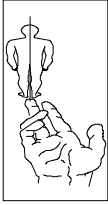


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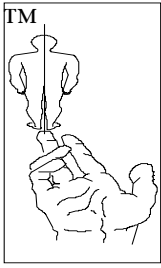
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Your first visit.

1. Please fill out the office forms enclosed.
2. Dr. Mincey or another authorized person will review your history.
3. You will be examined by Dr. Mincey
4. Any necessary tests will be ordered or performed.
5. After examination and testing the visit will end and another visit will be scheduled.
6. This process may take anywhere from as long as one hour.
7. During this second visit Dr. Mincey will review all of the findings from testing and examination. At this time we will determine whether we will accept your case. If so then treatment options will be presented to you as well as the estimated cost and time frame of treatment. You will be given an opportunity to get all of your questions answered at this time.
8. Extended treatment will not be given on the first visit.

Expectations

We understand that you have the expectation to get well and that is the goal of this care. As with all types of health care and medical care there are no guarantees made in any way shape or form except that we will do everything possible to help your body heal itself and when we have done all we can we will let you know and advise you of other options. Our success rate of helping people in this office is about 90-95%. With regard to how long it will take to heal, in some cases healing seems almost instant while in others it is more gradual. There are many variables that impact healing time these include your compliance with Dr.'s recommendations, overall lifestyle, diet and other factors that may be unique to you. **(Please remove all jewelry and turn off cell phones before entering examination room.)**



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Financial Policies

Accounts Receivable Policy Letter

We first want to thank you for choosing Integrated HealthCare LLC as your healthcare provider. We consider it a privilege to serve you.

With service in mind, effective **09/30/2005**, we are advising new patients, and updating existing patients, to our new payment and billing policies to avoid possible misunderstandings or difficulties at a later date.

By far the majority of our patients regularly pay their accounts within a reasonable amount of time. In order to insure the level of service you require and deserve, without added cost, we have integrated a new program to hold down our operating expenses. Our new payment policy and program ensures that **your account** will not be penalized to cover costs incurred by us from those who do not pay in a timely manner. The accounts receivable policy that we follow states that:

1. **Insurance.** If you *are not* insured by a plan with which we are participating, payment in full is expected at each visit. If you are insured by a plan with which we are participating, but don't have an up-to-date insurance card, payment in full for each visit is required until we can verify your coverage. Knowing your insurance benefits is your responsibility. Please contact your insurance company with any questions you may have regarding your coverage.
2. **Co-payments and deductibles.** All co-payments and deductibles must be paid at the time of service. This arrangement is part of your contract with your insurance company. Failure on our part to collect co-payments and deductibles from patients can be considered fraud. Please help us in upholding the law by paying your co-payment at each visit. **Account balances over 30 (thirty) days are subject to interest charges of 1 ½% per month (18% per year). Unpaid accounts reaching 60 days will be automatically transferred to Transworld Systems, Inc. for the purposes of collecting on your account. An additional fee of \$10.00 will be added to your accounts and is due in addition to any balance and interest charges owed.**
3. **Non-covered services.** Please be aware that some, and perhaps all, of the services you receive may be non-covered or not considered reasonable or medically necessary by your insurance company. If you still opt to receive these services, you must pay for them in full at the time of your visit unless other arrangements have been made *prior* to receiving them.
4. **Proof of insurance.** All patients must complete our patient information form before seeing the doctor. We must obtain a copy of your driver's license and current valid insurance to provide proof of insurance.

We thank you in advance for your understanding, support and agreement in this matter.

If you have any questions regarding this policy, or would like to discuss your account at any time, please feel free to contact LaTisha or Dr. Mincey at 973-744-1155 to arrange a confidential review of your personal account.

Sincerely,

Tyran G. Mincey D.C.
Chiropractic Physician

For cash payers

First visit: *Initial Exam* cost \$210.00

Duration is dependent on patient's presentation.

