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FUNCTIONAL MEDICINE HEALTH ASSESSMENT & INTAKE FORMS

Please ensure that these forms are **completely** filled out ***PRIOR*** to your scheduled appointment.

Welcome to Advance Health Integrative Medicine

Dear Patient

Welcome to Advance Health Integrative Medicine. I am honored to partner with you in the restoration and protection of your health and well-being.

My practice is an Integrative, Contemporary and Functional Medical Practice, with great focus on addressing the underlying root causes of disease and dysfunction in my patients. We will do our best to remove the problems found, the triggers and mediators of the disease process and support your body's natural ability to heal by replacing deficiencies and optimizing bodily functions. I call this process Advancing Health.

I have personally experienced the transformative power of Functional Medicine when I was faced with a rare autoimmune illness that was triggered by environmental factors. Witnessing first hand the power of Functional Medicine that provided answers where conventional medicine had none and rather fueled the disease process, I was fortunate to be led back on the path that led me back to wellness and optimal health.

With each individual patient there is a unique customized work up. I work with over 15 specialty laboratories to conduct investigational testing based on your unique needs when needed including advanced hormonal, nutrient, metabolic, immune, toxin, genetic, and cardiovascular testing.

Together we are a team and your improvement in health, vitality and well-being will be in direct proportion to the extent to which

you are fully engaged in, committed to, and compliant with this path.

To comprehensively assess your health and gather and organize necessary information we ask that you complete the thorough intake questionnaire as soon as possible even before your visit.

I look forward to partnering with you on your journey to optimal health and well-being.

In Wellness

Rashel Tahzib DO AOBFP IFMCP

Understanding Our Stand for Your Health

Consent of Treatment

I _____ seek the health improvement, restoration, protection services of Dr. Rashel J Tahzib and staff the philosophy of care which underlies the practice as follows:

———1. Health improvement and protection is best achieved in partnership between the patient and practitioner and staff. Trust, caring, mutual respect and understanding in a healing environment are essential to partnership.

———2. Health Improvement and protection focuses on enhancing **all dimensions of health** and respecting the the **interconnectedness of symptoms** in the body -the physical, emotional, mental, and spiritual rather than focusing on isolated symptoms in the body alone.

———3. A person's **Lifestyle**, including his or her diet, exercise patterns, sleep habits, stressors, interpersonal relationships, are directly related to the development and maintenance of health. I strive to evaluate these factors and seek to help my patients understand and embrace positive behaviors regardless of age or type of medical problem.

———4. I seek to use what is **Wise and what Works** for the benefit of my patients. This includes all modalities that are safe tolerable, and effective. I feel that the practice of medicine must be focused upon the PATIENT and strive to practice patient centered medicine vs disease centered medicine.

———5. Although prescription drugs as well as over the counter medications are used when the provider feels they are necessary, an attempt is first made to use products that are natural and or bio-identical to the body with **primary focus on health** production rather than disease treatment. These include targeted nutraceuticals, vitamins, minerals, enzymes, amino acids, essential fatty acids, herbs and bio- identical hormones.

According to the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act as amended Section 201(g) (1) the term drug is defined as an article intended for use in diagnosis, cure, mitigation, treatment, or prevention of disease. " Technically vitamins, minerals, trace elements, amino acids, and herbs are not defined as drugs. However these substances can have significant effects on physiology and must be used rationally. In this practice nutritional counseling is provided and individualized recommendations are made regarding the use

of these substances in order to upgrade the quality of foods in the patient's diet and to supply nutrition to support

the physiological and biochemical processes of the human body. Although these products may be suggested with a therapeutic purpose in mind, their use is chiefly designed to support given aspects of metabolic function. Use of many nutritional supplements may be recommended for patients already using pharmaceutical drugs but some potentially harmful interactions may occur. For this reason it is important to keep all your healthcare providers fully informed about all medications and nutritional supplements, herbs, and or hormones you may be taking.

———6. In addition to recommending that a patient take nutritional supplements by mouth we may recommend that a patient receive a series of injections either intramuscularly, subcutaneously, or intravenously. Some of the reasons for recommending these procedures include:

a. The assurance that the particular substance gets into the body (which may not happen when the supplement is taken orally and the patient has absorption or digestive problems.

b. To achieve a concentration of the substance in the bloodstream that may be difficult to achieve if the substance is taken by mouth.

