



Natural Elements Health Center
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Today's Date: ___/___/___

Your Name: _____ Name you prefer to be called: _____
Address: _____ Apt#: _____ City _____, St. _____ Zip _____
Sex: ___M___F Birthdate: ___/___/___ E-mail: _____
SS # (insurance purposes): _____ Occupation: _____

Best Place to reach you: Home Work Cell (_____) _____ AM PM Anytime

Spouse's/Partner's Name (if applicable): _____ Spouse's Birthdate (insurance purposes): ___/___/___

Children's Names and ages (if applicable): _____

Emergency Contact Name: _____ Phone: _____

Are your symptoms related to an accident? Y N _____ automobile _____ work _____ other date ___/___/___

___ I HAVE NO INSURANCE COVERAGE AT THIS TIME

Relationship to insured: ___self ___spouse ___child ___other: _____

Primary Care Doctor- name and facility: _____

May we contact him or her about your care? Y N Were you referred by him or her? Y or N

How did you hear about us?: _____

<p>On a Scale of 0—10, I rate my discomfort as follows: (zero being no pain, 10 being the worst pain I have ever felt=ER visit)</p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td>Neck or Shoulder Pain</td> <td>0</td><td>1</td><td>2</td><td>3</td><td>4</td><td>5</td><td>6</td><td>7</td><td>8</td><td>9</td><td>10</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td colspan="5">No pain</td> <td colspan="6">Severe pain</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Midback Pain</td> <td>0</td><td>1</td><td>2</td><td>3</td><td>4</td><td>5</td><td>6</td><td>7</td><td>8</td><td>9</td><td>10</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td colspan="5">No pain</td> <td colspan="6">Severe pain</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Low Back or Leg Pain</td> <td>0</td><td>1</td><td>2</td><td>3</td><td>4</td><td>5</td><td>6</td><td>7</td><td>8</td><td>9</td><td>10</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td colspan="5">No pain</td> <td colspan="6">Severe pain</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Other: _____</td> <td>0</td><td>1</td><td>2</td><td>3</td><td>4</td><td>5</td><td>6</td><td>7</td><td>8</td><td>9</td><td>10</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td colspan="5">No pain</td> <td colspan="6">Severe pain</td> </tr> </table>	Neck or Shoulder Pain	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		No pain					Severe pain						Midback Pain	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		No pain					Severe pain						Low Back or Leg Pain	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		No pain					Severe pain						Other: _____	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10		No pain					Severe pain						<p>Complaints:</p> <p>1) _____</p> <p>2) _____</p> <p>3) _____</p> <p>Date of Injury ___/___/___ How did they start ? _____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>	<p>SHOW AREA(S) OF PAIN OR UNUSUAL FEELING BELOW</p>
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What types of therapies have you tried for these problem(s) or to improve your health over-all:

___diet modification ___fasting ___vitamins/minerals ___herbs ___homeopathy ___chiropractic ___acupuncture ___conventional drugs
___other: _____

Do you experience any of these general symptoms EVERY DAY?

___Debilitating fatigue	___Shortness of breath	___Insomnia	___Constipation	___Chronic pain/inflammation	___Change in wart or mole
___Depression	___Panic attacks	___Nausea	___Fecal incontinence	___Bleeding	___Nagging cough/ hoarseness
___Disinterest in sex	___Headaches	___Vomiting	___Urinary incontinence	___Discharge	___Blood in stool or urine
___Disinterest in eating	___Dizziness	___Diarrhea	___Low grade fever	___Itching/rash	

Current medications (prescription or over-the-counter): _____

Major Hospitalizations, Surgeries, Injuries: Please list all procedures, complications (if any) and dates:

Year	Surgery, Illness, Injury	Outcome
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Do you consider yourself: ___underweight ___overweight ___just right Your weight today: _____

<p>How often do you experience your symptoms?</p> <p>___Constantly (100% of day) ___Frequently (51-75% of day) ___Occasionally (26-50% of day) ___Intermittently (0-25% of day)</p> <p>How would you describe your symptoms?</p> <p>___Sharp ___Shooting ___Dull Ache ___Burning ___Numb ___Tingling Other: _____</p> <p>How are your symptoms changing?</p> <p>___Getting Better ___Not Changing ___Getting Worse</p>	<p>Does your pain ever wake you from a sound sleep? Yes ___ No ___</p> <p>Are you losing weight now without trying? Yes ___ No ___</p> <p>Do you have a headache or head pain that is unlike any you have had before?. Yes ___ No ___</p> <p>Have you even been or are you now being pressured or forced to engage in any type of Sexual activity? Yes ___ No ___</p>
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Patient Signature: _____ Date: ___/___/___

** By signing above, all information on this intake form is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Medical History

Arthritis
 Allergies/hay fever
 Asthma
 Alcoholism
 Alzheimer's disease
 Autoimmune disease
 Blood pressure problems
 Bronchitis
 Cancer
 Chronic fatigue syndrome
 Carpal tunnel syndrome
 Cholesterol, elevated
 Circulatory problems
 Colitis
 Dental problems
 Depression
 Diabetes
 Diverticular disease
 Drug addiction
 Eating disorder
 Epilepsy
 Emphysema
 Eyes, ears, nose, throat problems
 Environmental sensitivities
 Fibromyalgia
 Food intolerance
 Gastroesophageal reflux disease
 Genetic disorder
 Glaucoma
 Gout
 Heart disease
 Infection, chronic
 Inflammatory bowel disease
 Irritable bowel syndrome
 Kidney or bladder disease
 Learning disabilities
 Liver or gallbladder disease (stones)
 Mental illness
 Mental retardation
 Migraine headaches
 Neurological problems (Parkinson's, paralysis)
 Sinus problems
 Stroke
 Thyroid trouble
 Obesity
 Osteoporosis
 Pneumonia
 Sexually transmitted disease
 Seasonal affective disorder
 Skin problems
 Tuberculosis
 Ulcer
 Urinary tract infection
 Varicose veins
 Other _____

Medical (Men)

Benign prostatic hyperplasia
 Prostate cancer
 Decreased sex drive
 Infertility
 Sexually transmitted disease
 Other _____

Medical (Women)

Menstrual irregularities
 Endometriosis
 Infertility

Fibrocystic breasts
 Fibroids/ovarian cysts
 Premenstrual syndrome (PMS)
 Breast cancer
 Pelvic inflammatory disease
 Vaginal infections
 Decreased sex drive
 Sexually transmitted disease

Other _____
 Date of last GYN exam _____
 Mammogram q + q _____
 PAP q + q _____
 Form of birth control _____
 # of children _____
 # of pregnancies _____
 C-section _____
 Age of first period _____
 Date - last menstrual cycle _____
 Length of cycle _____ days
 Interval of time between cycles _____ days

Any recent changes in normal menstrual

flow (e.g., heavier, large clots, scanty) _____

Surgical menopause
 Menopause

Family Health History (Parents and Siblings)

Arthritis
 Asthma
 Alcoholism
 Alzheimer's disease
 Cancer
 Depression
 Diabetes
 Drug addiction
 Eating disorder
 Genetic disorder
 Glaucoma
 Heart disease
 Infertility
 Learning disabilities
 Mental illness
 Mental retardation
 Migraine headaches
 Neurological disorders (Parkinson's, paralysis)
 Obesity
 Osteoporosis
 Stroke
 Suicide

Other _____

Health Habits

Tobacco:
 Cigarettes: #/day _____
 Cigars: #/day _____
 Alcohol:
 Wine: #glasses/d or wk _____
 Liquor: #ounces/d or wk _____
 Beer: #glasses/d or wk _____
 Caffeine:
 Coffee: #6 oz cups/d _____
 Tea: #6 oz cups/d _____
 Soda w/caffeine: #cans/d _____
 Other sources _____
 Water: #glasses/d _____