Description

1. Taking of a detailed history

- 2. A Comprehensive physical examination (blood pressure etc), complaint oriented examination. Chiropractic examination of spine, muscles and nervous system and entire body.
- 3. Applied kinesiology examination which includes meridian examination,
- 4. Minor diagnostic testing such as Spirometry, Ph of saliva, Zinc deficiency, Homocysteine screening, nerve balance screening, aerobic deficiency screening, electrolyte imbalances, emotional screening, Body fat testing. Other examinations may be needed depending on individual need.
- 5. Any other Lab tests and X-rays will be extra if needed.

Second visit Cost \$75.00

Description: Review of findings: presentation of case, with a treatment plan, outline of the time, expectations, and whether or not we will accept your case, referrals are made if need be.

Third visit and any thereafter Cost \$65.00-\$150.00

Description: Our goal each and every visit is to balance the nervous system. We do this using a variety of therapies and do not charge cash payers by therapy type. This may include recommendations for supplementation, lifestyle changes, exercises, total hands on muscle, and joint adjusting, accupressure, reflexology, use of essential oils etc. Extended visits are available; ask Dr. Mincey.

For patients who have insurance everything above applies except that the insurers may not pay for certain therapies and we must bill what is reasonable and customary by therapy. So you may be required to pay a portion of the care that your insurer will not underwrite. Dr. Mincey will advise you as such prior to beginning any treatment. A portion of the initial examination may not be paid for.

I _____ have read and understand and agree to abide by the terms as outlined and applying to the office of Integrated Health care, LLC. I understand that if my insurer will not cover costs of services that I am responsible and agree to pay them.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Print name _____ Date _____

Name _____ Phone number _____ Work number _____

Address (include city, state and zip)

Date of birth _____ Age _____ M _____ F _____ Marital status _____ No. of children _____

Occupation _____ Referred by _____

Soc. Sec# _____ - ____ - ____ email address _____ @ _____ . _____

Please check the appropriate space for any of the following symptoms that you now have or have had previously. This is a confidential health questionnaire.

O = Occasional F = Frequent C = Constant

O F C General

- Allergy
- Chills
- Convulsions
- Dizziness
- Fainting
- Fatigue
- Fever
- Headaches
- Insomnia
- Excess weight loss
- Excess weight gain
- Nervousness
- Depression
- Sweats
- Tremors

Muscle and joint

- Arthritis
- Foot trouble
- Hernia
- Low back pain
- Neck pain
- Poor posture
- Sciatica
- Pain/Numbness in:
 - Shoulders
 - Arms
 - Elbows
 - Wrists/Hand
 - Hips
 - Legs
 - Knees
 - Feet

O F C Gastrointestinal

- Belching or gas
- Colitis
- Constipation
- Diarrhea
- Indigestion
- Distention
- Excess hunger
- Gallbladder problems
- Hemorrhoids
- Liver problems
- Nausea
- Stomach pain
- Poor appetite
- Vomiting

EENT

- Asthma
- Colds/Flu
- Crossed eyes
- Deafness
- Dental decay
- Ear problems
- Enlarged glands
- Eye pain
- Near-sightedness
- Far-sightedness
- Gum problems
- Hay fever
- Hoarseness
- Nasal obstruction
- Nosebleeds
- Sinus problems
- Sore throats

O F C Cardiorespiratory

- Blood pressure:
 - High
 - Low
- High cholesterol
- Chest pain
- Poor circulation
- Rapid pulse
- Slow pulse
- Ankle swelling
- Chronic cough
- Difficulty breathing
- Wheezing

Spitting up:

- Blood
- Phlegm

Skin

- Boils
- Bruise easily
- Dryness
- Hives or rash
- Itching
- Varicose veins

Genitourinary

- Bed-wetting
- Blood in urine
- Frequent urination
- Painful urination
- Pus in urine
- Kidney stones
- Prostate problems

For women only:

Date of last period (day 1): _____

Birth control: _____

- Menstrual problems
- Hot flashes
- Irregular cycle
- Menopausal symptoms

What is your major complaint? _____

How long have you had this condition? _____

Have you had this or similar conditions in the past? _____

Is this problem getting worse? _____ Constant? _____ Worse in morning? _____ Evening? _____