Additionally, it is important to understand these business aspects of Advance Health Integrative Medicine so that you can utilize it's services most effectively:

Sale of Nutritional Supplements:

As a service to you we make nutritional supplements available

through the practice. These are hand picked formulated products that have gained my confidence through considerable research and experience. The quality of the recommended supplements is determined by evaluating (1) The quality of the science and research behind the products (2) the quality of the ingredients (3) the quality of the manufacturing process (4) the synergism among the product components (5) the predictability of the results achieved by using the products (6) our clinical experience and clinical success with using the recommended products. The products recommended by the practice are those that meet our very high standards and produce predictable results.

Being that there is no FDA regulation on nutritional supplements and their quality, purity, actual ingredients or efficacy making these products available to you assures that you are getting the qualities outlined above rather than counterfeit products or products filled with fillers, impure ingredients, high amounts of toxins and impurities, that do not include active ingredients nor a concentration of an ingredient that can potentially be beneficial despite marketing schemes and advertisements.

The value of our recommended products includes your assurance of the products purity, quality, bioavailability (ability to be properly absorbed and utilized by the body) and likely effectiveness. One of the main reasons we make these products available is to ensure quality for favorable clinical results.

Purchasing supplements from the general market place, online, grocery stores, pharmacies you are not guaranteed quality, efficacy, purity or effectiveness due to the lack of stringent testing require-

ments for dietary supplements.

That being said you are not obligated to purchase supplements through our practice but are highly suggested to do so.

____If you purchase supplements from the general market place we do not guarantee or expect clinical improvement at the same level or any level and note that there may be lack of improvement and lack of improvement of blood levels and deficiencies.

Information Regarding Insurance

____Dr Rashel does not restrict her recommendations to the standard approach that is accepted by insurance carriers. Rather we seek to match treatment and wellness options with your unique health needs and goals regardless of whether insurance companies endorse these options for your health. Thus we do not accept insurance for Functional medicine anti-aging and contemporary medicine services as insurance companies do not pay for these services.

Information Regarding Primary Care Physician

____Please note that Rashel Tahzib DO is not your primary care physician. It is recommended that you have a primary care physician. Dr. Rashel Tahzib does not provide primary care services. We will work with you closely as a consultant in preventive, nutritional and functional medicine to help you address the roots of chronic health problems. We will confer with your primary care doctor and specialist physicians if required.

Understanding the above, I agree to the following noted by my initials and signature.

_____ I agree that if I ever have a claim with respect to the services of Dr. Rashel J Tahzib DO Inc., its affiliates and or staff that

they shall be judged by the standards and principles of Complementary, and Functional Medicine and not by the standards of conventional medicine and that if such a claim should arise it will be addressed by arbitration only and not by court.

Signature:

Date: _____ Printed Name

Prescription Dispensing Disclosure

Our practice offers as a service to our patients dispensing of some prescribed medications. Please note that you have a choice between obtaining the prescription from our office or have us provide you with a prescription that can be filled at the pharmacy of your choice.

AHIM Practice Policies and Office Policy Agreement

Phone calls, messages, faxes:

Business office hours are Mon-Fri 9am-4:30pm

To reach us by phone call 310-979-3434

Our fax is 310-907-5193

If you reach a recording we are busy attending to the needs of our patients please leave a clear message and we will return your call within one business day.

If you have an emergency call 911 and or go directly to the nearest emergency room. When leaving a message please leave the follow-

ing information:

Full name

Reason for call

Phone numbers you can be reached and email

It is important to read all of the enclosed information carefully and to complete, scan & email, mail, fax your intake forms at your earliest convenience.

Functional Medicine Appointments

_____ There is a 72hour/ 3 business day cancellation policy (please see the CANCELLATION AND RESCHEDULING OF APPOINTMENTS section in this form).

Functional Medicine Appointment Fees

Initial Functional Medicine Consultation 60min is \$695

Initial Functional Medicine Follow up Consultation 60min is \$695.

Subsequent Follow ups 45 min \$475

Functional Wellness Assessment 50min \$525

Functional Wellness Follow Up 30min \$375

Routine Follow up Concise for established patients 25 min \$375

Phone Chat Supplement Review 15 min \$85

*Appointment pricing is subject to change.

Laboratory Testing

——Laboratory tests as well as functional tests are usually recommended during your appointment.