Exercise

5-7 days per week
 3-4 days per week
 1-2 days per week
 45 minutes or more duration per

workout
 30-45 minutes duration per workout

Less than 30 minutes
 Walk - #days/wk

Run, jog, other aerobic - #days/wk

Weight lift - #days/wk

Stretch - #days/wk

Other _____

Nutrition & Diet

Mixed food diet (animal and vegetable sources)
 Vegetarian
 Vegan
 Salt restriction
 Fat restriction
 Starch/carbohydrate restriction
 The Zone Diet
 Total calorie restriction
 Specific food restrictions:
 dairy
 wheat
 eggs
 soy
 corn
 all gluten

Other _____

Food Frequency

Number of servings per day:
 Fruits (citrus, melons, etc.) _____
 Dark green or deep yellow/orange vegetables _____
 Grains (unprocessed) _____
 Beans, peas, legumes _____
 Dairy, eggs _____
 Meat, poultry, fish _____

Eating Habits

Skip meals - which ones

One meal/day
 Two meals/day
 Three meals/day
 Graze (small frequent meals)
 Generally eat on the run
 Eat constantly whether hungry or not

Current Supplements

Multivitamin/mineral
 Vitamin C
 Vitamin E
 EPA/DHA
 Evening Primrose/GLA
 Calcium, source _____
 Magnesium
 Zinc
 Minerals, describe _____
 Friendly flora (acidophilus)
 Digestive enzymes
 Amino acids
 CoQ10
 Antioxidants (e.g., lutein, resveratrol, etc.)
 Herbs
 Homeopathy
 Protein shakes
 Superfoods (e.g., bee pollen,

phytonutrient blends)

Liquid meals (Ensure)

Others _____

I Would Like To:**ENERGY - VITALITY**

Feel more vital
 Have more energy
 Have more endurance
 Be less tired after lunch
 Sleep better
 Be free of pain
 Get less colds and flu
 Get rid of allergies
 Not be dependent on over-the-counter medications like aspirin, ibuprofen, anti-histamines, sleeping aids, etc.

Stop using laxatives and stool softeners

Improve sex drive

BODY COMPOSITION

Lose weight
 Burn more body fat
 Be stronger
 Have better muscle tone
 Be more flexible

STRESS, MENTAL, EMOTIONAL

Learn how to reduce stress
 Think more clearly and be more-focused

Improve memory

Be less depressed

Be less moody

Be less indecisive

Feel more motivated

LIFE ENRICHMENT

Reduce my risk of degenerative disease

Slow down accelerated aging

Maintain a healthier life longer

Change from a "treating-illness" orientation to creating a wellness lifestyle

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TERMS OF ACCEPTANCE

VERTEBRAL SUBLUXATION: A misalignment of one or more of the 24 vertebra in the spine, or within the extremities, which causes alteration of nerve function and interference to the transmission of mental impulses, resulting in a lessening of the body's innate ability to express its maximum health potential.

We do not offer to diagnose or treat any disease or condition other than vertebral and extremity subluxation. However, if during the course of a chiropractic spinal examination, we encounter non-chiropractic or unusual findings, we will advise you. If you desire advice, diagnosis or treatment for those findings, we will recommend that you seek the services of a health care provider who specializes in that area.

** Possible Adverse Reactions to an Adjustment:

- **Soreness:** I am aware that like exercise it is common to experience muscle soreness in the first few treatments.
- **Dizziness:** Temporary symptoms like dizziness and nausea can occur but are relatively rare.
- **Fractures/Joint Injury:** I further understand that in isolated cases underlying physical defects, deformities or pathologies like weak bones from osteoporosis may render the patient susceptible to injury. When osteoporosis, degenerative disk, or other abnormality is detected, this office will proceed with extra caution.
- **Stroke:** Although strokes happen with some frequency in our world, strokes from chiropractic adjustments are rare. I am aware that nerve or brain damage including stroke is reported to occur once in one million to once in ten million treatments.
- **Nutritional Supplements:** If I have a medical condition and taking prescription medication, I agree to discuss with my medical doctor any nutritional supplement that has been prescribed or taken from Natural Elements.

I, have read and fully understand the above statements.

All questions regarding the doctor's objectives pertaining to the care in this office have been answered to my complete satisfaction.

I, therefore, accept chiropractic care on this basis.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

HIPPA Regulations Natural Elements will Follow to Ensure your Protection

Your Rights

- The right to request restrictions on certain uses and disclosure of your protected health information, including those related to disclosures to family members, other relatives, close personal friends, or any other person identified by you. We are, however, not required to agree to a requested restriction. If we do agree to a restriction, we must abide by it unless you agree to a requested restriction.
- The right to reasonable requests to receive confidential communications of protected health information from us by alternative means or alternative locations.
- The right to inspect and copy your protected health information.
- The right to amend your protected health information.
- The right to receive an accounting of disclosures of protected health information.

In 2009 all healthcare professionals are required by law to send their bills, correspondence, and related billing information electronically. Natural Elements uses the billing services of Medical Business Consulting, a company also required to follow HIPPA regulations noted by the Dept. Of Health and Human Services (federal level). Information that will be electronically submitted is:

Beneficiary's name, date of birth, address, Beneficiary's health insurance identification and claim number, Date(s) of service, Diagnosis/nature of illness, Procedure/services performed

Contact Information

If you think your privacy rights have been violated by us, or disagree with a decision we made about access to your personal health information, you may contact:

The U.S. Department of Health & Human Services Office of Civil Rights
200 Independence Ave. S.W., Washington, D.C. 20201
(202) 619-0257 Toll Free: 1-877-696-9775

I have received a read copy of the notice of privacy practices. This acknowledgement applies to:

Signature _____

Date: _____

If you do not call in by the designated times or "no show" for your appointment, you will be charged the rate of service for the appointment and will be required to pay for the missed appointment before scheduling another.

Exceptions: Medical Emergencies, illness & funeral

Signature: _____ Date: _____

FINANCIAL POLICY

Release of Information: My signature below authorizes Natural Elements Health Center, Inc. , it's employees, and/or agents to release any information concerning my health and healthcare services to my insurance companies, pre-paid health plan or Medicare. I authorize the use of the signature below and all insurance submissions.

Returned Check Policy: All returned check's will be a \$30.00 non-sufficient funds charge.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Client Bill of Rights for Massage

I understand that the massage/bodywork I receive is provided for the basic purpose of relaxation and relief of muscular tension. If I experience any pain or discomfort during the session, I will immediately inform the practitioner so that the pressure and/or strokes may be adjusted to my level of comfort. I further understand that massage/bodywork should not be construed as a substitute for medical examination, diagnosis, or treatment and that I should see a physician, chiropractor or other qualified medical specialist for any mental or physical ailment of which I am aware. I understand that massage practitioners are not qualified to perform spinal or skeletal adjustments, diagnose, or prescribe or treat any physical or mental illness, and that nothing said in the course of the session given should be construed as such. Because massage should not be performed under certain medical conditions, I affirm that I have stated all my known medical conditions and answered all questions honestly. I agree to keep the practitioner updated as to any changes in my medical profile and understand there shall be no liability on the practitioner's part should I fail to do so. I understand that any illicit or sexually suggestive remarks or advances made by me will result in immediate termination of the session, and I will be liable for payment of the scheduled appointment.

Please check the box indicating that you have read this policy and sign.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

For Doctor Use Only

PATIENT STATUS AT TIME OF INFORMED CONSENT AND TERMS OF ACCEPTANCE PROCESS
BASED ON MY PERSONAL OBSERVATIONS, MEDICAL HISTORY AND DIRECT CONVERSATION WITH THE PATIENT, I CONCLUDE THAT
THROUGHOUT THE CONSENT PROCESS THE PATIENT WAS:

- OF LEGAL AGE ORIENTED X 3 COHERENT AND LUCID
- PROFICIENT IN UNDERSTANDING THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE
- ASSISTED IN UNDERSTANDING BY AN INTERPRETER (INTERPRETER'S NAME: _____)
- UNABLE TO GIVE LEGAL CONSENT

CONSENT GIVEN THRU LEGAL GUARDIAN _____

NAME

RELATIONSHIP

I CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE ACCURATELY DESCRIBES THE ABOVE NAMED PATIENT'S STATUS DURING THE INFORMED CONSENT PROCESS.