Is this interfering with work? _____ Sleep? _____ Exercise? _____ Other? _____

What do you believe is wrong with you? _____

List other problems you have now _____

List past operations and dates _____

Have you ever been hospitalized other than for surgery? _____

Have you ever had any mental or emotional disorder? _____

Have you had any other injury in the past two years? _____

Are you taking medication? _____ Describe _____

Are you taking nutritional supplements? _____ Describe _____

Are you allergic to any foods, drugs, etc? _____

Do you have any dental problems? _____ Dr.: _____

Do you wear arch supports? _____ Heel lifts? _____ Special shoes? _____ What is your shoe size? _____

Date of your last physical exam? _____ Dr.: _____

Habits (describe with amounts):

Alcohol _____ Coffee _____

Cigarettes _____ Drugs not listed above _____

Describe your present exercise habits (or attach additional page): _____

Please list the main health problems in your family:

Name:	Relation:	Problem:
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

In case of emergency, please list the name and number of a friend or relative NOT living with you:

Your signature: _____ Date: _____

Patient _____ **Doctor** _____ **Date** _____

Instructions: Number the boxes that apply to you. Use (1) for MILD symptoms (occurring once or twice a year), (2) for MODERATE symptoms (occurring several times a year), and (3) for SEVERE symptoms (you are aware of the symptom almost constantly).

1. <input type="checkbox"/> Acid foods upset 2. <input type="checkbox"/> Get chilled often 3. <input type="checkbox"/> "Lump" in throat 4. <input type="checkbox"/> Dry mouth/eyes/nose 5. <input type="checkbox"/> Pulse speeds after meal 6. <input type="checkbox"/> Keyed up—fail to calm 7. <input type="checkbox"/> Cuts heal slowly	GROUP ONE	14. <input type="checkbox"/> "Nervous" stomach 15. <input type="checkbox"/> Appetite reduced 16. <input type="checkbox"/> Cold sweat often 17. <input type="checkbox"/> Fever easily raised 18. <input type="checkbox"/> Neuralgia-like pains 19. <input type="checkbox"/> Staring, blink little 20. <input type="checkbox"/> Sour stomach frequently
21. <input type="checkbox"/> Joint stiffness after arising 22. <input type="checkbox"/> Muscle/leg/ toe cramps at night 23. <input type="checkbox"/> "Butterfly" stomach, cramps 24. <input type="checkbox"/> Eyes or nose watery 25. <input type="checkbox"/> Eyes blink often 26. <input type="checkbox"/> Eyelids swollen, puffy 27. <input type="checkbox"/> Indigestion soon after meal	GROUP TWO	35. <input type="checkbox"/> Difficulty swallowing 36. <input type="checkbox"/> Constipation, diarrhea alternating 37. <input type="checkbox"/> "Slow Starter" 38. <input type="checkbox"/> Get "Chilled frequently 39. <input type="checkbox"/> Perspire easily 40. <input type="checkbox"/> Circulation poor, sensitive in cold 41. <input type="checkbox"/> Subject to colds, asthma, bronchitis
42. <input type="checkbox"/> Eat when nervous 43. <input type="checkbox"/> Excessive appetite 44. <input type="checkbox"/> Hungry between meals 45. <input type="checkbox"/> Irritable before meals 46. <input type="checkbox"/> Get "Shaky" if hungry 47. <input type="checkbox"/> Fatigue, eating relieves 48. <input type="checkbox"/> "Lightheaded" if meals delayed	GROUP THREE	53. <input type="checkbox"/> Crave candy or coffee in afternoon 54. <input type="checkbox"/> Moods of depression—"blues" or melancholy 55. <input type="checkbox"/> Abnormal craving for sweets or snacks
56. <input type="checkbox"/> Hands and feet go to sleep easily, numbness 57. <input type="checkbox"/> Sigh frequently, "air hunger" 58. <input type="checkbox"/> Aware of "breathing heavily" 59. <input type="checkbox"/> High-altitude discomfort 60. <input type="checkbox"/> Open windows in closed room 61. <input type="checkbox"/> Susceptible to colds and fevers 62. <input type="checkbox"/> afternoon "yawner"	GROUP FOUR	68. <input type="checkbox"/> Bruise easily, "black and blue" spots 69. <input type="checkbox"/> Tendency to anemia 70. <input type="checkbox"/> "Nosebleeds" frequently 71. <input type="checkbox"/> Noises in head, or "ringing in ears" 72. <input type="checkbox"/> Tension under the breastbone, or feeling of "tightness," worse on exertion
73. <input type="checkbox"/> Dizziness 74. <input type="checkbox"/> Dry skin 75. <input type="checkbox"/> Burning feet 76. <input type="checkbox"/> Blurred vision 77. <input type="checkbox"/> Itching skin and feet 78. <input type="checkbox"/> Excessive falling hair 79. <input type="checkbox"/> Frequent skin rashes 80. <input type="checkbox"/> Bitter, metallic taste in mouth in mornings 81. <input type="checkbox"/> Bowel movements painful or difficult 80. <input type="checkbox"/> Worrier, feel insecure	GROUP FIVE	89. <input type="checkbox"/> Sneezing attacks 90. <input type="checkbox"/> Dreaming, nightmare-type bad dreams 91. <input type="checkbox"/> Bad breath (halitosis) 92. <input type="checkbox"/> Milk products cause distress 93. <input type="checkbox"/> Sensitive to hot weather 94. <input type="checkbox"/> Burning or itching anus 95. <input type="checkbox"/> Crave sweets