PLEASE CALL YOUR INSURANCE CARRIER PRIOR TO YOUR APPOINTMENT TO KNOW WHAT YOUR COVERAGE IS. If you choose to run your recommended labs through your insurance, Advance Health Integrative Medicine is not responsible for any bills you receive from the laboratory. Some labs that involve stool, urine or saliva samples are done at home. You will be given all lab kits and step-by-step instructions for at-home tests at the time of your consult. All lab results will be reviewed with you at the time of your follow up appointment.

We do not email lab results to patients. The exception to this is if you have a follow up appointment by phone – we will email you your lab results prior to your appointment for your review.

Insurance Information

_____ You will receive an invoice at the completion of your visit that you may submit to your insurance for reimbursement.

Payment for the office visit, phone consultation, or lab tests is expected at time of service.

All credit card payment will be processed the same day of the visit, or phone call. If test kits or supplements are sent to you, you will be charged the day they are mailed.

Advance health Integrative Medicine does not accept insurance for Functional Medicine and Anti-Aging medicine Services; however, if you wish you can submit your patient statement to your insurance carrier. We do not, however, assist in insurance claim filing, claim resolution or respond to insurance carrier requests for more information.

COPIES OF MEDICAL RECORDS & LABS FROM OUR OFFICE

You will be given a copy of your labs at each visit to keep for your records. Should you need additional copies of your medical records; a \$25 fee will be charged for copies and postage.

MEDICAL RECORDS FROM OTHER DOCTORS/CLINICS/HOSPITALS

Medical records can only be released with your authorization. It is your responsibility to obtain previous medical records from other physicians or health care providers that you wish Dr. Rashel to review. If you feel your medical records are pertinent to your appointment with Dr. Rashel, please contact your physician or other health care provider to obtain these records and make sure that we have received them at least 7 days prior to your initial appointment.

Returns/Refunds of Supplements

_____Supplements (except probiotics and protein powders) and Functional Lab kits may be returned for a refund or exchange if in original condition and unopened or unused within 14 days of purchase. Functional Lab kits must be completed within 1 year of purchase.

CANCELLATION AND RESCHEDULING OF APPOINTMENTS

_____ There is a 72 hour (3 business days) cancellation and rescheduling policy. Your appointment must be cancelled or rescheduled at least 72 hours (3 business days) prior to your consultation time or you will be charged for the visit, unless we are able to fill your appointment time. Please be aware that holidays and weekends do NOT constitute business days.

You may cancel your appointment by calling the office

(310) 979-3434 or emailing Appointments@drrashel.com

We reserve the right to charge your credit card on file for the full amount of the missed visit if it is not canceled or rescheduled 72 hours (2 business days) prior to your appointment. By signing below you agree to our cancellation policy and authorize Rashel Tahzib DO Advance Health Integrative Medicine to charge your credit card on file for any missed visits.

We ask that if you know that you need to cancel or reschedule, please let us know as soon as possible so that we may offer your appointment to someone else.

FOLLOW UP APPOINTMENTS

At the time of check out you will be scheduled for a follow up appointment. This date will be written on your check out paperwork. We will assume you will honor this appointment time unless you notify us otherwise at least 48 hours/ 2 business days prior to your scheduled appointment. Although you may get reminder phone calls or emails from our office about appointments, these reminders are a courtesy only. It is your responsibility to remember your appointment date and time.

PAYMENT OPTIONS

Cash or credit cards (MasterCard, Visa, Discover) are all accepted methods of payment for services. We do not accept American Express. When you schedule the initial visit, we request a credit card on file to hold the appointment for you. No charges will be applied to your credit card unless you miss or cancel an appointment without proper notice. On the day of your scheduled appointment, all charges for consultations, laboratory testing and nutritional supplements will be itemized and payment is due on the day of service. Follow-up phone, or in-person consultations will be billed to your credit card on file unless you provide other payment information and instructions prior to your appointment. If additional lab tests are required and our office sends test kits, the appropriate fees will be charged to your account. Credit card on file will also be used for supplements mailed unless otherwise specified.

RECORDING APPOINTMENTS

———Electronic recording of appointments and/or conversations with our providers is strictly prohibited, unless prior approval is obtained by Dr. Rashel. It is illegal and unethical to record a medical appointment without the knowledge of the medical provider. If such recording takes place, legal action may be taken.

