

HEALTH HISTORY QUESTIONNAIRE

Please help me provide you with a complete evaluation by taking the time to fill out this questionnaire carefully. *All of your answers will be held absolutely confidential.* If you have questions, don't hesitate to ask. Please feel free to discuss any other health concerns you may have. Thank you.

Date

Name	Home phone:	Work phone:		
	Cell/Text:	Email:		
Street	City		State/Zip	
Date of Birth	<input type="checkbox"/> Male	Age	Height	Weight
	<input type="checkbox"/> Female			
Occupation	Primary Care Physician		Referred By	
Emergency Contact - Name (First & Last)	Emergency Contact - Phone		Relation to you	

Have you been treated by acupuncture or Oriental medicine before? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Main problem(s) you would help with:
How long ago did this problem begin? Please be specific.
To what extent does this problem interfere with your daily activities, such as work, sleep, and sex?
Have you been given a diagnosis for this problem? If so, what?
What other kinds of treatment have you tried?

YOUR PAST MEDICAL HISTORY (please include dates)
Significant Illnesses (please circle all applicable)
Cancer Diabetes Hepatitis High Blood Pressure Heart Disease Rheumatic Fever
Thyroid Disease Seizures Venereal Disease Other (please specify):
Surgeries
Significant trauma (auto accidents, falls, etc.)
Allergies (drugs, chemicals, foods)

FAMILY Medical History (please circle all applicable)

Asthma Allergies Diabetes Cancer Heart Disease High Blood Pressure
Stroke Seizures Thyroid Other (please specify):

Medicines taken within the last two months (vitamins, drugs, herbs, etc.)

Occupational stress (chemical, physical, psychological, etc.)

Do you have a regular exercise program? If yes, please describe.

Please describe your average daily diet:

Morning:	Afternoon:	Evening:

Do you smoke? If yes, how much?

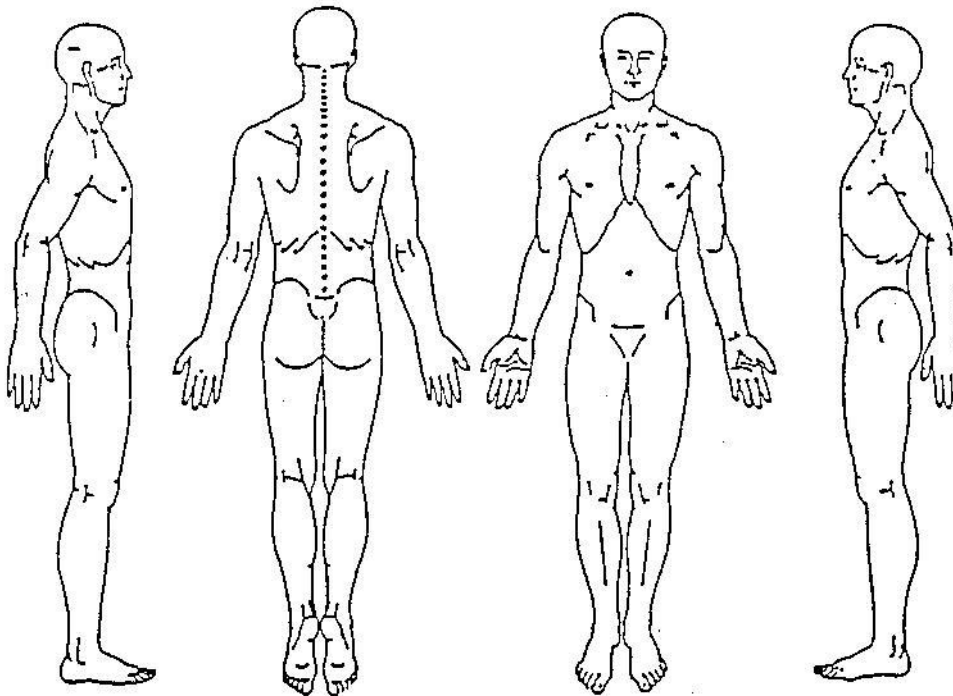
How much caffeinated coffee, tea, or cola do you drink per week?

How much water do you drink per day?

How much alcohol do you drink?

Please describe any use of drugs for non-medical purposes.

Please indicate any painful or distressed areas by circling the area.