<p>96. <input type="checkbox"/> Loss of taste for meat 97. <input type="checkbox"/> Lower bowel gas several hours after eating 98. <input type="checkbox"/> Burning stomach sensations, eating relieves</p>	<h3>GROUP SIX</h3> <p>99. <input type="checkbox"/> Coated tongue 100. <input type="checkbox"/> Pass large amounts of foul-smelling gas 101. <input type="checkbox"/> Indigestion ½-1 hour after eating; may be up to 3-4 hours</p>	<p>102. <input type="checkbox"/> Mucous colitis or “irritable bowel 103. <input type="checkbox"/> Gas shortly after eating 104. <input type="checkbox"/> Stomach “bloating” after eating</p>
<p style="text-align: center;">(A)</p> <p>105. <input type="checkbox"/> Insomnia 106. <input type="checkbox"/> Nervousness 107. <input type="checkbox"/> Can’t gain weight 108. <input type="checkbox"/> Intolerance to heat 109. <input type="checkbox"/> Highly emotional 110. <input type="checkbox"/> Flush easily 111. <input type="checkbox"/> Night sweats 112. <input type="checkbox"/> Thin, moist skin 113. <input type="checkbox"/> Inward trembling 114. <input type="checkbox"/> Heart palpitates 115. <input type="checkbox"/> Increased appetite without weight gain 116. <input type="checkbox"/> Pulse fast at rest 117. <input type="checkbox"/> Eyelids and face twitch 118. <input type="checkbox"/> Irritable and restless 119. <input type="checkbox"/> Can’t work under pressure</p> <p style="text-align: center;">(B)</p> <p>120. <input type="checkbox"/> Increase in weight 121. <input type="checkbox"/> Decrease in appetite 122. <input type="checkbox"/> Fatigue easily 123. <input type="checkbox"/> Ringing in ears 124. <input type="checkbox"/> Sleepy during day 125. <input type="checkbox"/> Sensitive to cold 126. <input type="checkbox"/> Dry or scaly skin 127. <input type="checkbox"/> Constipation 128. <input type="checkbox"/> Mental sluggishness 129. <input type="checkbox"/> Hair coarse, falls out 130. <input type="checkbox"/> Headaches upon arising, wear off during day 131. <input type="checkbox"/> Slow pulse, below 65 132. <input type="checkbox"/> Frequency of urination 133. <input type="checkbox"/> Impaired hearing 134. <input type="checkbox"/> Reduced initiative</p>	<h3>GROUP SEVEN</h3> <p style="text-align: center;">(C)</p> <p>135. <input type="checkbox"/> Failing memory 136. <input type="checkbox"/> Low blood pressure 137. <input type="checkbox"/> Increased sex drive 138. <input type="checkbox"/> Headaches, “splitting or rending” type 139. <input type="checkbox"/> Decreased sugar tolerance</p> <p style="text-align: center;">(D)</p> <p>140. <input type="checkbox"/> Abnormal thirst 141. <input type="checkbox"/> Bloating of abdomen 142. <input type="checkbox"/> Weight gain around hips or waist 143. <input type="checkbox"/> Sex drive reduced or lacking 144. <input type="checkbox"/> Tendency to ulcers, colitis 145. <input type="checkbox"/> Increased sugar tolerance 146. <input type="checkbox"/> Women: menstrual disorders 147. <input type="checkbox"/> Young girls: lack of menstrual function</p> <p style="text-align: center;">(E)</p> <p>148. <input type="checkbox"/> Dizziness 149. <input type="checkbox"/> Headaches 150. <input type="checkbox"/> Hot flashes 151. <input type="checkbox"/> Increased blood pressure 152. <input type="checkbox"/> Hair growth on face or body (female) 153. <input type="checkbox"/> Sugar in urine (not diabetes) 154. <input type="checkbox"/> Masculine tendencies on</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">(F)</p> <p>155. <input type="checkbox"/> Weakness, dizziness 156. <input type="checkbox"/> Chronic fatigue 157. <input type="checkbox"/> blood pressure 158. <input type="checkbox"/> Nails weak, ridged 159. <input type="checkbox"/> Tendency to hives 160. <input type="checkbox"/> Arthritic tendencies 161. <input type="checkbox"/> Perspiration increase 162. <input type="checkbox"/> Bowel disorders 163. <input type="checkbox"/> Poor circulation 164. <input type="checkbox"/> Swollen ankles 165. <input type="checkbox"/> Crave salt 166. <input type="checkbox"/> Brown spots or bronzing on skin 167. <input type="checkbox"/> Allergies—tendency to asthma 168. <input type="checkbox"/> Weakness after colds, influenza 169. <input type="checkbox"/> Exhaustion—Muscular and nervous 170. <input type="checkbox"/> respiratory</p>
<p>171. <input type="checkbox"/> Easily fatigued 172. <input type="checkbox"/> Premenstrual stress 173. <input type="checkbox"/> Painful menses 174. <input type="checkbox"/> Depressed feelings before menstruation 175. <input type="checkbox"/> Menstruation excessive</p>	<h3>GROUP EIGHT A: Female Only</h3> <p>176. <input type="checkbox"/> Painful breast 177. <input type="checkbox"/> Menstruate too frequently 178. <input type="checkbox"/> Vaginal discharge 179. <input type="checkbox"/> Hysterectomy/ovaries removed</p>	<p>180. <input type="checkbox"/> Hot flashes 181. <input type="checkbox"/> Menses scanty or missed 182. <input type="checkbox"/> Acne, worse at menses 183. <input type="checkbox"/> Depression long-standing</p>
<p>184. <input type="checkbox"/> Prostate trouble 185. <input type="checkbox"/> Urination difficult or dribbling 186. <input type="checkbox"/> Night urination frequent 187. <input type="checkbox"/> Depression</p>	<h3>Group Eight B: Male Only</h3> <p>188. <input type="checkbox"/> Pain on inside of legs or heel 189. <input type="checkbox"/> Feeling of incomplete bowel evacuation 190. <input type="checkbox"/> Lack of energy</p>	<p>191. <input type="checkbox"/> Migrating aches and pains 192. <input type="checkbox"/> Tire too easily 193. <input type="checkbox"/> Avoid activity 194. <input type="checkbox"/> Leg nervousness at night 195. <input type="checkbox"/> Diminished sex drive</p>
<p>196. <input type="checkbox"/> Sleep after meals 197. <input type="checkbox"/> Bloating after meals 198. <input type="checkbox"/> Poor concentration after meals</p>	<h3>GROUP NINE</h3> <p>199. <input type="checkbox"/> Diabetes in family 200. <input type="checkbox"/> High blood pressure, cholesterol, or triglycerides 201. <input type="checkbox"/> Always hungry</p>	<p>202. <input type="checkbox"/> Fingers swollen or tight after exercise 203. <input type="checkbox"/> Heart disease, stroke, breast cancer in family</p>