DATE

SIGNATURE OF DOCTOR

Bowel Transit Time

How quickly you eliminate waste through your intestinal tract is an important indicator of your health. To feel your best and help prevent degenerative diseases, your bowel transit time (the time it takes to digest a particular food and eliminate the waste products) should be 12 to 24 hours. Shorter transit times suggest you may not be digesting properly. Longer transit times mean you are being exposed to toxins from your digestive tract. Interestingly, research shows a correlation between gallstones and longer transit times. Having a long transit time may make you feel bloated, constipated and /or lethargic.

Directions:

1. Have a bowel movement
2. After a bowel movement, take all 10 charcoal capsules or 2 beets all at once.
Children 12 and under take 5 charcoal capsules (all at once) or 1 beet.
3. Document the date and time that you take the charcoal capsules.
4. Document the date and time that you see the same charcoal color as the capsule in your stool.
5. Total transit time in hours: _____

Things to consider:

1. Children/adults who have difficulty swallowing capsules you may open all the capsules and put into a single serving of pudding or yogurt. The charcoal is tasteless and harmless; it will turn the pudding or yogurt black.
2. **DO NOT PANIC** if the transit time is longer than listed above, it just means Dr. Christine will help you get your bowel running in a more efficient way. Call our staff @ [320-983-2333](tel:320-983-2333) with any questions.



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Daily Record of Food Intake

Each day, record all the items you eat and drink. Be sure to include the approximate amount of each item. When you have completed this form, return it to our office for evaluation.

Name: _____

DAY ONE DATE: _____

Breakfast (time: _____)

Meat & Dairy _____

Vegetables & Fruit _____

Breads, Cereals, Grains _____

Fats (Butter, Oils, etc) _____

Candy, Sweets, Junkfood _____

Water Intake _____

Other Drinks _____

Mid-Morning Snack (time: _____)

Snack _____

Bowel Movements (# and type): _____

Lunch (time: _____)

Mid-Day Snack (time: _____)

Hours of Sleep: _____

Dinner (time: _____)

Nighttime Snack (time: _____)

Quality of Sleep:(best)1 2 3(poor)

DAY TWO DATE: _____

Breakfast (time: _____)

Meat & Dairy _____

Vegetables & Fruit _____

Breads, Cereals, Grains _____

Fats (Butter, Oils, etc) _____

Candy, Sweets, Junkfood _____

Water Intake _____

Other Drinks _____

Mid-Morning Snack (time: _____)

Snack _____

Bowel Movements (# and type): _____

Lunch (time: _____)

Mid-Day Snack (time: _____)

Hours of Sleep: _____

Dinner (time: _____)

Nighttime Snack (time: _____)

Quality of Sleep:(best)1 2 3(poor)

DAY THREE DATE: _____

Breakfast (time: _____)

Meat & Dairy _____

Vegetables & Fruit _____

Breads, Cereals, Grains _____

Fats (Butter, Oils, etc) _____

Candy, Sweets, Junkfood _____

Water Intake _____

Other Drinks _____

Mid-Morning Snack (time: _____)

Snack _____

Bowel Movements (# and type): _____

Lunch (time: _____)

Mid-Day Snack (time: _____)

Hours of Sleep: _____

Dinner (time: _____)

Nighttime Snack (time: _____)

Quality of Sleep:(best)1 2 3(poor)

Identi- Stress Assessment

Name _____ Age _____ Sex _____ Date _____

Stress is a normal part of life. Every day, we're faced with stimuli, called stressors, which can elicit the body's "fight or flight" response, setting off a cascade of physiological reactions and resulting in emotions ranging from mild to intense. But while occasional stress is natural and even healthy, chronic or acute stress can be harmful.

Please take a few moments to discover your body's response to situations you perceive as stressful. By honestly assessing how you feel, your healthcare provider can create a natural stress relief program for your individual needs.

Directions:

Please read each statement and circle the number 0, 1, 2, or 3 that best describes your feelings or reactions throughout the course of the day. Determine the subtotal score for each section, then determine the total scores for sections A-C and C-E. Some questions may appear redundant between sections. There's a reason for each question. Don't spend much time on any one question.

0 = Never true 1 = Seldom true 2 = Sometimes true 3 = Often true

When under stress for two weeks or longer, I...

Section A:

- | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1. Get wound up when I get tired and have trouble calming down..... | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 2. Feel driven, appear energetic but feel "burned out" and exhausted..... | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 3. Feel restless, agitated, anxious, and uneasy..... | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 4. Feel easily overwhelmed by emotion..... | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 5. Feel emotional — cry easily or laugh inappropriately..... | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 6. Experience heart palpitations or a pounding in my chest..... | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 7. Am short of breath..... | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 8. Am constipated..... | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 9. Feel warm, over-heated, and dry all over..... | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 10. Get mouth sores or sore tongue..... | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 11. Get hot flashes..... | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 12. Sleep less than seven hours a night..... | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 13. Have trouble falling asleep and staying asleep..... | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 14. Worry about high blood pressure, cholesterol, and triglycerides..... | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 15. Forget to eat and feel little hunger..... | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |

Total points: _____

Section B:

- | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1. Find myself worrying about things big and small..... | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 2. Feel like I can't stop worrying, even though I want to..... | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 3. Feel impulsive, pent up, and ready to explode..... | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 4. Get muscle spasms..... | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 5. Feel aggressive, unyielding, or inflexible when pressed for time..... | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 6. See, hear, and smell things that others do not..... | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 7. Stay awake replaying the events of the day or planning for tomorrow..... | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 8. Have upsetting thoughts or images enter my mind again and again..... | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 9. Have a hard time stopping myself from doing things again and again..... | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| like checking on things or rearranging objects over and over..... | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 10. Worry a lot about terrible things that could happen if I'm not careful..... | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |

Total points: _____

Section C:

- | | | | | |
|--|---|---|---|---|
| 1. Have muscle and joint pains..... | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 2. Have muscle weakness..... | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 3. Crave salt or salty things..... | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 4. Have multiple points on my body that when touched are tender or painful..... | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 5. Have dark circles under my eyes..... | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 6. Feel a sudden sense of anxiety when I get hungry..... | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 7. Use medications to manage pain..... | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 8. Get dizzy when rising or standing up from a kneeling or sitting position..... | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 9. Have diarrhea or bouts of nausea with or without vomiting for no apparent reason..... | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| 10. Have headaches..... | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 |

Total points: _____

Section D:

- 1. Have trouble organizing my thoughts..... 0 1 2 3
- 2. Get easily distracted and lose focus..... 0 1 2 3
- 3. Have difficulty making decisions and mistrust my judgment..... 0 1 2 3
- 4. Feel depressed and apathetic..... 0 1 2 3
- 5. Lack the motivation and energy to stay on task and pay attention..... 0 1 2 3
- 6. Am forgetful..... 0 1 2 3
- 7. Feel unsettled, restless, and anxious..... 0 1 2 3
- 8. Wake up tired and unrefreshed..... 0 1 2 3
- 9. Experience heartburn and indigestion..... 0 1 2 3
- 10. Catch colds or infections easily..... 0 1 2 3

Total points: _____

Section E:

- 1. Feel tired for no apparent reason..... 0 1 2 3
- 2. Experience lingering mild fatigue after exertion or physical activity..... 0 1 2 3
- 3. Find it difficult to concentrate and complete tasks..... 0 1 2 3
- 4. Feel depressed and apathetic..... 0 1 2 3
- 5. Feel cold or chilled – hands, feet, or all over – for no apparent reason..... 0 1 2 3
- 6. Have little or no interest in sex..... 0 1 2 3
- 7. Sweat spontaneously during the day..... 0 1 2 3
- 8. Feel puffy and retain fluids..... 0 1 2 3
- 9. Sleep more than nine hours a night..... 0 1 2 3
- 10. Have poor muscle tone..... 0 1 2 3
- 11. Have trouble losing weight..... 0 1 2 3
- 12. Wake up tired even though I seem to get plenty of sleep..... 0 1 2 3
- 13. Have no energy and feel physically weak..... 0 1 2 3
- 14. Am susceptible to colds and the flu..... 0 1 2 3
- 15. Feel dragged down by multiple symptoms, such as poor digestion and body aches..... 0 1 2 3