Name: _____ Date: _____

Please check if you have had (IN THE LAST THREE MONTHS):

General		
<input type="checkbox"/> Fevers	<input type="checkbox"/> Peculiar tastes or smells	<input type="checkbox"/> Strong thirst (hot or cold drinks)
<input type="checkbox"/> Sweat easily	<input type="checkbox"/> Cravings	<input type="checkbox"/> Poor sleep
<input type="checkbox"/> Night sweats	<input type="checkbox"/> Change in appetite	<input type="checkbox"/> Fatigue
<input type="checkbox"/> Chills	<input type="checkbox"/> Weight loss	<input type="checkbox"/> Sudden energy drop (time of day?)
<input type="checkbox"/> Bleed or bruise easily	<input type="checkbox"/> Weight gain	

Skin & Hair		
<input type="checkbox"/> Rashes	<input type="checkbox"/> Ulcerations	<input type="checkbox"/> Hives
<input type="checkbox"/> Itching	<input type="checkbox"/> Eczema	<input type="checkbox"/> Pimples
<input type="checkbox"/> Dandruff	<input type="checkbox"/> Loss of hair	<input type="checkbox"/> Recent moles
<input type="checkbox"/> Change in hair or skin texture		
<input type="checkbox"/> Any other hair or skin problems?		

Head, eyes, ears, nose, and throat		
<input type="checkbox"/> Dizziness	<input type="checkbox"/> Concussions	<input type="checkbox"/> Migraines
<input type="checkbox"/> Glasses	<input type="checkbox"/> Eye strain	<input type="checkbox"/> Eye pain
<input type="checkbox"/> Poor vision	<input type="checkbox"/> Night blindness	<input type="checkbox"/> Color blindness
<input type="checkbox"/> Cataracts	<input type="checkbox"/> Blurry vision	<input type="checkbox"/> Earaches
<input type="checkbox"/> Ringing in ears	<input type="checkbox"/> Poor hearing	<input type="checkbox"/> Spots in front of eyes
<input type="checkbox"/> Sinus problems	<input type="checkbox"/> Nose bleeds	<input type="checkbox"/> Recurrent sore throats
<input type="checkbox"/> Grinding teeth	<input type="checkbox"/> Facial pain	<input type="checkbox"/> Sores on lips or tongue
<input type="checkbox"/> Teeth problems	<input type="checkbox"/> Jaw clicks	<input type="checkbox"/> Headaches (where, when?)
<input type="checkbox"/> Any other head or neck problems?		

Cardiovascular		
<input type="checkbox"/> Chest pain	<input type="checkbox"/> Fainting	<input type="checkbox"/> Blood clots
<input type="checkbox"/> Irregular heartbeat	<input type="checkbox"/> Cold hands or feet	<input type="checkbox"/> Phlebitis
<input type="checkbox"/> High blood pressure	<input type="checkbox"/> Swelling of feet	<input type="checkbox"/> Peripheral Arterial Sclerosis
<input type="checkbox"/> Low blood pressure	<input type="checkbox"/> Swelling of hands	<input type="checkbox"/> Varicose veins
<input type="checkbox"/> Any other heart or blood vessel problems?		

Respiratory		
<input type="checkbox"/> Cough	<input type="checkbox"/> Asthma	<input type="checkbox"/> Shortness of breath
<input type="checkbox"/> Coughing blood	<input type="checkbox"/> Difficulty breathing	<input type="checkbox"/> Pain with a deep breath
<input type="checkbox"/> Bronchitis	<input type="checkbox"/> Wheezing while breathing	
<input type="checkbox"/> Pneumonia	<input type="checkbox"/> Difficulty in breathing when lying down	
<input type="checkbox"/> Production of phlegm. What color?		
<input type="checkbox"/> Any other lung/breathing problems?		

Gastrointestinal		
<input type="checkbox"/> Nausea	<input type="checkbox"/> Diarrhea	<input type="checkbox"/> Abdominal pain or cramps
<input type="checkbox"/> Vomiting	<input type="checkbox"/> Constipation	<input type="checkbox"/> Rectal pain
<input type="checkbox"/> Indigestion	<input type="checkbox"/> Blood in stools	<input type="checkbox"/> Hemorrhoids
<input type="checkbox"/> Gas	<input type="checkbox"/> Black stools	<input type="checkbox"/> Bad breath
<input type="checkbox"/> Belching	<input type="checkbox"/> Chronic laxative use	<input type="checkbox"/> Bleeding gums
<input type="checkbox"/> Any other problems with your stomach or intestines?		

Urinary

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Frequent urination | <input type="checkbox"/> Pain upon urination | <input type="checkbox"/> Kidney stones |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Urgency to urinate | <input type="checkbox"/> Blood in urine | <input type="checkbox"/> Any particular color to your urine: |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Unable to hold urine | <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease in flow | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Do you wake up to urinate? How often? | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Any other problems with your or urinary system? | | |

Male Reproductive

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|---|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Impotence | <input type="checkbox"/> Premature Ejaculation | <input type="checkbox"/> Testicular pain/injury |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Prostatitis | <input type="checkbox"/> Low sperm count | <input type="checkbox"/> Testicular Cancer |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Prostate Cancer | <input type="checkbox"/> Low motility | <input type="checkbox"/> Sores on genitals |
| <input type="checkbox"/> STDs | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Any other reproductive problems? | | |

