



# Initial Patient Evaluation

Thank you for taking the time to fill out this form. We use this form to help organize information about your problem. Please fill out as completely as possible.

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

Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Referred by: \_\_\_\_\_

Family Doctor: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Would you like us to send a copy of this report to another health care provider? (Please give the address.)

Family Physician: \_\_\_\_\_

Other Physician: \_\_\_\_\_

Other Person(s): \_\_\_\_\_

### **Present History: Check Correct Item or Fill In Blank(s)**

1. Briefly describe the primary reason you are here to see the doctor:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

2. When did the present problem start? (month/day/year) \_\_\_\_\_

3. If your problem is pain related, complete the following questions. (If not, go on to question 7, page 2.) How did the pain start? (Check appropriate box.)

- Suddenly       Fall       Injured at work       Injured during sports
- Gradually       Bending       Injured in auto accident       No apparent cause
- Lifting       Pulling       Hit from behind       Injured at home
- Other: (Specify) \_\_\_\_\_

4. What activities make the pain worse?

- Exercise (during)       Standing       Bending backwards       At night
- Exercise (after)       Walking       Coughing       By end of the day
- Sitting       Bending forward       Sneezing
- Other: (Specify) \_\_\_\_\_

5. What reduces the pain?

- Lying down       Standing       Medication       Brace/Corset
- Sitting       Walking       Injections for Pain       Nothing
- Manipulation       Tens Unit       Exercise       Physical Therapy
- Other: (Specify) \_\_\_\_\_

6. My pain is: (Check all that apply)

- Present intermittently (comes and goes)
- Always present but of variable intensity
- Improving

Worsening in that it is:

- Present more often
- More intense
- Changing in character
- Changing in location

**Where is your pain now?:**

Mark the areas on your body where you feel the sensations described above, using the appropriate symbol. Mark the areas of radiation. Include all affected areas. To complete the picture, please draw your face.

Aching  
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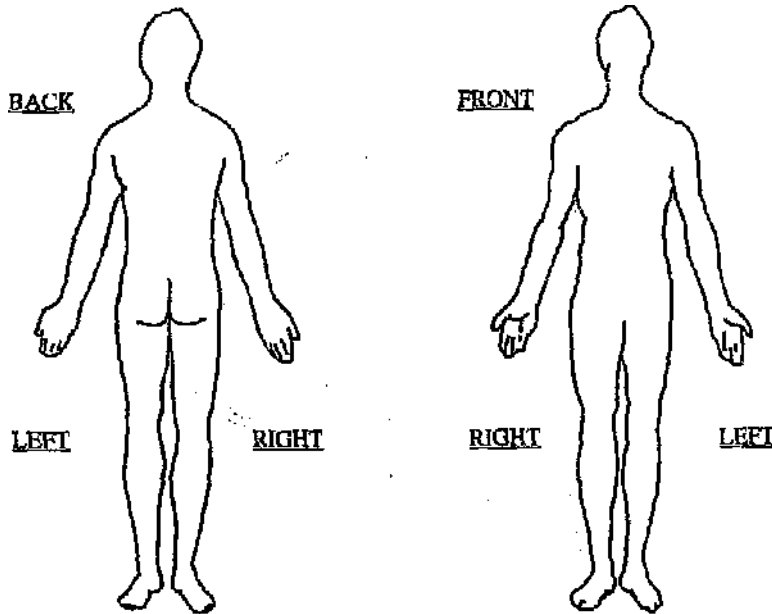
Numbness  
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Tingling  
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Pins and Needles  
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Burning  
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Stabbing  
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**Pain Rating Scale:**

Please make an "X" on the line that corresponds to the area of your body that you feel pain and its severity. Rate how much pain hurts on an average day by placing the "X" along the line from "No Pain" and on the left to "Worse Pain I Can Possibly Imagine" on the right.

	<u>No pain</u>										<u>Worst Pain I Can Imagine</u>											
Back Pain	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Leg Pain	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Neck Pain	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Arm Pain	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

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7. What emotional reactions have you had to your current problem? (Check all that apply.)

- I have none
- I feel like taking my life (suicidal)
- I feel nothing matters
- I feel blue and no good (depressed)
- I feel frustrated/angry
- Nothing can help me
- I have a history of Psychiatric problems

8. Do you have loss of bowel or bladder control? Yes No

9. My weight is : increasing decreasing steady

10. Are there any problems with weak muscles, numbness or pins and needle feeling?

- none
- generally weak
- weak in arms
- weak in legs
- numbness
- pins/needles

11. I have no difficulty with sleep OR I have difficulty with sleep:

- Unable to fall asleep
- maintaining sleep
- waking frequently because of pain

12. Functional activities: I can comfortably

- Stand for \_\_\_\_\_ minutes
- sit for \_\_\_\_\_ minutes
- walk for \_\_\_\_\_ minutes

I can do the following:

- Housework all some none
- Leisure activities all some none
- Work all some none

13. Have you had any trouble with this problem before yes no

When was your FIRST time? \_\_\_\_\_

14. Have you seen any others doctors for YOUR CURRENT problem? Yes No

15. Which of the following treatments have you had for this problem?

Treatment	Date	Doctor's Name	Other Information
Physical Therapy			What was done? Number of Sessions?
Exercise			Are you doing a home exercise program now?
Brace			What type of brace?
TENS Unit			Using now?
Epidural Steroid Injection (cortisone shot in back)	1 <sup>st</sup> 2 <sup>nd</sup> 3 <sup>rd</sup>		Helpful? How Long? Helpful? How Long? Helpful? How Long?
Chiropractic Manipulation			Helpful? How Long?