Total points: _____

Add points from sections A, B & C	Total for A, B, & C: _____
Add points from sections C, D & E	Total for C, D, & E: _____

Lifestyle and Health Status:

1. Circle the level of stress you experience on the scale of 1-10, 10 being the worst:
 a. 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
2. What do you consider to be the major causes of your stress (for example — spouse, family, friends, work, finances, wedding, pregnancy, legal, commute):

3. I eat breakfast _____ times a week. My typical breakfast is: _____
4. I take a multiple vitamin/mineral _____ days per week. I take a fish oil supplement _____ days per week
5. I participate in 30 minutes of physical activity such as walking, aerobics (e.g., running), resistance training (e.g., weights, pilates), sports (e.g. biking), or yoga:
 Daily 5-6 times per week 3-4 times per week 1-2 times per week Less than once a week
6. I smoke _____ cigarettes daily.
7. I drink two or more 8 ounce cups of caffeinated coffee or other caffeinated beverages like energy/diet drinks, colas, or black or green teas:
 Daily 5-6 times per week 3-4 times per week 1-2 times per week Less than once a week
8. I drink two or more ounces of alcoholic beverages:
 Daily 5-6 times per week 3-4 times per week 1-2 times per week Less than once a week
9. List your current health problems and any over-the-counter or prescription medications that you are now taking:

Current health problem(s)	Date of onset	List all current medication(s)
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

HEALTH APPRAISAL QUESTIONNAIRE

Name _____ Date _____

DIRECTIONS

This questionnaire asks you to assess how you have been feeling **during the last four months**. This information will help you keep track of how your physical, mental and emotional states respond to changes you make in your eating habits, priorities, supplement program, social and family life, level of physical activity and time spent on personal growth. All information is held in strict confidence. Take all the time you need to complete this questionnaire.

For each question, circle the number that best describe your symptoms:

0 = No or Rarely—You have never experienced the symptom or the symptom is familiar to you but you perceive it as insignificant (monthly or less)

1 = Occasionally—Symptom comes and goes and is linked in your mind to stress, diet, fatigue or some identifiable trigger

4 = Often—Symptom occurs 2-3 times per week and/or with a frequency that bothers you enough that you would like to do something about it

8 = Frequently—Symptom occurs 4 or more times per week and/or you are aware of the symptom every day, or it occurs with regularity on a monthly or cyclical basis

Some questions require a YES or NO response: 0 = NO 8 = YES

PART I		No/Rarely	Occasionally	Often	Frequently			No/Rarely	Occasionally	Often	Frequently
SECTION A						SECTION C (cont.)					
1. Indigestion, food repeats on you after you eat		0	1	4	8	6. Stool odor is embarrassing		0	1	4	8
2. Excessive burping, belching and/or bloating following meals		0	1	4	8	7. Undigested food in your stool		0	1	4	8
3. Stomach spasms and cramping during or after eating		0	1	4	8	8. Three or more large bowel movements daily		0	1	4	8
4. A sensation that food just sits in your stomach creating uncomfortable fullness, pressure and bloating during or after a meal		0	1	4	8	9. Diarrhea (frequent loose, watery stool)		0	1	4	8
5. Bad taste in your mouth		0	1	4	8	10. Bowel movement shortly after eating (within 1 hour)		0	1	4	8
6. Small amounts of food fill you up immediately		0	1	4	8	Total points					
7. Skip meals or eat erratically because you have no appetite		0	1	4	8	SECTION D					
Total points						1. Discomfort, pain or cramps in your colon (lower abdominal area)		0	1	4	8
SECTION B						2. Emotional stress and/or eating raw fruits and vegetables causes abdominal bloating, pain, cramps or gas		0	1	4	8
1. Strong emotions, or the thought or smell of food aggravates your stomach or makes it hurt		0	1	4	8	3. Generally constipated (or straining during bowel movements)		0	1	4	8
2. Feel hungry an hour or two after eating a good-sized meal		0	1	4	8	4. Stool is small, hard and dry		0	1	4	8
3. Stomach pain, burning and/or aching over a period of 1-4 hours after eating		0	1	4	8	5. Pass mucus in your stool		0	1	4	8
4. Stomach pain, burning and/or aching relieved by eating food; drinking carbonated beverages, cream or milk; or taking antacids		0	1	4	8	6. Alternate between constipation and diarrhea		0	1	4	8
5. Burning sensation in the lower part of your chest, especially when lying down or bending forward		0	1	4	8	7. Rectal pain, itching or cramping		0	1	4	8
6. Digestive problems that subside with rest and relaxation	(0)No				(8)Yes	8. No urge to have a bowel movement		(0)No		(8)Yes	
7. Eating spicy and fatty (fried) foods, chocolate, coffee, alcohol, citrus or hot peppers causes your stomach to burn or ache		0	1	4	8	9. An almost continual need to have a bowel movement		(0)No		(8)Yes	
8. Feel a sense of nausea when you eat		0	1	4	8	Total points					
9. Difficulty or pain when swallowing food or beverage		0	1	4	8	PART II					
Total points						1. When massaging under your rib cage on your right side, there is pain, tenderness or soreness		0	1	4	8
SECTION C						2. Abdominal pain worsens with deep breathing		0	1	4	8
1. When massaging under your rib cage on your left side, there is pain, tenderness or soreness		0	1	4	8	3. Pain at night that may move to your back or right shoulder		0	1	4	8
2. Indigestion, fullness or tension in your abdomen is delayed, occurring 2-4 hours after eating a meal		0	1	4	8	4. Bitter fluid repeats after eating		0	1	4	8
3. Lower abdominal discomfort is relieved with the passage of gas or with a bowel movement		0	1	4	8	5. Feel abdominal discomfort or nausea when eating rich, fatty or fried foods		0	1	4	8
4. Specific foods/beverages aggravate indigestion		0	1	4	8	6. Throbbing temples and/or dull pain in forehead associated with overeating		0	1	4	8
5. The consistency or form of your stool changes (e.g., from narrow to loose) within the course of a day		0	1	4	8	7. Unexplained itchy skin that's worse at night		0	1	4	8
						8. Stool color alternates from clay colored to normal brown		0	1	4	8
						9. General feeling of poor health		0	1	4	8

PART II

	No/Rarely	Occasionally	Often	Frequently
10. Aching muscles not due to exercise	0	1	4	8
11. Retain fluid and feel swollen around the abdominal area	0	1	4	8
12. Reddened skin, especially palms	0	1	4	8
13. Very strong body odor	0	1	4	8
14. Are you embarrassed by your breath?	0	1	4	8
15. Bruise easily	(0)No	(8)Yes		
16. Yellowish cast to eyes	(0)No	(8)Yes		
Total points				<input type="text"/>

PART III

SECTION A

1. Feel cold or chilled—hands, feet or all over—for no apparent reason	0	1	4	8
2. Your upper eyelids look swollen	0	1	4	8
3. Muscles are weak, cramp and/or tremble	0	1	4	8
4. Are you forgetful?	0	1	4	8
5. Do you feel like your heart beats slowly?	0	1	4	8
6. Reaction time seems slowed down	0	1	4	8
7. In general, are you disinterested in sex because your desire is low?	0	1	4	8
8. Feel slow-moving, sluggish	0	1	4	8
9. Constipation	0	1	4	8
10. Dryness, discoloration of skin and/or hair	(0)No	(8)Yes		
11. Have you noticed recently that your voice is deepening?	(0)No	(8)Yes		
12. Thick, brittle nails	(0)No	(8)Yes		
13. Weight gain for no apparent reason	(0)No	(8)Yes		
14. Outer third of your eyebrow is thinning or disappearing	(0)No	(8)Yes		
15. Swelling of the neck	(0)No	(8)Yes		
Total points				<input type="text"/>

