morning? 

YES	NO
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Illegal drug use? 

YES	NO
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**SUBSTANCE ABUSE:**

Do you have a history of alcoholism? 

YES	NO
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Have you ever been in a detoxification program for drug abuse? 

YES	NO
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Alcoholics Anonymous? 

YES	NO
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**FAMILY HISTORY:**

Alcoholism	YES	NO
Asthma	YES	NO
Bleeding disorders	YES	NO
CAD/Coronary Disease	YES	NO
Cancer	YES	NO
COPD /Emphysema	YES	NO
CVA/Stroke	YES	NO
Diabetes	YES	NO
Gout	YES	NO

Headaches	YES	NO
Heart disease	YES	NO
Hepatitis	YES	NO
Hyperlipidemia	YES	NO
Hypertension	YES	NO
Liver disease	YES	NO
Pain	YES	NO
Pancreatitis	YES	NO
Pneumonia	YES	NO

ARE YOU CURRENTLY PREGNANT? 

YES	NO
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ARE YOU TRYING TO BECOME PREGNANT? 

YES	NO
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