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16. Test I have had for this problem:

	Date	Where	Result if known
X-rays			
Myelogram			
CT Scan			
Bone Scan			
Magnet Resonance Imaging (MRI)			
EMG			
Discogram			

17. Surgery/Surgeries I have had for this problem:

Date	Surgeon	Helpful (Yes/No)	What was done?

18. Are you currently employed?      Yes                  No  
 Present Employer \_\_\_\_\_  
 How long have you worked there? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Present Job/Occupation \_\_\_\_\_  
 My job duties consist of: \_\_\_\_\_  
 My Present job involves : Hours sitting \_\_\_\_\_ Hours standing \_\_\_\_\_ Lifting \_\_\_\_\_ pounds

19. If unemployed or not currently working:  
 Retired?                                  Yes                  No  
 On Medical Leave?                  Yes                  No      Since: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Laid Off?                                  Yes                  No      Since: \_\_\_\_\_  
 On Total Disability?                  Yes                  No      Since: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Social Security Disability?          Yes                  No      Since: \_\_\_\_\_

20. I last worked on: \_\_\_\_\_  
 My employer would allow me to return to work with restrictions:                  Yes                  No

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**Past Medical History:**

**HEALTH HISTORY:** (please indicate with a check mark if you have been diagnosed or treated for any of the following)

AIDS	bronchitis	goiter	pacemaker/defibrillator
Acid reflux	cancer	gout	osteoporosis
Alcoholism	chemical dependency	heart attack/heart disease	pneumonia
Anemia	CHF	high blood pressure	seizure disorder
Arthritis	COPD	high cholesterol/lipids	sleep apnea
Asthma	diabetes	kidney disease	stroke
Atrial fibrillation	emphysema	liver disease	thyroid
Bleeding disorder	glaucoma	migraines	ulcers
Blood thinning medications			

**INJECTIONS:**

Have you been diagnosed with MRSA (Staph)?	Yes	No	Were you treated for MRSA?	Yes	No
Have you ever been diagnosed with VRE?	Yes	No	Were you treated for VRE?	Yes	No

(Vancomycin Resistant Enterococcus)

**SURGERIES:** (please list ALL surgeries that you have had)

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Have you had breast implant surgery?      Yes      No

(This information is necessary for surgeries that may require you to lie on your stomach)

Have you had any problems related to surgery or anesthesia either before, during or after surgery?      Yes      No

Can you describe the problems you had? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Would you accept blood products or blood transfusions if necessary?      Yes      No

**CARDIAC PROCEDURES:** (please indicate any cardiac procedures or tests and where and when they were done.)

Heart bypass surgery \_\_\_\_\_

Stents places in coronary arteries \_\_\_\_\_

Heart catheterizations \_\_\_\_\_

Stress tests \_\_\_\_\_

Pacemaker or defibrillator devices \_\_\_\_\_

**ALLERGIES:** (please indicate any allergies, the name of the substance and the type of reaction you experienced.

Medications	Iodine
Foods	Soaps
Tapes/Adhesives	Latex
NO KNOWN ALLERGIES	Environmental or Pets

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**TOBACCO USE:**

Never      Quit      Yes      Cigarettes      Chew

How many years have you used tobacco and how much per day? For \_\_\_\_\_ years \_\_\_\_\_ packs/cans per day

**ALCOHOL USE:**

No      Yes      How many drinks per week?      1-6?      6-12?      12 or more per week?

History or alcohol or drug abuse/addiction      Yes      No

**EXERCISE/PHYSICAL ACTIVITY:** \_\_\_\_\_

**FAMILY HISTORY :** (Please indicate with a check mark any diseases that run in your family)

Diabetes	Rheumatoid Arthritis	Bleeding Disorders	Heart Disease
Osteoporosis	Osteoarthritis	Blood clots	High Blood Pressure
Alcohol or drug abuse			

Problems with anesthesia \_\_\_\_\_

**MEDICATIONS:** (Please list all prescriptions and over the counter medications/supplements) None

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Dominant Hand:      Right      Left

Height: \_\_\_\_\_

Weight: \_\_\_\_\_

ORA staff to fill out the following:

P\_\_\_\_\_ R \_\_\_\_\_ Temp

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Constitutional	Skin	Eyes	Ears/Nose/Throat	Neuro
Fever Chills Sweats Fatigue Weight Loss No Complaints	Rashes Lesions Scars No Complaints	Double Vision Blurry Vision Glasses/Contacts No Complaints	Deafness Sinusitis Hoarseness Vertigo/dizziness	Stroke Seizures Headaches Dizziness Numbness Visual Changes No Complaints
Cardiovascular		Respiratory	Hematologic	Mental Health
Chest Pain Palpitations Swelling in Hands, Feet, and Ankles Varicose veins No Complaints	Short of Breath when lying flat Short of Breath with daily activity No Complaints	Shortness of Breath Cough Coughing Blood Asthma/wheeze No Complaints	Anemia Bruise Easily Bleeding Blood Clots No Complaints	Depression Anxiety Hallucinations Sleep Problems Mood Swings
Stomach/GI	Reproductive	Urology	Musculoskeletal	Endocrine
Heartburn Trouble swallowing Nausea Vomiting Abdominal Pain Diarrhea Constipation Blood in Stool No Complaints	Sexual Dysfunction Erectile Dysfunction No Complaints	Pain/burning with urination Incontinence Hesitancy Blood in urine No Complaints	Fractures Sprains Swelling Arthritis Stiffness No Complaints	Excessive thirst Frequent Urination Heat Intolerance Cold Intolerance Increased Appetite Decreased Energy Hair/growth Changes No Complaints

I have reviewed and fully understand these 6 pages to the best of my ability. I understand this information will become part of my permanent medical record at ORA Orthopedics.

Patient Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

MD Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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