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# PERSONAL INJURY PATIENT HISTORY

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Patient Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## 30 HISTORY OF OCCURRENCE

10 Date of Accident: \_\_\_\_\_ Time: \_\_\_\_:\_\_\_\_  am  pm Driver of car: \_\_\_\_\_

Where were you seated?  Driver's seat  Right front passenger seat  Front middle passenger  
 Rear right passenger  Rear middle passenger  Rear left passenger  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Who owns the car? \_\_\_\_\_ Year & Model of car: \_\_\_\_\_

15 What was the approximate damage done to the car you were in? \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Visibility at the time of accident:  Poor  Fair  Good  
Road conditions at time of accident:  Icy  Rainy & wet  Clear  Dark  
Your car:  Hit another car  Was hit in the:  Right  Left  Rear  Front  Side  
Type of accident:  Head-on collision  Broadside collision  Rear-end collision  
 Front impact; rear-ended car in front  Non-collision (explain) \_\_\_\_\_

## 40 IMPACT / SEATBELT / HEADREST / SPEED

10 Describe in your own words what happened to you upon impact: \_\_\_\_\_

Were you prewarned that the accident was about to happen?  Yes  No

Did you brace for the impact?  Yes  No

Did you wear your seat belt / shoulder harness?  Yes  No

20 Does this car have headrests?  Yes  No

30 If yes, what was the position of those headrests compared to you head before the accident?

Top of headrest even with **bottom** of the head  Top of headrest even with **top** of the head

Top of headrest even with **middle** of the neck

35 Was the car equipped with an airbag where you were seated?  Yes  No

36 If yes, did the airbag inflate?  Yes  No

37 If yes, were you injured by the inflated airbag?  Yes  No

38 If yes, what were the injuries? \_\_\_\_\_

40 Was your car braking?  Yes  No

50 Was your car moving at the time of accident?  Yes  No

60 If yes, how fast would you estimate you were moving? \_\_\_\_\_ mph (estimate)

70 How fast was the other car traveling? \_\_\_\_\_ mph (estimate)

## HEAD & BODY POSITION / ABILITY TO MOVE

10 Head / Body position at the time of impact:  Head turned:  Right  Left  Head looking back

Head straight forward  Body straight in sitting position  Body rotated:  Right  Left

20 At the time of impact, recall what parts of your head or body hit what part on the inside of your car: \_\_\_\_\_

30 As a result of the accident were you:  Rendered unconscious  Dazed, circumstances vague

Shaken up but still could function

40 Could you move all parts of your body?  Yes  No

50 If no, what body parts could you not move and why? \_\_\_\_\_

60 Were you able to get out of the car and walk unaided?  Yes  No

70 If no, why couldn't you get out of the car and walk unaided? \_\_\_\_\_

80 Did you receive any medical assistance at the scene of the accident?  Yes  No

**60 SYMPTOMS FROM ACCIDENT**

- 10 Did you get any bleeding cuts or bruises?  No
- 20 If yes, what **bleeding cuts** did you get from this accident? \_\_\_\_\_  
 If yes, what **bruises** did you get from this accident? \_\_\_\_\_
- 30 Describe how you felt. **PLEASE BE SPECIFIC**  
 Immediately after the accident: \_\_\_\_\_
- 40 Later that  Day  Night: \_\_\_\_\_
- 50 The next days: \_\_\_\_\_
- 60 Check symptoms apparent since the accident:
 

<input type="checkbox"/> Headache	<input type="checkbox"/> Dizziness	<input type="checkbox"/> Loss of memory	<input type="checkbox"/> Sleeping problems	<input type="checkbox"/> Constipation
<input type="checkbox"/> Neck pain/stiffness	<input type="checkbox"/> Fainting	<input type="checkbox"/> Fatigue	<input type="checkbox"/> Numb toes	<input type="checkbox"/> Nervousness
<input type="checkbox"/> Midback pain	<input type="checkbox"/> Ringing in the ear	<input type="checkbox"/> Tension	<input type="checkbox"/> Numb fingers	<input type="checkbox"/> Chest Pain
<input type="checkbox"/> Low back pain	<input type="checkbox"/> Loss of balance	<input type="checkbox"/> Shortness of breath	<input type="checkbox"/> Cold hands	<input type="checkbox"/> Cold sweats
<input type="checkbox"/> Sensitivity to light	<input type="checkbox"/> Loss of smell	<input type="checkbox"/> Irritability	<input type="checkbox"/> Cold feet	<input type="checkbox"/> Anxiety
<input type="checkbox"/> Pain behind eyes	<input type="checkbox"/> Loss of taste	<input type="checkbox"/> Depression	<input type="checkbox"/> Diarrhea	

**70 WORK STATUS HISTORY**

- 10 Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_ Employer: \_\_\_\_\_
- 20 Have you missed time from work?  Yes  No
- 30-40 If yes, How many hours of full-time employment missed: \_\_\_\_\_
- 50 If yes, Part-time hours missed: \_\_\_\_\_
- 60  Have been unable to work since the date of accident.

