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New Patient Health History Questionnaire

Our ability to draw effective conclusions about your present state of health and how to improve it depends, to a significant extent on your ability to respond thoughtfully and accurately to both these written questions and those posed by the clinician during your consultations. Health issues are usually influenced by many factors. Accurately assessing all the factors and comprehensively managing them is the best way to deal with these health challenges. Your careful consideration of each of the following questions will enhance our efficiency and will provide for more effective use of your scheduled consultation time. Please have this back to us at least 48 hours prior to your visit.

You may fax it 800 692-9711, or email gay@netnutritionist.net. If you have any questions please call 214 244-0429 or email me at gay@netnutritionist.net.

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|----------------------------------|---------------|---|-------------------------|
| Name _____ | | | |
| Address: _____ | | City: _____ | State: _____ Zip: _____ |
| E-mail Address: _____ | | Fax Number: (_____) _____ - _____ | |
| Home Phone:(_____) _____ - _____ | | Work:(_____) _____ - _____ Cell:(_____) _____ - _____ | |
| Birthdate ____/____/____ | Age : _____ | Place of Birth : _____ | |
| month day year | | city/town (and country if not in US) | |
| Occupation: _____ | | Referred by: _____ | |
| Height: _____' _____" | Weight: _____ | Sex: _____ | Today's date _____ |

1. Please list the main reason(s) for seeking nutritional advice? _____

2. Please **rank** current/ongoing problems **by priority** and fill in the other boxes as completely as possible:

| DESCRIBE PROBLEM | MILD/MODERATE/SEVERE | TREATMENT | SUCCESS |
|--------------------------|----------------------|------------|----------|
| Example: Diarrhea | Moderate | medication | Moderate |
| a. | | | |
| b. | | | |
| c. | | | |
| d. | | | |
| e. | | | |
| f. | | | |

3. PAST MEDICAL AND SURGICAL HISTORY:

| ILLNESSES | WHEN | COMMENTS |
|--|-------------|-----------------|
| Anemia (type) | | |
| Arthritis | | |
| Asthma | | |
| Bronchitis | | |
| Cancer | | |
| Chronic Fatigue Syndrome | | |
| Crohn's Disease or Ulcerative Colitis | | |
| Diabetes | | |
| Emphysema | | |
| Epilepsy, Convulsions or Seizures | | |
| Gallstones | | |
| Gout | | |
| Heart Attack/Angina | | |
| Heart Failure | | |
| Hepatitis | | |
| High Blood Fats (cholesterol, triglycerides) | | |
| High Blood Pressure (hypertension) | | |
| Irritable Bowel | | |
| Kidney stones | | |
| Mononucleosis | | |
| Pneumonia | | |
| Sinusitis | | |
| Sleep Apnea | | |
| Stroke | | |
| Thyroid disease | | |
| Other (describe) | | |
| INJURIES | | |
| Back injury | | |
| Broken Bones | | |
| Head Injury | | |
| Neck Injury | | |
| Other (acute) ex: sprained muscle | | |
| Other (chronic) ex: bad knees | | |
| DIAGNOSTIC STUDIES | | |
| Bone Scan | | |
| CAT Scan | | |
| EKG | | |
| MRI | | |
| Upper/Lower GI Series | | |
| Other (describe) | | |
| OPERATIONS | | |
| Dental Surgery | | |
| Gallbladder | | |
| Hysterectomy | | |
| Tonsillectomy | | |
| Other (describe) | | |

4. Please indicate significant family medical history (ex: cancer, diabetes, heart disease, etc.)

Maternal side: _____

Paternal side: _____

5. Are your parents living? No Yes

If no, comment: _____

6. As an infant, were you: Breast fed? Formula fed?

7. Did you have any health issues as a child? No Yes-What age? _____

Describe: _____

8. What is your blood type? _____

9. As a **child**, were there foods you avoided? No Yes-(please specify below)

| Food | Symptoms |
|----------|----------------------|
| Ex: Milk | Ex: Gas and diarrhea |
| | |
| | |
| | |
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| | |