SECTION B

1. Lingering mild fatigue after exertion or stress	0	1	4	8
2. Do you find that you get tired and exhaust easily?	0	1	4	8
3. Craving for salty foods	0	1	4	8
4. Sensitive to minor changes in weather and surroundings	0	1	4	8
5. Dizzy when rising or standing up from a kneeling position	0	1	4	8
6. Dark bluish or black circles under your eyes	0	1	4	8
7. Have bouts of nausea with or without vomiting	0	1	4	8
8. Catch colds or infections easily	(0)No	(8)Yes		
9. Wounds heal slowly	(0)No	(8)Yes		
10. Your body or parts of your body feel tender, sore, sensitive to the touch, hot and/or painful	0	1	4	8
11. Feel puffy and swollen all over your body	0	1	4	8
12. Skin is gradually tanning without exposure to sun or the ingestion of high levels of carotene-rich foods (e.g., daily carrot juice intake) or supplements	(0)No	(8)Yes		
Total points				<input type="text"/>

PART IV

	No/Rarely	Occasionally	Often	Frequently
SECTION A				
When you miss meals or go without food for extended periods of time, do you experience any of the following symptoms?				
1. A sense of weakness	0	1	4	8
2. A sudden sense of anxiety when you get hungry	0	1	4	8
3. Tingling sensation in your hands	0	1	4	8
4. A sensation of your heart beating too quickly or forcefully	0	1	4	8
5. Shaky, jittery, hands trembling	0	1	4	8
6. Sudden profuse sweating and/or your skin feels clammy	0	1	4	8
7. Nightmares possibly associated with going to bed on an empty stomach	0	1	4	8
8. Wake up at night feeling restless	0	1	4	8
9. Agitation, easily upset, nervous	0	1	4	8
10. Poor memory, forgetful	0	1	4	8
11. Confused or disoriented	0	1	4	8
12. Dizzy, faint	0	1	4	8
13. Cold or numb	0	1	4	8
14. Mild headaches or headpounding	0	1	4	8
15. Blurred vision or double vision	0	1	4	8
16. Feel clumsy and uncoordinated	0	1	4	8
Total points				<input type="text"/>

SECTION B

1. Frequent urination during the day and night	0	1	4	8
2. Unusual thirst—feeling like you can't drink enough water	0	1	4	8
3. Unusual hunger—eating all the time	0	1	4	8
4. Vision blurs	0	1	4	8
5. Feel itchy all over	0	1	4	8
6. Tingling or numbness in your feet	0	1	4	8
7. Sense of drowsiness, lethargy during the day not associated with missing meals or not sleeping	0	1	4	8
8. Eating starchy foods, even if they are healthy and unprocessed (like rice, corn, beans, whole wheat or oats), causes you to gain weight or prevents you from losing weight	(0)No	(8)Yes		
9. Sores heal slowly	(0)No	(8)Yes		
10. Loss of hair on your legs	(0)No	(8)Yes		
Total points				<input type="text"/>

PART V

SECTION A

1. Feel jittery	0	1	4	8
2. First effort of the day causes pain, pressure, tightness or heaviness around the chest	0	1	4	8
3. Exhaustion with minor exertion	0	1	4	8
4. Heavy sweating (no exertion, no hot flashes)	0	1	4	8
5. Difficulty catching breath, especially during exercise	0	1	4	8
6. Heart pounding, sensation of heart beating too quickly, too slowly or irregularly	0	1	4	8
7. Swelling in feet, ankles and/or legs comes and goes for no apparent reason	0	1	4	8
Total points				<input type="text"/>

PART V (cont.)

SECTION B

	No/Rarely	Occasionally	Often	Frequently
1. Muscle pain at rest	0	1	4	8
2. Cramp-like pains in your ankles, calves or legs	0	1	4	8
3. Numbness, tingling and prickling sensation in hands and feet	0	1	4	8
4. Cold feet and/or toes appear blue	0	1	4	8
5. Brief moments of hearing loss	0	1	4	8
6. Nausea comes and goes quickly (unrelated to eating)	0	1	4	8
7. Feel worse standing; legs get heavy and fatigued	0	1	4	8
8. Leg discomfort or fatigue relieved by elevating legs	0	1	4	8
9. Fingers and toes get numb in cold weather even when protected	0	1	4	8
10. Notice changes in your ability to feel pain or differentiate between sensations of hot or cold	(0)No		(8)Yes	
11. Body hair (on arms, hands, fingers, legs and toes) is thinning or has disappeared	(0)No		(8)Yes	
12. Do you notice a decline in your ability to make decisions, concentrate, focus attention or follow directions?	(0)No		(8)Yes	

Total points

SECTION B (cont.)

	No/Rarely	Occasionally	Often	Frequently
12. Do you become suddenly scared for no reason?	0	1	4	8
13. Do you break out in a cold sweat?	0	1	4	8
14. "Butterflies in your stomach," nausea and/or diarrhea	0	1	4	8

Total points

SECTION C

	No/Rarely	Occasionally	Often	Frequently
1. Do you feel pent up and ready to explode?	0	1	4	8
2. Are you prone to noisy and emotional outbursts?	0	1	4	8
3. Do you do things on impulse?	0	1	4	8
4. Are you easily upset or irritated?	0	1	4	8
5. Do you go to pieces if you don't control yourself?	0	1	4	8
6. Do little annoyances get on your nerves and make you angry?	0	1	4	8
7. Does it make you angry to have anyone tell you what to do?	0	1	4	8
8. Do you flare up in anger if you can't have what you want right away?	0	1	4	8

Total points

PART VI

SECTION A

	No/Rarely	Occasionally	Often	Frequently
1. Family, friends, work, hobbies or activities you hold dear are no longer of interest	0	1	4	8
2. Do you cry?	0	1	4	8
3. Does life look entirely hopeless?	0	1	4	8
4. Would you describe yourself as feeling miserable and sad, unhappy or blue?	0	1	4	8
5. Do you find it hard to make the best of difficult situations?	0	1	4	8
6. Sleep problems—too much or too little sleep	0	1	4	8
7. Changes in your appetite and weight	(0)No		(8)Yes	
8. Lately you've noticed an inability to think clearly or concentrate	(0)No		(8)Yes	
9. Difficulty making decisions and/or clarifying and achieving your goals	(0)No		(8)Yes	

Total points

SECTION B

	No/Rarely	Occasionally	Often	Frequently
1. Does worrying get you down?	0	1	4	8
2. Does every little thing get on your nerves and wear you out?	0	1	4	8
3. Would you consider yourself a nervous person?	0	1	4	8
4. Do you feel easily agitated?	0	1	4	8
5. Do you shake and tremble?	0	1	4	8
6. Are you keyed up and jittery?	0	1	4	8
7. Do you tremble or feel weak when someone shouts at you?	0	1	4	8
8. Do you become scared at sudden movements or noises at night?	0	1	4	8
9. Do you find yourself sighing a lot?	0	1	4	8
10. Are you awakened out of your sleep by frightening dreams?	0	1	4	8
11. Do frightening thoughts keep coming back in your mind?	0	1	4	8