<p>204. <input type="checkbox"/> Asprin improves symptoms 205. <input type="checkbox"/> Menstrual cramps 206. <input type="checkbox"/> Chronic inflammation</p>	<p>GROUP TEN</p>	<p>207. <input type="checkbox"/> Dry itchy skin or scalp 208. <input type="checkbox"/> React badly to sweets or excess carbohydrates</p> <p>209. <input type="checkbox"/> Eat restaurant or fast food often 210. <input type="checkbox"/> Spring allergies</p>
<p>211. <input type="checkbox"/> Low blood pressure 212. <input type="checkbox"/> Poor circulation 213. <input type="checkbox"/> Slow metabolism</p>	<p>GROUP ELEVEN</p>	<p>214. <input type="checkbox"/> Intolerant to noise 215. <input type="checkbox"/> Slow or irregular heartbeat</p> <p>216. <input type="checkbox"/> Headaches with feeling or tight band around head 217. <input type="checkbox"/> Carbohydrate intolerance</p>
<p>218. <input type="checkbox"/> Tense, irritable, and high-strung 219. <input type="checkbox"/> High blood pressure</p>	<p>GROUP TWELVE</p>	<p>220. <input type="checkbox"/> Poor fat metabolism 221. <input type="checkbox"/> Restless, jumpy, and shaky legs</p> <p>222. <input type="checkbox"/> Overreact to caffeine 223. <input type="checkbox"/> Tendency to spasm 224. <input type="checkbox"/> Rapid heartbeat</p>