10. Please mark in the chart below with information about recent bowel movements:

| Frequency: | Color: |
|---|--------------------------|
| More than 3 times a day | Dark brown |
| 2-3 times a day | Medium brown |
| One time per day | Very dark or black |
| 4-6 times a week | Greenish |
| 2-3 times a week | Blood is visible |
| Once or fewer a week | Varies a lot |
| Consistency: | Yellow, light brown |
| Soft and well formed | Greasy, shiny appearance |
| Often float | |
| Difficult to pass | |
| Diarrhea | |
| Thin, long or narrow | |
| Small and hard | |
| Loose, but not watery | |
| Alternating between hard and loose/watery | |

11. Do you experience intestinal gas? (check all that apply)

present with pain foul smell little odor excessive daily occasionally

12. Do you experience anal itching? frequently occasionally rarely never

13. Have you ever been pregnant? No
Yes If yes, please answer the following:
a. Number of miscarriages:_____ b. Number of abortions:_____ c. Number of preemies:_____

d. Number of term births:_____ e. Birth weight of largest baby:_____ Smallest baby:_____

f. Did you develop toxemia? No Yes
g. Have you had any other problems with pregnancy? No Yes
If yes, describe:_____

14. Age of first mensus:_____

15. Date of last Pap Smear:_____ Normal Abnormal

16. Date of last Mammogram:_____ Normal Abnormal

17. Do you currently use contraception? No Yes-(type)_____

18. Are you currently taking birth control pills? No Yes-(how long?_____)

If you're on the pill please comment on physical or mental changes from before taking:

19. Do you currently or have you experienced PMS (i.e. water retention, breast tenderness, irritability, etc.)?
No Yes-(specify)_____

20. Are you in menopause? No Yes-(age of last period)_____

21. Do you take: Estrogen Testosterone Progeterone Other-(specify)_____

22. Do you have urinary problems? No Yes
If yes, please specify: Nightly urination Frequent day time urination Hesitancy
 Irregular Dribbling afterwards Frequent urge to urinate Difficulty
 Feeling of incomplete emptying Burning sensation

23. Do you have prostate swelling? No Yes

DENTAL:

24. Do you have amalgam (silver, black or grey) fillings? No Yes (how many?) _____

25. Have you every had fillings replaced?
No Yes-(how many?)_____ when?_____ with what material?_____

26. Do you have root canals? No Yes (how many?) _____

27. Have you had any cavities in the last 2 years? No Yes (how many?) _____

28. Do your gums ever bleed? No Yes-(how often?)_____

29. Do you ever grind your teeth? No Yes

30. Do you have any artificial joints or implants anywhere in the body or mouth? No Yes

SOCIAL:

31. How well have things been going for you lately?:

| | Great | Good | Could be better | Not very good | Does Not Apply |
|-------------------|-------|------|-----------------|---------------|----------------|
| a. school | | | | | |
| b. job | | | | | |
| c. social life | | | | | |
| d. close friends | | | | | |
| e. sex | | | | | |
| f. your attitude | | | | | |
| g. boy/girlfriend | | | | | |
| h. children | | | | | |
| i. parents | | | | | |
| j. spouse | | | | | |

32. With whom do you live? Describe.

33. What is the attitude of those close to you concerning your health?

- Supportive Not supportive Indifferent

34. Are you currently married, or have you ever been married? No Yes

If yes, when _____ If still, spouse's occupation: _____

Have you been separated or divorced? If yes, when? _____

Are you remarried? _____ Additional comments: _____

35. What are your hobbies and leisure activities? _____

36. Describe previous jobs/work: _____

37. Have you lived outside of the United States? No Yes If yes, where/when? _____

38. What is your total amount of travel by airplane, in the last year? _____

Estimated total in life: _____

39. Have you or your **family** recently experienced any major life changes? No Yes

If yes, please comment: _____

40. Have **you** experienced any major losses in your life? No Yes

If so, please comment: _____

41. Have you ever had psychotherapy or counseling? No Yes

If yes, what kind? _____ when? _____

Additional comments: _____

LIFESTYLE:

42. How important is religion (or spirituality) to you?
 Not at all important Somewhat important Extremely important
43. Do you meditate? occasionally often never
44. How much control do you feel you have over your current state of health? Rate 1-10 (none-all) _____
Comment: _____