Female Reproductive

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|---|--|---|
| <i>Are you pregnant?</i> | Yes | No |
| <i>Is it possible that you are pregnant?</i> | Yes | No |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Age of first menses: _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Pregnancies #: _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Menopause Age: _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Duration of menses: _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Live births #: _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Last PAP |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Time between menses: _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Premature births #: _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Vaginal discharge |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Irregular periods | <input type="checkbox"/> Miscarriages #: _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Breast lumps |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Painful periods | <input type="checkbox"/> Abortions #: _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Sores on genitals |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Unusual character (heavy/light) | <input type="checkbox"/> Infertility | <input type="checkbox"/> STDs |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Clots | <input type="checkbox"/> Western Fertility Treatment | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Changes in body/psyche prior to menstruation | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Do you practice birth control? What type and for how long? | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Any other reproductive problems? | | |

Musculoskeletal

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Neck pain | <input type="checkbox"/> Hand/wrist pains | <input type="checkbox"/> Foot/ankle pains |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Shoulder pain | <input type="checkbox"/> Hip pain | <input type="checkbox"/> Muscle pain |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Back pain | <input type="checkbox"/> Knee pain | <input type="checkbox"/> Muscle weakness |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Any other muscle, joint or bone problems? | | |

Neurological

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|---|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Seizures | <input type="checkbox"/> Dizziness | <input type="checkbox"/> Areas of numbness |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Stroke | <input type="checkbox"/> Loss of Balance | <input type="checkbox"/> Poor memory |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Concussion | <input type="checkbox"/> Lack of coordination | <input type="checkbox"/> Tremors (where?) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Any other neurological problems? | | |

Psychological

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Depression | <input type="checkbox"/> Easily angered | <input type="checkbox"/> Sadness |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Anxiety | <input type="checkbox"/> Easily susceptible to stress | <input type="checkbox"/> Overly joyful |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fearful | <input type="checkbox"/> Easily over worried | |
| Have you ever been treated for emotional problems? | | |
| Have you ever considered or attempted suicide? | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Any other neurological or psychological problems? | | |

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Patient Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Telephone: Daytime _____
 Evening _____
 Cell/Text _____
 Email _____

Please check best method of reaching you

POLICIES & INFORMED CONSENT

Payment Policy:

- Payment for appointment is required at the time of your visit. Time of service discounts available for follow up appointments. Preferred payment is cash or check. Credit card payment available for your convenience. Returned checks will incur a \$35.00 fee, due and payable immediately.
- A limited number of Insurance Companies now cover Acupuncture Services. Please note: you are responsible for all charges not honored by your insurance carrier.

Cancellation Policy:

- Please be on time for your scheduled appointment.
- If you find it necessary to change or cancel your appointment, please try and give as much advanced notice as possible. A minimum of 24 hours notice to cancel an appointment is required otherwise you will be responsible for the full cost of the visit. Emergencies will be taken into consideration. More importantly, keeping regular appointments will produce a better therapeutic result.

Informed Consent:

I hereby authorize Sharon J. Levy, Licensed Acupuncturist to administer acupuncture therapy relevant to my diagnosis and treatment, including but not limited to the following:

- Insertion of various styles and sizes of acupuncture needles into my body at various depths and locations. It is possible that the skin may bruise after the needle is removed. This is not serious and does not occur very often.
- Heat treatment using Artemesia Vulgaris herb (moxibustion, “moxa”) or a therapeutic heat lamp. Indirect moxibustion treatments involve putting moxa on the head of the needle, holding a moxa pole near the skin or on top of a barrier such as salt or a slice of ginger. Direct moxa involves thread or cone size moxa placed directly on the skin. With any type of heat, there is always a risk of burn.
- Cupping may be used to promote circulation of Qi (energy) through the meridians. Cups may produce a red/purple color on the area treated lasting 1-5 days.
- Tui Na (Chinese Therapeutic Massage) with herbal oils, poultice and liniments.
- Gwa Sha, a massage technique that leaves redness on the skin that can last 1-5 days. Slight bruising and tenderness may persist after the treatment.
- Electrical stimulation of the needles may be used which produces a vibration or tapping sensation or ion pumping cords may be attached to the needles.
- Bloodletting, alone or in conjunction with cupping may be used to improve circulation in specific meridians. Lancets are inserted into the skin and a small amount of blood is expressed from the puncture.

I have been informed that I have the right to refuse any form of treatment. I understand the nature of the treatment and have been informed of the risks and possible consequences involved with this treatment. I also understand that there is always the possibility of an unexpected complication and I understand that no guarantee can be made concerning the results of treatment. Please know that you are welcome to discuss any questions or concerns you may have at any point in our work together.

Signature of patient: _____

Printed name of patient: _____

Date: _____