Important: Please list below the five main complaints you have in order of their importance.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____

(Please do not write below this line.)

Doctor's notes:

Name _____ Case No. _____ Age _____ Sex _____

1. Are you taking medication? Yes _____ No _____

If yes, list the kind and dosage and whether it is taken on a regular basis. _____

Do you feel the medication is helping you? _____

2. Are you taking nutritional supplements? Yes _____ No _____

If yes, list the kind and dosage and whether they are taken on a regular basis. _____

Do you feel the nutritional supplements are helping you? For example, do you notice a specific improvement in the way you feel? _____

3. Approximately how many regular-size drinking glasses of water do you drink per day? _____

Is the water usually regular tap water, or special water such as distilled or well water? _____

4. If you are a smoke, what do you smoke (cigarettes, pipe, etc.) and how many daily? _____

5. How often do you consume alcohol? _____

Never _____ Once in a while _____ Often _____ Daily _____

6. How many cups of regular coffee (caffeinated) do you drink daily? _____

7. How many cups of decaffeinated coffee do you drink per day? _____

8. How many cups to tea or glasses of iced tea do you drink per day? _____

9. Approximately what percentage of your food is of the "convenience" variety? (Example: Hamburger Helpers, TV dinners, frozen pot pies, etc.) _____

10. When you eat out, do you prefer the "quick food" approach, such as McDonald's, Burger King, etc. _____

11. Do you use extra salt on your food at the table?..... Yes _____ No _____

12. Do you eat a lot of condiments such as catsup and other spicy foods?..... Yes _____ No _____

13. Do you like sour foods such as lemon (unsweetened), dill pickles, and other pickled foods?.....

..... Yes _____ No _____

14. Do you avoid or cut fat from your meat? Yes _____ No _____

15. Do you use butter or margarine?..... Yes _____ No _____

16. Do you like oil-type dressings on your salad?..... Yes _____ No _____

17. Do you enjoy eating cheese? Yes _____ No _____

18. Do you drink milk?..... Yes _____ No _____

How much per day? _____ is it pasteurized?..... Yes _____ No _____

19. Do you like foods that have a high sugar content, such as pastries, donuts, etc? Yes _____ No _____

20. When you eat a donut, do you prefer to have it plain, with frosting, or filled? _____

21. Do you eat sugar-coated cereal?..... Yes _____ No _____

When you eat cereal, how many teaspoons of sugar do you use on an average-size serving? _____

22. How many teaspoons of sugar do you use in coffee or tea? _____

23. How many soft drinks do you consume daily? _____

(Continued)