PART VII

	No/Rarely	Occasionally	Often	Frequently
1. Eyes water or tear	0	1	4	8
2. Mucus discharge from the eyes	0	1	4	8
3. Ears ache, itch, feel congested or sore	0	1	4	8
4. Discharge from ears	0	1	4	8
5. Is your nose continually congested?	0	1	4	8
6. Are you prone to loud snoring?	(0)No		(8)Yes	
7. Does your nose run?	0	1	4	8
8. Nosebleeds	(0)No		(8)Yes	
9. Hoarse voice	0	1	4	8
10. Do you have to clear your throat?	0	1	4	8
11. Do you feel a choking lump in your throat?	0	1	4	8
12. Do you suffer from severe colds?	(0)No		(8)Yes	
13. Do frequent colds keep you miserable all winter?	(0)No		(8)Yes	
14. Flu symptoms last longer than 5 days	(0)No		(8)Yes	
15. Do infections settle in your lungs?	(0)No		(8)Yes	
16. Chest discomfort or pain	0	1	4	8
17. Do you experience sudden breathing difficulties?	0	1	4	8
18. Do you struggle with shortness of breath?	0	1	4	8
19. Difficulty exhaling (breathing out)	0	1	4	8
20. Breathlessness followed by coughing during exertion, no matter how slight	0	1	4	8
21. Inability to breathe comfortably while lying down	0	1	4	8
22. Do you cough up lots of phlegm?	0	1	4	8
23. Can you hear noisy rattling sounds when breathing in and out?	0	1	4	8
24. Are you troubled with coughing?	0	1	4	8
25. Do you wheeze?	0	1	4	8
26. Do you have severe soaking sweats at night?	0	1	4	8
27. Do your lips and/or nails have a bluish hue?	0	1	4	8
28. Are you sleepy during the day?	0	1	4	8

PART VII (cont.)		No/Rarely	Occasionally	Often	Frequently
29. Do you have difficulty concentrating?		0	1	4	8
30. Eyes, ears, nose, throat and lung symptoms seem associated with specific foods like dairy or wheat products	(0)No (8)Yes				
31. Eyes, ears, nose, throat and lung symptoms are associated with seasonal changes	(0)No (8)Yes				
Total points					
PART VIII		No/Rarely	Occasionally	Often	Frequently
1. Involuntary loss of urine when you cough, lift something or strain during an activity		0	1	4	8
2. Mild lower back ache or pain		0	1	4	8
3. Abdominal achiness or pain		0	1	4	8
4. Pain or burning when urinating		0	1	4	8
5. Rarely feel the urge to urinate		0	1	4	8
6. Feel the need to urinate less than every two hours during the day or night		0	1	4	8
7. Strong smelling urine		0	1	4	8
8. Back or leg pains are associated with dripping after urination		0	1	4	8
9. Sore or painful genitals		0	1	4	8
10. Urine is a rose color		0	1	4	8
11. Sudden urge to void causes involuntary loss of urine		0	1	4	8
12. Generalized sense of water retention throughout your body		0	1	4	8
Total points					
PART IX		No/Rarely	Occasionally	Often	Frequently
SECTION A					
1. Bones throughout your entire body ache, feel tender or sore		0	1	4	8
2. Localized bone pain		0	1	4	8
3. Hands, feet or throat get tight, spasm or feel numb		0	1	4	8
4. Difficulty sitting straight		0	1	4	8
5. Upper back pain		0	1	4	8
6. Lower back pain		0	1	4	8
7. Pain when sitting down or walking		0	1	4	8
8. Find yourself limping or favoring one leg		0	1	4	8
9. Shins hurt during or after exercise		0	1	4	8
Total points					
SECTION B					
1. Are you stiff in the morning when you wake up?		0	1	4	8
2. Difficulty bending down and picking up clothing or anything from the floor		0	1	4	8
3. Joint swelling, pain or stiffness involving one or more areas (fingers, hands, wrists, elbows, shoulders, toes, arches, feet, ankles, knees or ankles)		0	1	4	8
4. Joints hurt when moving or when carrying weight		0	1	4	8
5. A routine exercise program, like daily walking, causes your knees to swell or hurt		0	1	4	8
6. Difficulty opening jars that were previously easy to open		0	1	4	8
7. Discomfort, numbness, prickling or tingling sensation, or pain in neck, shoulder or arm		0	1	4	8
SECTION B (cont.)					
8. Intermittent pain or ache on one side of head spreading to cheek, temple, lower jaw, ear, neck and shoulder		0	1	4	8
9. Difficulty chewing food or opening mouth		0	1	4	8
10. Difficulty standing up from a sitting position		0	1	4	8
11. Shooting, aching, tingling pain down the back of leg		0	1	4	8
12. Is it difficult to reach up and get a 5-pound object like a bag of flour from just above your head?	(0)No (8)Yes				
13. Injure, strain or sprain easily	(0)No (8)Yes				
Total points					
SECTION C					
1. Muscles stiff, sore, tense and/or achy		0	1	4	8
2. Burning, throbbing, shooting or stabbing muscle pain		0	1	4	8
3. Muscle cramps or spasms (involuntary or after exertion/exercise)		0	1	4	8
4. Is muscle pain or stiffness greater in the morning than other times of the day?		0	1	4	8
5. Specific points on body feel sore when pressed		0	1	4	8
6. Feel unrefreshed upon awakening		0	1	4	8
7. Headaches		0	1	4	8
8. Pain at the sides of your head or in your face especially when awakening		0	1	4	8
9. Your jaw clicks or pops		0	1	4	8
10. Muscle twitch or tremor—eyelids, thumb, calf muscle		0	1	4	8
11. Irresistible urge to move legs		0	1	4	8
12. Legs move during sleep		0	1	4	8
13. Unpleasant crawling sensation inside calves when lying down		0	1	4	8
14. Hand and wrist numbness or pain (e.g., interferes with writing or with buttoning or unbuttoning your clothes)		0	1	4	8
15. Feeling of “pins and needles” in your thumb and first three fingers		0	1	4	8
16. Pain in forearm and sometimes in shoulder		0	1	4	8
Total points					
PART X					
SECTION A					
1. Head feels heavy		0	1	4	8
2. Dizziness		0	1	4	8
3. Difficulty bending over, standing up from sitting, rolling over in bed and/or turning your head from side to side		0	1	4	8
4. Your hands tremble, ever so slightly, for no apparent reason		0	1	4	8
5. You feel like you're wearing heavy weights on your feet when walking		0	1	4	8
6. Bump into things, trip, stumble and feel clumsy		0	1	4	8
7. Difficulty breathing		0	1	4	8
8. Difficulty swallowing		0	1	4	8
9. People tell you to speak up because they have trouble hearing you		0	1	4	8
10. Speaking and forming words does not feel automatic		0	1	4	8
11. Need 10-12 hours of sleep to feel rested		0	1	4	8

PART X (cont.)

	No/Rarely	Occasionally	Often	Frequently
SECTION A (cont.)				
12. Lack strength (your grip is weak, holding your head or picking your arms up takes effort)	0	1	4	8
13. Hands get tired when you write and your handwriting is less legible and smaller than it used to be	(0)No		(8)Yes	
14. Muscles in arms and legs seem softer and smaller	(0)No		(8)Yes	
15. Is your eyesight, sense of smell and taste or ability to hear not as sharp as it used to be?	(0)No		(8)Yes	
16. Do you find yourself moving slower than you used to?	(0)No		(8)Yes	
Total points				<input type="text"/>

SECTION B

1. Difficulty absorbing new information	0	1	4	8
2. Tend to forget things	0	1	4	8
3. Trouble thinking or concentrating	0	1	4	8
4. Easily distracted	0	1	4	8
5. Do you have a tendency to become frustrated quickly?	0	1	4	8
6. Inability to sit still for any length of time, even at mealtime	0	1	4	8
7. Finishing tasks is easier said than done	0	1	4	8
8. Do you have more trouble solving problems or managing your time than usual?	0	1	4	8
9. Low tolerance for stress and otherwise ordinary problems	0	1	4	8
Total points				<input type="text"/>

PART XI

Men Only

1. Sensation of not emptying your bladder completely	0	1	4	8
2. Need to urinate less than 2 hours after you have finished urinating	0	1	4	8
3. Find yourself needing to stop and start again several times while urinating	0	1	4	8
4. Find it difficult to postpone urination	0	1	4	8
5. Have a weak urinary stream	0	1	4	8
6. Need to push or strain to begin urinating	0	1	4	8
7. Dripping after urination	0	1	4	8
8. Urge to urinate several times a night	0	1	4	8
Total points				<input type="text"/>

PART XII

Women Only

(Menopausal women should skip to Sections E and F)

SECTION A

Do you persistently experience any of these symptoms within three days to two weeks prior to menstruation?