45. How much time have you lost from work or school in the past year due to illness?
 0-2 days 3-5 days 6-14 days more
46. What is your usual bed time? _____ wake time? _____
47. How well do you sleep?
 Adequate-(sleep through the night) Wake up feeling well rested
 Trouble falling asleep Wake up still tired
 Trouble staying asleep-(How many times do you wake during the night? _____)
48. Check off typical bedtime activities:
 Watch television Read a book Listen to music Bed time snack
 Meditate Bathe/shower Drink alcohol Drink caffeinated beverage
Other-(specify) _____
49. Do you ever need to take a sleep aid?
Which one(s)? _____
How often? _____
50. Do you exercise regularly? No Yes-(specify):
 Once per week 2 times per week 3 times per week 4 times per week
Amount per session: less than 15 minutes 15-30 minutes 30-45 minutes > 45
 Other-(specify) _____
51. What type of exercises do you do?
 Jogging Walking Weight training Water sports Aerobics Yoga
Other-(specify) _____
52. Do you get sun exposure? No Yes-(specify) Daily Weekly How much? _____
53. Do you wear sun block? No Yes-(percentage of time) _____

ALLERGY & TOXIC POTENTIAL:

54. Do you have any pets or farm animals? No Yes
55. Where do they live? Indoors Outdoors Both
56. Do you have sinus problems? No Yes-(specify) When?
57. Nasal congestion? No Yes-(specify)
58. Itchy or watery eyes? No Yes-(specify)
59. Do odors such as perfume, cleaning solutions, smoke, etc. affect you? No Yes
If yes, explain: _____

60. Have you, to your knowledge, been exposed to toxic metals at your job or at home?
 No Yes: Lead Cadmium Arsenic Mercury Aluminum
 Explain: _____
61. To your knowledge, have you ever been exposed to an ongoing amount of any of the following?
 No Solvents Paints Pesticides Petrochemicals
 Coal Hydrocarbons Mold Other (specify): _____
62. Have past activities/hobbies exposed you to photography chemicals, paints, glues, or dyes?
 No Yes-(explain) _____
 How often do you wear dry cleaned clothing? _____
63. Do you have a regular lawn care service? No Yes-(how often?) _____
64. Do you regularly spray for pests outdoors? No Yes-(how often?) _____
65. Do you use bug spray (outside) or insecticides (indoors) on a regular basis? No Yes
66. How often are you exposed to burning coal, bonfires, fire pits, etc.? _____
67. Do you consume alcohol regularly now or did you consume alcohol regularly in the past?
 No Yes- Currently: 1-3 drinks per week 4-6 7-10 10 or more
 Yes- In the past: 1-3 drinks per week 4-6 7-10 10 or more
 If you have quit, when? _____
68. Have you ever used tobacco? No Yes-(specify) _____
 If yes, number of years: _____ Amount per day: _____ Year quit? _____
69. Are you now or were you ever regularly exposed to second hand smoke? No Yes When? _____
70. Have you ever used recreational drugs? No Yes-(specify) _____

MEDICATIONS & SUPPLEMENTS:

71. What medications are you taking now? Please also include non-prescription drugs you take **daily/regularly**.

| Medication Name | Purpose | Dosage | Start Date |
|-----------------|---------|--------|------------|
| 1. | | | |
| 2. | | | |
| 3. | | | |
| 4. | | | |
| 5. | | | |
| 6. | | | |

72. Do you take any other over the counter medications on an **occasional basis**?
 If yes, which one(s)? _____

73. Were you ever on antibiotics for a prolonged period of time? No Yes
 If yes, explain: _____

74. How many times have you taken antibiotics as an infant or child?
 Less than 5 times More than 5 times More than 10 time So many times I lost count
 Reason: _____

75. As an adult, how often do you take antibiotics?
 Never Once a year (on average) 1-3 times a year (on average)
 Longer-(explain) _____
 Why? _____

76. Fill in the chart below for how many times have you taken oral steroids (e.g. Cortisone, Prednisone, etc.)?

| | Less than 5 times | Greater than 5 times | Greater than 10 times |
|-------------------|-------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
| Infancy/Childhood | | | |
| Teen | | | |
| Adulthood | | | |

77. List all vitamins, minerals, and other nutritional supplements that you are currently taking. Indicate unit (mg or IU), and form (for example: calcium carbonate vs. calcium lactate).