**80 FIRST DOCTOR / HOSPITAL / CLINIC SEEN**

- 10 Did you go to seek medical help immediately or soon after the accident?  No
- 15 If yes, who did you first get treatment from? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of first visit: \_\_\_\_\_ Doctor name: \_\_\_\_\_
- 20 Were you examined?  Yes  No      Were X-rays taken?  Yes  No
- 30 Were you given treatment or medication?  Yes  No
- 40 If yes, what treatment was given? \_\_\_\_\_  
 What benefits did you receive from the treatment? \_\_\_\_\_
- 50 Date of last treatment? \_\_\_\_\_

**90 SECOND DOCTOR / CLINIC SEEN**

- 10 Second doctor or clinic seen: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of first visit: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Were you examined?  Yes  No      Were X-rays taken?  Yes  No
- 20 Were you given treatment or medication?  Yes  No
- 30 If yes, what treatment was given? \_\_\_\_\_  
 What benefits did you receive from the treatment? \_\_\_\_\_
- 40 Date of last treatment? \_\_\_\_\_

**100 THIRD DOCTOR / CLINIC SEEN**

- 10 Third doctor or clinic seen: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of first visit: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Were you examined?  Yes  No      Were X-rays taken?  Yes  No
- 20 Were you given treatment or medication?  Yes  No
- 30 If yes, what treatment was given? \_\_\_\_\_  
 What benefits did you receive from the treatment? \_\_\_\_\_
- 40 Date of last treatment? \_\_\_\_\_

**110 PRIOR SIMILAR SYMPTOMS**

10 Did you have any physical complaints just before the accident?  Yes  No

20 If yes what physical symptoms did you have just before the accident? \_\_\_\_\_

**30 PRIOR** to this accident, have you **EVER** had symptoms similar to what you're experiencing now?  No

40 If yes, please explain (briefly include past falls, injuries, accidents, operations, etc.): \_\_\_\_\_

**120 ACTIVITIES OF DAILY LIVING**

10 Do you notice any of you home activities that are different now than before the accident?  Yes  No

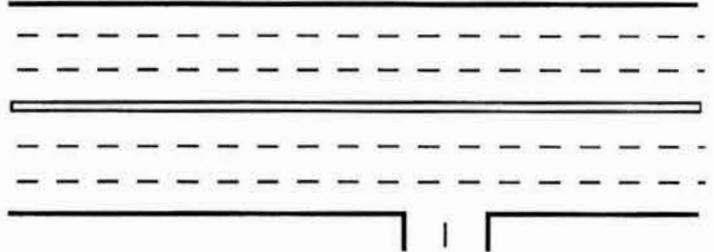
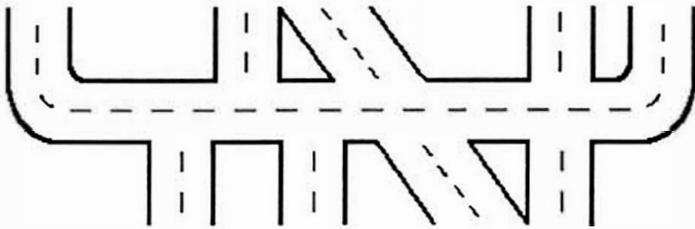
20 If yes, list them as:

30 Those activities that you are now unable to do are (be specific): \_\_\_\_\_

40 Those activities that are now painful to do are (be specific): \_\_\_\_\_

50 Those activities that are now difficult to do are (be specific): \_\_\_\_\_

**INDICATE ON THIS DIAGRAM HOW THE ACCIDENT HAPPENED - (NOTE THE CAR YOU WERE IN AS CAR "A")**



**ATTORNEY ON CASE**

Do you have an attorney on this case?  No

If yes, who? Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

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

**AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT - INSURANCE DATA**

**Patient's Insurance Company Information - (You)**

Insurance Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Policy #: \_\_\_\_\_ Claim #: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ ST: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Adjuster's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Insured's Insurance Information - (Driver of car you were in - if not you)**

Insured's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Insurance Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Policy #: \_\_\_\_\_ Claim #: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ ST: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Adjuster's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Other Driver's Insurance Information - (Other car's driver - if another car was involved)**