[A]

1. Anxious, irritable or restless	(0)No		(8)Yes	
2. Numbness, tingling in hands and feet	(0)No		(8)Yes	
3. Easy to anger, resentful	(0)No		(8)Yes	
4. Aggressive or hostile toward family/friends	(0)No		(8)Yes	

SECTION A (cont.)

[B]

5. Abdominal bloating, feeling swollen (e.g., feet)	(0)No		(8)Yes	
6. Temporary weight gain	(0)No		(8)Yes	
7. Breast tenderness, swelling	(0)No		(8)Yes	
8. Appearance of breast lumps	(0)No		(8)Yes	
9. Discharge from nipples	(0)No		(8)Yes	
10. Nausea and/or vomiting	(0)No		(8)Yes	
11. Diarrhea or constipation	(0)No		(8)Yes	
12. Aches and pains (back, joints, etc.)	(0)No		(8)Yes	

[C]

13. Craving for sweets	(0)No		(8)Yes	
14. Increased appetite or binge eating	(0)No		(8)Yes	
15. Headaches	(0)No		(8)Yes	
16. Being easily overwhelmed, shaky or clumsy	(0)No		(8)Yes	
17. Heart pounding	(0)No		(8)Yes	
18. Dizziness or fainting	(0)No		(8)Yes	

[D]

19. Confused and forgetful to the point that work suffers	(0)No		(8)Yes	
20. Overwhelmed with feelings of sadness and worthlessness	(0)No		(8)Yes	
21. Difficulty sleeping or falling asleep	(0)No		(8)Yes	
22. Engaging in self-destructive behavior	(0)No		(8)Yes	

Total points

SECTION B

Do you experience any of these symptoms *during your period*?

1. Cramping in lower abdomen or pelvic area	(0)No		(8)Yes	
2. Lower abdominal pain is sharp and/or dull or intermittent	(0)No		(8)Yes	
3. Bloating and sense of abdominal fullness	(0)No		(8)Yes	
4. Diarrhea or constipation	(0)No		(8)Yes	
5. Nausea and/or vomiting	(0)No		(8)Yes	
6. Low back and/or legs ache	(0)No		(8)Yes	
7. Headaches	(0)No		(8)Yes	
8. Unusual fatigue (take naps) resulting in missed work	(0)No		(8)Yes	
9. Painful and/or swollen breasts	(0)No		(8)Yes	
10. Scanty blood flow	(0)No		(8)Yes	

Total points

SECTION C

1. Painful or difficult sexual intercourse	0	1	4	8
2. Low abdominal, back and vaginal pain throughout the month	0	1	4	8
3. Pelvic pressure or pain while sitting down or standing up, relieved by lying down	0	1	4	8
4. Vaginal bleeding other than during your period	0	1	4	8
5. Painful bowel movements	0	1	4	8
6. Difficult (straining) urination	0	1	4	8
7. Abnormal vaginal discharge	0	1	4	8
8. Offensive vaginal discharge	0	1	4	8
9. Vaginal itching or burning with or without intercourse	0	1	4	8
10. Pain during periods is getting progressively worse	(0)No		(8)Yes	
11. Profuse or prolonged menstrual bleeding	(0)No		(8)Yes	
12. Unable to get pregnant	(0)No		(8)Yes	

Total points

SECTION D

	No/Rarely	Occasionally	Often	Frequently
1. Absence of periods for six months or longer	(0)No			(8)Yes
2. Periods occur irregularly (e.g., 3 to 6 times a year)	(0)No			(8)Yes
3. Profuse heavy bleeding during periods	0	1	4	8
4. Menstrual blood contains clots and tissue	0	1	4	8
5. Bleeding between periods can occur anytime	0	1	4	8
6. Periods occur greater than every 35 days	(0)No			(8)Yes
7. Intense upper stomach pain, lasting several hours at the time you ovulate (approximately day 14 of your cycle)	0	1	4	8
8. Bleeding occurs at ovulation (approximately day 14 of your cycle)	0	1	4	8
9. Monthly abdominal pain without bleeding	0	1	4	8
10. Abundant cervical mucus	0	1	4	8
11. Acne and/or oily skin	0	1	4	8
12. Overwhelming urges for sexual intercourse	0	1	4	8
13. Aggressive feelings	0	1	4	8
14. Increased growth of dark facial and/or body hair	(0)No			(8)Yes
15. Poor sense of smell	(0)No			(8)Yes
16. Voice is becoming deeper	(0)No			(8)Yes
17. Breasts seem to be getting smaller	(0)No			(8)Yes
18. Receding hairline	(0)No			(8)Yes

Total points

SECTION E

1. Vaginal discharge	0	1	4	8
2. Vaginal secretions are watery and thin	0	1	4	8
3. Vaginal dryness	0	1	4	8
4. Sexual intercourse is uncomfortable	0	1	4	8

SECTION E (cont.)

	No/Rarely	Occasionally	Often	Frequently
5. Interest in having sex is low	0	1	4	8
6. Engorged breasts	0	1	4	8
7. Breast tenderness, soreness	0	1	4	8
8. Difficulty with orgasm	0	1	4	8
9. Vaginal bleeding after sexual intercourse	0	1	4	8
10. Do you skip periods?	(0)No			(8)Yes
11. The length (number of days) of your period varies month to month, with the number of days of bleeding getting fewer	(0)No			(8)Yes

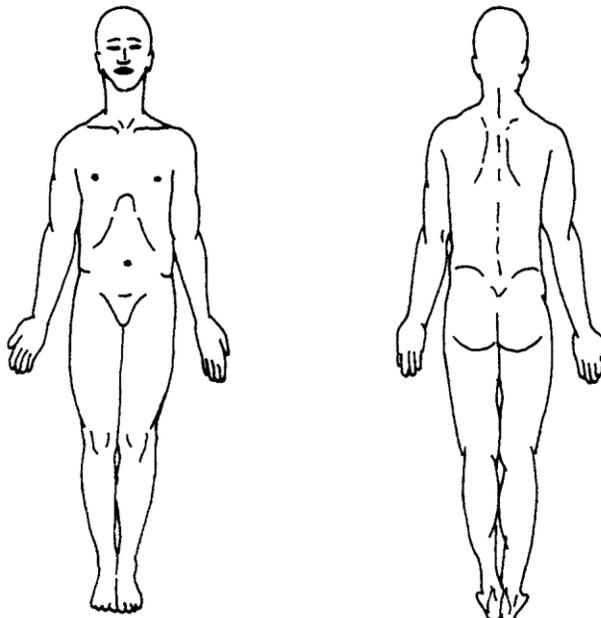
Total points

SECTION F

1. Sense of well-being fluctuates throughout the day for no apparent reason	0	1	4	8
2. Sudden hot flashes	0	1	4	8
3. Spontaneous sweating	0	1	4	8
4. Chills	0	1	4	8
5. Cold hands and feet	0	1	4	8
6. Heart beats rapidly or feels like it is fluttering	0	1	4	8
7. Numbness, tingling or prickling sensations	0	1	4	8
8. Dizziness	0	1	4	8
9. Mental fogging, forgetful or distracted	0	1	4	8
10. Inability to concentrate	0	1	4	8
11. Depression, anxiety, nervousness and/or irritability	0	1	4	8
12. Difficulty sleeping	0	1	4	8
13. Conscious of new feelings of anger and frustration	0	1	4	8
14. Skin, hair, vagina and/or eyes feel dry	0	1	4	8
15. Stopped menstruating around six months ago, yet still experience some vaginal bleeding	(0)No			(8)Yes

Total points

Please mark an "X" to indicate areas where you feel pain, swelling or discomfort, or areas of your skin that have changed color or texture (e.g., moles, rashes, etc.). Describe what you feel or observe in your own words. Write anywhere in this area.