***** **Please bring bottles with you to your appointment** *****

| Vitamin/Mineral/Supplement | Brand | Dosage | Start Date |
|----------------------------|-------|--------|------------|
| 1. | | | |
| 2. | | | |
| 3. | | | |
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| 5. | | | |
| 6. | | | |
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| 8. | | | |
| 9. | | | |
| 10. | | | |
| 11. | | | |
| 12. | | | |

DIETARY HABITS:

78. Are you currently on a special diet (i.e., vegetarian, South Beach, etc)? No Yes
 If yes, describe: _____

79. Usual Breakfast time: _____ Lunch time: _____ Dinner time: _____

80. How many cups (8 ounces) of water do you drink on a typical day? _____

81. Place a mark next to the food/drink that applies to a typical day of your current diet.

| Usual Breakfast | Usual Lunch | Usual Dinner |
|-----------------|-----------------------|-------------------|
| None | None | None |
| Cereal | Eat in cafeteria | Pasta |
| Wheat Bran | Eat in restaurant | Potato |
| Oatmeal | Leftovers | Brown rice |
| Toast | Meat sandwich | White rice |
| Bagel | Fish sandwich | Beans (legumes) |
| Sweet roll | Lettuce (on sandwich) | Fish |
| Donut | Tomato | Red Meat |
| Eggs | Salad | Poultry |
| Bacon/Sausage | Salad dressing | Salad |
| Fruit | Soup | Salad dressing |
| Yogurt | Fruit | Green vegetables |
| Milk | Yogurt | Carrots |
| Juice | Milk | Yellow vegetables |
| Tea | Juice | Milk |
| Coffee | Tea | Juice |
| Water | Coffee | Tea |
| Butter | Water | Coffee |
| Margarine | Regular soda | Water |
| Sugar | Diet soda | Regular soda |
| Sweetener | Butter | Diet soda |
| Leftovers | Margarine | Butter |
| Oil | Mayonnaise | Margarine |
| Nuts | Sugar | Sugar |
| | Sweetener | Sweetener |
| Other: | Other: | Other: |

82. How often and what portions do you eat of the following (ounces, cups, each, etc)?

| Food | Amount Per Day | Amount Per Week |
|--|----------------|-----------------|
| Candy | | |
| Cheese | | |
| Chocolate | | |
| Cups of caffeinated coffee | | |
| Cups of decaffeinated coffee | | |
| Cups of hot chocolate | | |
| Cups of tea (containing caffeine) | | |
| Diet sodas (cans) | | |
| Regular soda (cans) | | |
| Ice cream | | |
| Salty snacks | | |
| Slices white bread/rolls/1/2 bagel | | |
| Nuts | | |
| Fish (what kind prepared how?) | | |
| Oils (what kinds, how do you use them) | | |
| Vegetables (list) | | |
| Fruit (list) | | |
| Frozen entrees (what kind) | | |

83. Do you currently or typically have any symptoms **immediately after** eating? (For example: belching, fatigue, bloating, sneezing, hives, etc.? No Yes If yes, are these symptoms associated with any particular food that you are aware of? Explain:(example: Milk-gas cause diarrhea) _____

84. Do you feel you have **delayed symptoms** after eating certain foods, such as: fatigue, muscle aches, sinus congestion, etc.? *Delayed symptoms may not be evident for 24 hours or more after eating.*

No Yes

If yes, specify: _____

85. Do you feel **much worse** when you eat any of the following: (check all that apply)

- high fat foods refined sugar (junk foods) high protein foods fried foods
high carbohydrate foods 1 or 2 alcoholic drinks
 (breads, pastas, potatoes) Other (specify): _____

86. Do you feel **much better** when you eat a lot of: (check all that apply)

- high fat foods refined sugar (junk foods) high protein foods fried foods
high carbohydrate foods 1 or 2 alcoholic drinks
 (breads, pastas, potatoes) Other (specify): _____

87. Do you feel **worse** at certain times of the year? No Yes-(when? _____)

How do you feel? _____

88. Do you feel **better** at certain times of the year? No Yes-(when? _____)

How do you feel? _____

89. Does skipping a meal greatly affect your symptoms? No Yes

90. Do you ever crave or "binge" on certain foods? No Yes

Which foods, how often and comment on possible stressors/triggers? _____

91. Do you avoid certain foods for any reason? No Yes

Which foods and why? _____

91. How many times a day do you eat out in restaurants or take in? _____

92. What are your 3 most common convenience or restaurant foods? Please explain. _____

93. What are the same foods that you eat everyday? _____

94. Do you eat differently during the week than you do on weekends? _____

Food Frequency List

Please indicate the **approximate number of times** you have eaten these foods in a typical week. For each section you may **cross out** food/beverages seldom consumed, and **circle** foods/beverages you do eat.

