

NEW PATIENT QUESTIONNAIRE: ADULTS

INSTRUCTIONS: Carefully complete all 3 pages of this form in full. Relate all answers to your own experience.

NAME: _____ AGE: _____ DOB: _____ DATE: _____

Referred by: _____ Your primary physician is: _____
Address (if not local): _____

Circle the allergy problem(s) that you have:

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| Runny / stuffy nose (hay fever) | Sinusitis | Insect allergy | Eye or ear problems |
| Asthma | Eczema / rash | Drug allergy | Headache |
| Cough | Hives or swelling | Food allergy | Frequent infections |

The major problem you wish to discuss is: _____

List all prescription and over the counter medications you are now using (name & dosage):

List medications you have tried in the past for your allergy problems: _____

Are you allergic to any medicines? List drug, type of reaction and year: _____

I. Symptoms

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| Eyes: Itch___ | Swell___ | Burn___ | Tear___ | Discharge___ | Dry___ |
| Ears: Itch___ | Fullness___ | Popping___ | ↓ hearing___ | Pain___ | Ringing___ |
| Nose: Sneeze___ | Itch___ | Runs___ | Stuffy___ | Mouth breather___ | |
| | Snoring___ | Headache___ | Decreased smell___ | Decreased taste___ | |
| Throat: Itch___ | Sore___ | Post nasal drip___ | Throat clearing___ | Swelling___ | |
| Chest: Cough___ | Phlegm___ | Hoarseness___ | Asthma diagnosed by a physician___ | | |
| | Wheezing___ | Heartburn___ | Chest Tightness___ | Shortness of breath with exercise___ | |
| Skin: Eczema___ | Hives___ | Swelling___ | Rashes__ where on body?_____ | | |

A. Respiratory allergies

1. Age of onset of your hay fever _____, and/or asthma _____
2. Do you have daily symptoms? _____
3. What time of year are your allergies or asthma worse? (please list months) _____
4. What time of day or night is the worst for your symptoms? _____
5. Does any particular exposure (e.g.cat, smoke, weather change, work, school) make you worse?(list) _____
6. Do you get sinus infections (yellow/green nasal drainage, pain, etc.)? _____ How often? _____
How is it usually treated? _____
7. Have you had nose or sinus surgery? _____

8. Have you been told by a physician that you have nasal polyps? _____
 9. Have you ever been hospitalized for your asthma? _____ Emergency room? _____

B. Insect allergy

Have you had a severe allergic reaction to a stinging insect (bee, wasp, yellow jacket, hornet, fire ant)?
 (explain) _____

C. Food allergies

Please list all foods and reaction they cause: _____

D. Have you had hives (welts) before? (when and for how long) _____

E. Have you had eczema (red, scaly, itchy skin) previously? _____

F. Are you sensitive to latex or rubber products? (explain) _____

II. Previous Allergy Evaluation and Treatment

A. Name of allergist and city _____

B. Were you tested for allergies by skin test or blood test? _____ When _____ Results: _____

C. Have you received allergy shots? _____ When, how long: _____

D. Have you ever had steroid pills (dosepak, Prednisone) or shots (cortisone)? _____ When _____

III. Past Medical History

- A. Medical problems: (please circle)
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| Diabetes | Thyroid problem | High cholesterol |
| Prostate Heart disease | Glaucoma | High blood pressure |
| Abnormal chest x-ray | Stomach ulcer | Hiatal hernia |
| Positive Tb test | Arthritis | Hepatitis |
| Cancer | HIV / AIDS | GERD (acid reflux) |
| | Other: _____ | |

B. Please list all important operations and other hospitalizations that you have had: _____

C. Have you ever had a blood transfusion? _____

D. Have you had a chest x-ray, sinus x-ray, breathing test, blood tests? Comment on results. _____

E. When was your last tetanus vaccination? (every 10 years) _____

F. Do you receive the flu vaccine yearly? _____

G. Have you received the Pneumovax? (pneumonia vaccine) _____

IV. Family History

A. How many siblings do you have? _____ brothers, _____ sisters. How many children? _____ boys, _____ girls

B. Do these people or your parents have any of the allergy problems mentioned above? (list and comment) _____

C. Are there any hereditary diseases or other disorders that seem to occur frequently in your family? _____

V. Personal and Environmental History

A. Do you presently smoke? (how much and how long) _____

B. Have you ever smoked? (how much and how long) _____ Quit: _____ years ago

C. Are there smokers other than yourself at home? _____, how many _____

- D. Do you have animals at home? (type and for how long) _____
- E. Do you have mostly wall-to-wall carpeting in your home? _____ In your bedroom? _____
- F. What is your occupation? _____
- Are you exposed to any toxic chemicals, noxious substances at work? _____
- Has your problem caused you to miss work? _____
- G. How much alcohol do you drink? _____
- H. Do you use recreational drugs? (this is confidential) _____
- I. How long have you lived in the area? _____ If not here year round, other home is in _____
- J. How many other people live in your home? _____ Are you: married / single / separated / divorced / widow
- K. Do you have a standard mattress? _____ or waterbed? _____
- L. Do your symptoms become better or worse on vacations or at the beach? _____
- M. What are your daily activities, hobbies? _____

VI. Review of Systems: Do you have any of the following? (check)

General

- weight loss
- fever
- night sweats
- loss of appetite
- dry mouth
- snoring

Eyes and ears

- dry eyes
- change in vision
- trouble hearing
- ringing in ears

Skin

- skin rashes

Endocrine

- cold / heat intolerance
- increased thirst
- frequent urination

Gastrointestinal

- nausea / vomiting
- diarrhea
- change in bowel habits
- trouble swallowing
- heartburn

Cardiovascular

- chest pain
- chest pain with exercise
- calf pain with exercise
- ankle swelling

Neurological

- weakness / clumsiness
- tingling/numbness of extremities

Psychological

- fearful, anxious
- excessive worry
- trouble sleeping

Kidney

- trouble starting urine
- loss of urine with cough / sneeze
- frequent nighttime urination

Blood

- anemia (low blood)
- bleed or bruise easily
- swollen lymph nodes

Musculoskeletal

- morning joint stiffness and aching
- painful, swollen joints
- muscle tenderness or pain
- muscle weakness
- abnormal bone density

Gynecological

- excess bleeding
- changes in menstrual cycle
- post-menopausal

VII. Additional Information

Anything else you want to discuss during your initial visit?