24. Do you try, as often as possible, to drink sugar-free soft drinks and use artificial sweeteners with coffee and food?.....Yes _____ No _____
25. What kind of fruit do you prefer to eat?.....Fresh _____ Canned _____ Sugar-free _____
26. Do you often feel hungry, no matter how much you eat?Yes _____ No _____
27. When you eat bread, is it white or whole wheat? _____
28. Do you usually eat breakfast?.....Yes _____ No _____
29. Do you usually feel better after eating?Yes _____ No _____
30. Do you usually feel worse after eating?Yes _____ No _____
31. Do you snack a lot between the three major meals?Yes _____ No _____
32. When you have a snack, what type of food do you prefer? For example, sweet roll, cookies, cheese, cracker, fruit, vegetables. _____

33. Do you frequently skip meals?.....Yes _____ No _____
34. Do you have to watch what you eat to avoid gaining weight?.....Yes _____ No _____
35. Do you have more than one meal per day that lacks a vegetable other than corn, potatoes, peas, or green beans?Yes _____ No _____
36. Are there days when you do not eat any raw vegetables?.....Yes _____ No _____
37. Do any foods create problems? If so, describe the problem.

38. What foods do you especially like? _____

39. What foods do you dislike? _____

40. Do you feel your diet is excessive in some respect?Yes _____ No _____
 If yes, describe. _____

41. Do you feel your diet is deficient in some respect?.....Yes _____ No _____
 If yes, describe. _____

Notes

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Visual Analog Scale of Spinal Pain

Name _____ Date ____/____/____

Please mark on the 1 to 10 scale your involvement with pain to the following locations and situations, from no involvement (0) to maximum involvement (10). Mark with a vertical line like this:

1. Do you have any pain in your neck ? How severe is it ?
0|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|..... 10
No pain Intolerable
2. Do you have any pain between your shoulder blades ? How severe is it?
0|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|..... 10
No pain Intolerable
3. Do you have any pain in your low back? How severe is it?
0|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|..... 10
No pain Intolerable
4. Do you have any pain at night? How severe is it?
0|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|..... 10
No pain Intolerable
5. Does activity give you pain? Yes____ No____ If so, how much activity is required to cause you pain?
0|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|..... 10
A great deal of activity Almost no activity
6. Do you use pain killers? Yes____ No____ If so how much relief?
0|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|..... 10
Complete relief No relief
7. Do you have any stiffness in your neck and/or back?
0|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|..... 10
No stiffness Intolerable stiffness
8. Do you have any pain in your shoulder and/or arm? (mark for right and left.)
Right 0|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|..... 10
Left 0|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|..... 10
None at all Intolerable
9. Does your pain interfere with the use of your arm and/or hand? (mark for right and left.)
Right 0|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|..... 10
Left 0|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|..... 10
None at all Not able to use at all
10. Do you have numbness or tingling in your arm and/or hand? (mark for right and left.)
0|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|..... 10
None at all Intolerable
11. Do you have headaches? If so, how severe are they?
0|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|.....|..... 10

- None at all Intolerable
12. How frequent are your headaches if you have them?
 0 / / / / / / / / / 10
 Infrequent All the time
13. Does your back pain interfere with your freedom to walk?
 0 / / / / / / / / / 10
 Complete freedom to walk Completely unable to walk because of pain
14. Does your pain interfere with your ability to stand still?
 0 / / / / / / / / / 10
 Can stand still for an hour at or more Not able to stand still at all
15. Does your pain interfere with you sitting in a chair?
 0 / / / / / / / / / 10
 Complete comfort Such discomfort that I cannot sit in a chair at all
16. Is your pain worse when riding in a car?
 0 / / / / / / / / / 10
 Complete freedom to ride in a car Such discomfort that I cannot ride in a car at all
17. Do you have pain when lying down in bed?
 0 / / / / / / / / / 10
 Complete comfort No comfort at all
18. What is you overall handicap in you complete life style because of pain?
 0 / / / / / / / / / 10
 Completely free to perform any task Totally handicapped
19. To what extent does you pain interfere with your work?
 0 / / / / / / / / / 10
 No interference at all Totally incapable of work
20. To what extent does your work have to be modified so that you are able to do your job?
 0 / / / / / / / / / 10
 No adjustment to work So much adjustment that I have had to change jobs