| Consumed in the past 7 days | Number of Times | Consumed in the past 7 days | Number of Times |
|---|-----------------|--|-----------------|
| Vegetables: Dark green leafy: spinach, Romaine, leaf lettuce, Caesar Salad, etc. | | Fish: (list): fresh, fried or canned? | |
| Iceberg lettuce or bagged salad combos , celery cucumbers, zucchini | | Poultry: Chicken: dark meat, breast Turkey: dark meat, breast, lunch meat, turkey bacon | |
| Broccoli , Brussels sprouts, cabbage/coleslaw, kale, turnip or mustard greens | | Beef: hamburgers, steak meatloaf, stew, chili Is it usually regular, lean, grass fed or organic? | |
| Fresh/frozen mixed veggies: corn, green beans, peas | | Pork: ham, sausage, bacon | |
| Yellow-orange veg: carrots, squash, sweet potatoes | | Hot dogs: beef or turkey, bratwurst, italian sausage, etc. | |
| Tomatoes , pasta sauce, tomato juice, V-8, salsa, etc | | Fried foods: fries, chicken, etc. | |
| Fresh vegetable juices: | | Lunchables® , bologna , salami , etc. | |
| Other: ORGANIC? | | Vegetarian foods: (list): | |
| | | Indian Vegetarian foods: (list): | |
| Fruits: (check): banana pear apple grapes kiwi Other: | | Beans, legumes, peas: bean/lentil soup, bean burritos, veg chili, split pea soup, etc. | |
| Berries (list): | | Vegetarian foods: (list): | |
| Canned/jar fruit: applesauce, pears, peaches | | Veggie burgers , TVP , tofu , tempeh , seitan , Quorn® products , etc. | |
| Dried fruits: | | Raw nuts/seeds: almonds, sunflower seeds, pecans, walnuts, etc. | |
| | | Trail mix , roasted salted nuts | |
| Wheat bread: rolls, buns, sandwiches, pita, bagel White, whole grain, low carb, spelt, Ezekiel® | | Peanuts , peanut butter, almond butter, tahini, etc | |
| Cold cereal (list): | | Protein powders: soy whey egg rice | |
| Hot cereal (list): | | Protein: liquid (ready-to-drink) | |
| Pancakes , waffles tortillas: corn or flour | | Flax seed meal or flax oil, cod liver oil? | |
| Muffins , donuts, sweet rolls, granola bars | | Butter: ORGANIC? | |
| Pretzels , crackers, etc. | | Margarine: (list brand): | |
| Gluten-free foods: | | Potato chips , Fritos®, Doritos®, Pringles®, etc. | |
| Rice: | | Popcorn: prepackaged or homemade? | |
| Potatoes: mashed boiled baked Red White | | Candy (list): | |
| Pasta: spaghetti, lasagna, macaroni, pasta salad, etc. | | Pie, cake, cookies, other snacks (list): | |
| | | Gum , breath mints: regular or sugarless? | |
| Eggs: whole whites only | | Coffee/espresso drink? Regular or decaf? # of 8oz cups? | |
| Dairy: Cow's milk: skim 2% whole ORGANIC? | | Tea: black, green, white, herbal infusion. | |
| Yogurt, cheese , nachos, cottage cheese ORGANIC? | | Sugar or no/low calorie sweetener? (list): | |
| Pizza: sausage, peperoni, vegetable, etc. | | Soda pop: regular or diet? (list): | |
| Ice cream, frozen yogurt , shakes, malts, etc. | | Alcohol beverage: wine, beer, hard liquor | |
| Soy milk, goat milk, rice milk, almond milk | | | |
| Circle other frequent foods: Frozen/microwave meals: Weight Watchers® Lean Cuisine® Healthy Choice® Mexican cuisine Indian cuisine Chinese/Thai Vegetarian Atkins® Low carb SlimFast® Other: | | | |
| Average daily water intake in 8 oz glasses (not counting soda pop or coffee): 1-2 3-4 5-6 7-8 9-10 | | | |
| Is it: tap water filtered tap water spring water distilled other If filtered, how? | | | |

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Date

Signature, individually

Date

Signature, on behalf of

My _____