Other Drover's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Insurance Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Policy #: \_\_\_\_\_ Claim #: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ ST: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Adjuster's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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# SUBJECTIVE COMPLAINTS

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- 10 Explain **WHEN** and **HOW** it happened: \_\_\_\_\_
- 20 COMPLAINTS/SYMPTOMS:  Come and go  Came on gradually  Came on suddenly
- 30 Symptoms have persisted for:  Hours  1 Day  Days  Weeks  Months  Years
- 40 Symptoms developed from:  A work-related injury  An auto accident  Neither a work or auto accident
- 50 PRESENT COMPLAINTS--PLEASE BE SPECIFIC: \_\_\_\_\_

60 **PAIN LEVEL:** On a scale of 0-10, with 0 being you're pain free and can function quite well, and 10 being you're in excruciating pain all the time, where would you rate the intensity of your pain?

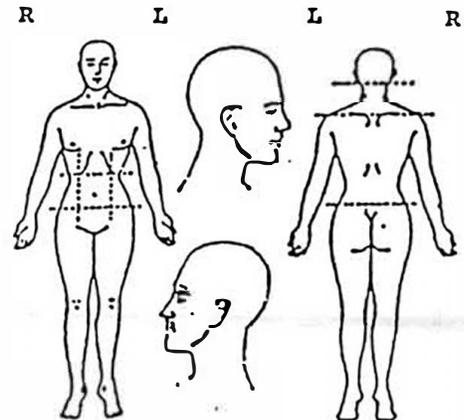
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	NO PAIN		LOW PAIN			MODERATE PAIN			INTENSE PAIN		EXCRUCIATING PAIN

- 70 What makes your condition worse?  Nothing  Lifting  Trying to stand  Standing  Walking  Sitting  Movement  Exercise  Inactivity  Work activities  Home activities  Other
- 80 What makes your condition better?  Nothing  Standing  Walking  Sitting  Movement  Exercise  Inactivity  Lying down  Sleep  Hot shower/bath  Stretching  Other
- 90 Have you ever had this condition/problem before?  No
- 100 If yes, when? \_\_\_\_\_
- 110 Give name(s) of doctor(s) previously seen for this present condition \_\_\_\_\_
- 120 What medications are you presently taking? \_\_\_\_\_

130- ABILITY TO PERFORM THE FOLLOWING ACTIVITIES:  
 160 CODES: U=Unable/130 P=Painful/140 D=Difficult/150 L=Limited/150 N=Normal/160

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|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Coughing or sneezing              | <input type="checkbox"/> Climbing        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Getting in or out of a car        | <input type="checkbox"/> Kneeling        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bending over forward              | <input type="checkbox"/> Balancing       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Putting on clothes                | <input type="checkbox"/> Sitting         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Putting on shoes                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Looking back    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Turning over in bed               | <input type="checkbox"/> Sleeping        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Getting out of bed                | <input type="checkbox"/> Stooping        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Standing for more than 10 minutes | <input type="checkbox"/> Gripping        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Standing for more than 60 minutes | <input type="checkbox"/> Pushing         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Walking short distances           | <input type="checkbox"/> Pulling         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Lying flat on stomach             | <input type="checkbox"/> Reaching        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Lying on side with knees bent     | <input type="checkbox"/> Sexual Activity |

230 SHADE AND CODE AREA(S) OF COMPLAINT:  
 USE CODES: P=Pain N=Numb S=Spasm



170 CHECK YOUR NERVOUS SYSTEM COMPLAINTS

- |  |   |
|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Blurring vision             | <input type="checkbox"/> Headaches                              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Buzzing or ringing in ears  | <input type="checkbox"/> How often do you have headaches? _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Confusion                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Loss of sleep                          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Convulsions                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Low resistance                         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Depression or crying spells | <input type="checkbox"/> Muscle jerking                         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dizziness                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Numbness                               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fainting                    |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Paralysis                   |   |

240 (WOMEN ONLY) Are you pregnant? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of onset of last menstrual cycle \_\_\_\_\_

250 Give date of last X-rays: \_\_\_\_\_  
 What body parts were they taken of? \_\_\_\_\_

- 180 Symptoms are **BETTER** in:  AM  Midday  PM
- 190 Symptoms are **WORSE** in:  AM  Midday  PM
- 200 Symptoms do not change with time of day

210- FAMILY HISTORY: (heart/lung/back/neck problems)

- 220 Father: \_\_\_\_\_ Brother(s): \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mother: \_\_\_\_\_ Sister(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_