Natural Elements Health Medical Symptoms Questionnaire HAQ Detoxification Indicator (MSQ)

Patient Name: _____ Date: _____ Week: _____

Rate each of the following symptoms based upon your typical health profile for: Past 30 days Past 48 hours
 Point Scale 0 - Never or almost never have the symptom 3 - Frequently have it, effect is not severe
 2 - Occasionally have it, effect is severe 4 - Frequently have it, effect is severe

HEAD
 _____ Headaches
 _____ Faintness
 _____ Dizziness
 _____ Insomnia
 Total: _____

EYES
 _____ Watery or itchy eyes
 _____ Swollen, reddened or sticky eyelids
 _____ Bags or dark circles under eyes
 _____ Blurred or tunnel vision (does not include near or far-sightedness)
 Total: _____

EARS
 _____ Itchy ears
 _____ Earaches, ear infections
 _____ Drainage from ear
 _____ Ringing in ears, hearing loss
 Total: _____

NOSE
 _____ Stuffy nose
 _____ Sinus problems
 _____ Hay fever
 _____ Sneezing attacks
 _____ Excessive mucus formation
 Total: _____

MOUTH
 THROAT
 _____ Chronic Coughing
 _____ Gagging, frequent need to clear throat
 _____ Sore throat, hoarseness, loss of voice
 _____ Swollen or discolored tongue, gums, lips
 _____ Canker sores
 Total: _____

SKIN
 _____ Acne
 _____ Hives, rashes, dry skin
 _____ Hair loss
 _____ Flushing, hot flashes
 _____ Excessive sweating
 Total: _____

HEART
 _____ Irregular or skipped heartbeat
 _____ Rapid or pounding heartbeat
 _____ Chest pain
 Total: _____

LUNGS
 _____ Chest congestion
 _____ Asthma, bronchitis
 _____ Shortness of breath
 _____ Difficulty breathing
 Total: _____

DIGESTIVE
 TRACT
 _____ Nausea, vomiting
 _____ Diarrhea
 _____ Constipation
 _____ Bloating feeling
 _____ Belching, passing gas
 _____ Heartburn
 _____ Intestinal/stomach pain
 Total: _____

JOINTS
 MUSCLES
 _____ Pain or aches in joints
 _____ Arthritis
 _____ Stiffness or limitation of movement
 _____ Pain or aches in muscles
 _____ Feeling of weakness or tiredness
 Total: _____

WEIGHT
 _____ Binge eating/drinking
 _____ Craving certain foods
 _____ Excessive weight
 _____ Compulsive eating
 _____ Water retention
 _____ Underweight
 Total: _____

ENERGY
 ACTIVITY
 _____ Fatigue, sluggishness
 _____ Apathy, lethargy
 _____ Hyperactivity
 _____ Restlessness
 Total: _____

POOR MEMORY
 _____ Poor memory
 _____ Confusion, poor comprehension
 _____ Poor concentration
 _____ Poor physical coordination
 _____ Difficulty in making decisions
 _____ Stuttering or stammering
 _____ Slurred speech
 _____ Learning disabilities
 Total: _____

EMOTIONS
 _____ Mood swings
 _____ Anxiety, fear, nervousness
 _____ Anger, irritability, aggressiveness
 _____ Depression
 Total: _____

OTHER
 _____ Frequent illness
 _____ Frequent or urgent urination
 _____ Genital itch or discharge
 Total: _____

GRAND TOTAL: _____

YEAST QUESTIONNAIRE--Adult

In section A circle the score for each YES answer. For Sections B and C score as indicated. Record total scores at the end of the questionnaire.

Section A -- History

- 1. Have you ever taken tetracycline (Sumycin, Panmycin, Vibramycin, Minocin, etc.) or other antibiotics for acne one month or longer?..... 35
- 2. Have you, at any time in your life, taken other "broad-spectrum" antibiotics for respiratory, urinary, or other infections for two months or longer or in shorter courses four or more times in a one year period?..... 35
- 3. Have you taken a "broad spectrum" antibiotic – even in a single course?..... 6
- 4. Have you, at any time in your life, been bothered by persistent prostatitis, vaginitis, or other problems affecting your reproductive organs?..... 25
- 5. Have you been pregnant: Two or more times?..... 5
One time? 3
- 6. Have you taken birth control pills:
More than two years?..... 15
Six months to two years?..... 8
- 7. Have you taken prednisone, Decadron, or other cortisone-type drugs for more than two weeks?..... 15
Two weeks or less?..... 6
- 8. Does exposure to perfumes, insecticides, fabric shop odors, and other chemicals provoke:
Moderate to severe symptoms?..... 20
Mild symptoms? 5
- 9. Are your symptoms worse on damp, muggy days or in moldy places? 20
- 10. Have you had athlete's foot, ring worm, jock itch or other chronic fungus infections of skin or nails:
Severe or persistent? 20
Mild to Moderate?..... 10
- 11. Do you crave sugar? 10
- 12. Do you crave bread? 10
- 13. Do you crave alcoholic beverages?..... 10
- 14. Does tobacco smoke really bother you?..... 10

Section B – Major Symptoms

Enter the appropriate score for each symptom below.
Occasional or mild.....3 points
Frequent and/or moderately severe6 points
Severe and/or disabling.....9 points

- 1. Fatigue and lethargy _____
- 2. Feeling of being drained _____
- 3. Poor memory _____
- 4. Feeling "spacey" or "unreal" _____
- 5. Depression _____
- 6. Numbness, burning, or tingling _____
- 7. Muscle aches _____
- 8. Muscle weakness or paralysis _____
- 9. Pain and/or swelling in joints _____
- 10. Abdominal pain _____
- 11. Constipation _____
- 12. Diarrhea _____
- 13. Bloating _____
- 14. Troublesome vaginal discharge _____
- 15. Persistent vaginal burning or itching _____
- 16. Prostatitis _____
- 17. Impotence _____
- 18. Loss of sexual desire _____
- 19. Endometriosis _____

- 20. Cramps and/or other menstrual irregularities _____
- 21. Premenstrual tension _____
- 22. Spots in front of the eyes _____
- 23. Erratic vision _____

Section C -- Other Symptoms

Enter the appropriate score for each symptom below.
Occasional or mild.....1 points
Frequent and/or moderately severe.....2 points
Severe and/or disabling.....3 points

- 1. Drowsiness _____
- 2. Irritability or jitteriness _____
- 3. Incoordination _____
- 4. Inability to concentrate _____
- 5. Frequent mood swings _____
- 6. Headache _____
- 7. Dizziness/loss of balance _____
- 8. Pressure above ears feeling of head swelling _____
- 9. Itching _____
- 10. Rashes _____
- 11. Heartburn _____
- 12. Indigestion _____
- 13. Belching and/or intestinal gas _____
- 14. Mucus in stools _____
- 15. Hemorrhoids _____
- 16. Dry mouth _____
- 17. Rash or blisters in mouth _____
- 18. Bad breath _____
- 19. Endometriosis _____
- 20. Nasal congestion or discharge _____
- 21. Postnasal drip _____
- 22. Nasal itching _____
- 23. Sore or dry throat _____
- 24. Cough _____
- 25. Pain or tightness in chest _____
- 26. Wheezing or shortness of breath _____
- 27. Urinary urgency or frequency _____
- 28. Burning on urination _____
- 29. Failing vision _____
- 30. Burning or tearing of eyes _____
- 31. Recurrent infections or fluid in ears _____
- 32. Ear pain or deafness _____

Scores: Section A _____ Section B _____ Section C _____
GRAND TOTAL SCORE: _____

The GRAND TOTAL SCORE will help to determine if your health problems are yeast connected. Scores in women will run higher because more questions apply only to women than to men.

Yeast connected health problems are almost CERTAINLY PRESENT in women with scores over 180, and in men with scores over 140.

Yeast connected health problems are PROBABLY PRESENT in women with scores over 120 and in men with scores over 90.

Yeast connected problems are POSSIBLY PRESENT in women with scores over 60 and in men with scores over 40.

Scores less than 60 in women and 40 in men: yeasts are less apt to cause health problems.