PRESCRIPTION REFILL REQUESTS

———For prescription refills, we ask that you contact your pharmacy and have them fax over the medication refill request. Our fax number is (310) 907-5193. It may take up to 72 business hours to process a prescription refill. Please plan ahead to avoid interruptions in your treatment.

For our established patients medication refill requests can only be done with follow up visits of no longer than every 3 months. We cannot refill medications without appropriate follow up, please make sure that you stay current with your appointments. This is for your benefit so that we may evaluate your progress, symptoms, laboratory results and continue to optimize and titrate your treatment accordingly for you.

Any medication adjustment requests or new symptoms that arise must be addressed during a visit either in person or via telemedicine.

In the initial phases of your treatment when medications and supplements are still being adjusted to find the optimal dose, medication adjustments often require follow up of 6 week intervals.

Primary Care Physician Information

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By Signing below you acknowledge and agree to our practice policies and are in agreement

Signature_____

Date_____

Printed Name_____



Welcome to Advance Health Integrative Medicine. Our goal is to provide you with the highest quality of personalized functional medical care. For your convenience, we provide free clinical support and Functional Wellness Coaching for the first 30 days of your enrollment when you schedule a Functional Medicine or Functional Wellness Consultation. After this initial 30-day period you have the option to enroll into membership as will be described below.

We know your time is valuable and understand that the journey to optimal health and well being, especially when properly addressed from a root cause perspective, can sometimes be challenging and those challenges must be overcome to achieve or regain optimal health and vitality. For this reason we would like to be there for you throughout this process and have the capability and necessary timing to address any of your questions or concerns and walk you along the way should you need it.

The nature of Functional Medicine is thorough, deep, individualized and customized and therefore we need the time and capacity to be provide you with this in depth customized level of care. Ongoing emails unregimented are not sustainable for the practice. Therefore we have created the Premium Access Plan below to be able to make ourselves available to you in an ongoing manner as needed in between appointments for sharing thoughts, questions and further guidance.

Premium Access-- \$175/Month – (recommended for patients with chronic medical issues, multiple health concerns or a complex health problem requiring multiple points of contact) and anyone who desires ongoing close support in between appointments- Includes ongoing Email/patient portal questions as needed in between appointments, with response priority, prescription refills and any requested letters.

Fee-for-service level – You will receive free clinical support between appointments for the first 30 days, after that, we ask that if questions or concerns are longer than one or two lines on Email, that you schedule a consultation to discuss. You can send us longer emails however there is a \$45 Email Fee for Emails longer than 1-2 single concise lines that include one concise question. You can also schedule a 15 min phone chat \$85.

Advance Health Integrative Medicine is here to serve your Functional Medicine needs.

I understand/agree to the above practice rules: _____ Date: _____
Signature/Printed Name

Yes I would like to enroll in Premium Access Membership: _____ Initial

Signature _____ Date: _____



Consent for Treatment

I, the undersigned, so hereby agree and give my consent to Advance Health Integrative Medicine, Rashel J Tahzib DO Inc to provide Telemedicine Services. I acknowledge understanding of the necessary interventions, associated risks, and expected benefits of treatment. I will be discussing with Dr. Rashel Tahzib the different outcomes that could occur and possible complications. I am aware that other complications could occur that we could not foresee. The above information has been read to me. Any questions I have regarding intervention have been answered to my satisfaction prior to my signing this consent form. I have made my decision and agree to the recommended treatment voluntarily and freely.

Initial: _____

Consent for Share of Information via Email

I give my consent to Rashel Tahzib DO to provide professional service via the following email address(es): _____
_____. I understand that this way of communication may cause disclosure of the information related to my health.

Initial: _____

Credit Card Charge Agreement

I _____, cardholder of (select one) Visa MasterCard Amex Discover

Ending in (last four digits) _____

Expiration date _____

Code _____

I _____ hereby authorize Rashel J Tahzib DO Inc to charge my card on file in the occurrence of any missed payments or balances on account. I have read this agreement and understand that I will be held fully responsible for its terms and charges and agree not to charge back Advance Health Integrative Medicine as long as I have received the products and services that are defined within the term of the invoice that I receive.

Initial: _____

PATIENT'S SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____



PRIVACY POLICIES

Our office is dedicated to providing services with respect to human dignity. Protecting your privacy and your healthcare information is fundamental in the course of our relationship. This notice will remain in effect until it is replaced or amended by changes in the law. This notice provides an explanation as to how we will collect information and what we will do with the “Protected Health Information” (all personal, financial and health information). This protected information is received from you, your healthcare provider or any other source in the normal course of health care operations.

This information is used for treatment, payment and other healthcare operations. Protected health information may not be disclosed for any purpose without prior written consent from the patient unless otherwise required by law.

Disclosure

This office may use or disclose your Protected Health Information only when required by law.

Patients Rights

- Upon request you have the right to access, review, or receive copies of your healthcare records.
- Upon written request you have the right to receive a list of items this office disclosed about your healthcare information.
- You have the right to request that this office place additional restrictions on the disclosure of your Protected Health Information.
- You have the right to request that we amend your Protected Health Information.

RECEIPT OF NOTICE OF PRIVACY POLICIES

I _____, have read, reviewed and understand and agree to the statement of the Privacy Policy for healthcare services in this office as amended by the above.

This practice has attempted to provide each patient with a statement of privacy policies.

Patient Signature _____ Date _____



Cancellation Policy

At Advance Health Integrative Medicine, in order for us to give you the highest quality of customized individualized care, we do not overbook our schedule. When you make an appointment with us, that time slot is guaranteed to you and no one else. Additional time is blocked off before and after your appointment to prepare and for aftercare plan formulation for your consultation. Therefore, 72 hours notice is needed to reschedule or cancel a consultation.

The No Show fee is **charged at 100%** of any visit not canceled within 72 hours, unless we are able to fill the spot.

Your signature below verifies that you have read this policy and are willing to abide by it.

Name

Signature

Date

Welcome to the 30 day Health Coach Service and Clinical Support!

Congratulations on taking an important step toward a healthier you and subscribing to your complementary 30 days of Functional Wellness Coach Clinical Support System. During the next 30 days you will receive:

- As needed four weeks of weekly emails with Dr Rashel for your initial 30 days as needed for questions, guidance, coaching or concerns.

- Access to Dr. Rashel via ongoing Email to address any medical questions or concerns that may come up about your problem in between your appointments.

- Priority on appointment scheduling.

If you wish to continue the services after your complementary 30 days, you can do so at any time by contacting the office or by becoming a member below:

I _____, would like to enroll in Premium Access Membership with Advance Health Integrative Medicine, Dr Rashel Tahzib terms of which are described above.

I give my permission to Advance Health Integrative Medicine to charge my card on file for these services on a monthly basis at \$175/Month.

I _____ have read the above and agree to the terms and policies of this agreement.

Signature _____ Date _____



Functional Medicine Health Questionnaire Intake Form

First Name: _____		Middle Name: _____		Last Name: _____	
Address: _____		City: _____		State: _____ ZIP: _____	
Home Phone: (_____) _____ - _____		Birth Date: ____/____/____		Age: _____	
		month day year			
Work Phone: (_____) _____ - _____		Place of Birth: _____			
Occupation: _____		City or town & country if not US			
Referred by: _____		Height: ____' ____" Weight: _____		Sex: _____	
Today's Date _____					

1. Please check appropriate box(es):

- | | | | |
|---|------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> African American | <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic | <input type="checkbox"/> Mediterranean | <input type="checkbox"/> Asian |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Native American | <input type="checkbox"/> Caucasian | <input type="checkbox"/> Northern European | <input type="checkbox"/> Other |

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

DESCRIBE PROBLEM	MILD/ MODERATE/ SEVERE	TREATMENT APPROACH	SUCCESS
Example: Post Nasal Drip	Moderate	Elimination Diet	Moderate
a.			
b.			
c.			
d.			
e.			
f.			
g.			

3. With whom do you live? (Include children, parents, relatives, and/or friends. Please include ages.)

Example: Wendy, age 7, sister

4. Do you have any pets or farm animals? Yes ___ No ___
If yes, where do they live? 1. ___ indoors 2. ___ outdoors 3. ___ both indoors and outdoors

5. Have you lived or traveled outside of the United States? Yes ___ No ___
If so, when and where? _____

6. Have you or your family recently experienced any major life changes? Yes ___ No ___
If yes, please comment: _____

7. Have you experienced any major losses in life? Yes ___ No ___
If so, please comment: _____

8. How important is religion (or spirituality) for you and your family's life?
a. ___ not at all important
b. ___ somewhat important
c. ___ extremely important

9. How much time have you lost from work or school in the past year?
a. ___ 0-2 days
b. ___ 3-14 days
c. ___ > 15 days

10. Previous jobs:

11. Unfortunately, abuse and violence of all kinds, verbal, emotional, physical, and sexual are leading contributors to chronic stress, illness, and immune system dysfunction; witnessing violence and abuse can also be very traumatic. If you have experienced or witnessed any kind of abuse in the past, or if abuse is now an issue in your life, it is very important that you feel safe telling us about it, so that we can support you and optimize your treatment outcomes.

Please do your best to answer the following questions:

a. Did you feel safe growing up?
 Yes No

b. Have you been involved in abusive relationships in your life?
 Yes No

c. Was alcoholism or substance abuse present in your childhood home, or is it present now in your relationships?
 Yes No

- d. Do you currently feel safe in your home?
 Yes No
- e. Do you feel safe, respected and valued in your current relationship?
 Yes No
- f. Have you had any violent or otherwise traumatic life experiences, or have you witnessed any violence or abuse?
 Yes No
- g. Would you feel safer discussing any of these issues privately?
 Yes No

12. Past Medical and Surgical History:

ILLNESSES	WHEN	COMMENTS
a. Anemia		
b. Arthritis		
c. Asthma		
d. Bronchitis		
e. Cancer		
f. Chronic Fatigue Syndrome		
g. Crohn's Disease or Ulcerative Colitis		
h. Diabetes		
i. Emphysema		
j. Epilepsy, convulsions, or seizures		
k. Gallstones		
l. Gout		
ILLNESSES	WHEN	COMMENTS
m. Heart attack/Angina		
n. Heart failure		
o. Hepatitis		
p. High blood fats (cholesterol, triglycerides)		
q. High blood pressure (hypertension)		
r. Irritable bowel		
s. Kidney stones		
t. Mononucleosis		
u. Pneumonia		
v. Rheumatic fever		
w. Sinusitis		
x. Sleep apnea		
y. Stroke		
z. Thyroid disease		
aa. Other (describe)		

INJURIES		COMMENTS
ab.	Back injury	
ac.	Broken (describe)	
ad.	Head injury	
ae.	Neck injury	
af.	Other (describe)	
DIAGNOSTIC STUDIES		WHEN
ag.	Barium Enema	
ah.	Bone Scan	
ai.	CAT Scan of Abdomen	
aj.	CAT Scan of Brain	
ak.	CAT Scan of Spine	
al.	Chest X-ray	
am.	Colonoscopy	
an.	EKG	
ao.	Liver scan	
ap.	Neck X-ray	
aq.	NMR/MRI	
ar.	Sigmoidoscopy	
as.	Upper GI Series	
at.	Other (describe)	
OPERATIONS		WHEN
au.	Appendectomy	
av.	Dental Surgery	
aw.	Gall Bladder	
ax.	Hernia	
ay.	Hysterectomy	
az.	Tonsillectomy	
ba.	Other (describe)	
bb.	Other (describe)	

13. Hospitalizations:

WHERE HOSPITALIZED	WHEN	FOR WHAT REASON
a.		
b.		
c.		
d.		
e.		

14. How often have you have taken antibiotics?

< 5 Times > 5 times

Infancy/ Childhood		
Teen		
Adulthood		

15. How often have you have taken oral steroids (e.g., Cortisone, Prednisone, etc.)?

< 5 times > 5 times

Infancy/ Childhood		
Teen		
Adulthood		

16. What medications are you taking now? Include non-prescription drugs.

Medication Name	Date started	Dosage
1.		
2.		
3.		
4.		
5.		
6.		
7.		
8.		

Are you allergic to any medications?

Yes_____ No_____

If yes, please list: _____

17. List all vitamins, minerals, and other nutritional supplements that you are taking now. Indicate whether mg or IU and the form (e.g., calcium carbonate vs. calcium lactate), when possible.

Vitamin/Mineral/Supplement Name	Date started	Dosage
1.		
2.		
3.		
4.		
5.		
6.		
7.		
8.		

18. Childhood:

Question	Yes	No	Don't Know	Comment
1. Were you a full term baby?				
a. A premie?				
b. Breast fed?				

c. Bottle fed?			
2. As a child did you eat a lot of sugar and/or candy?			

19. As a child, were there any foods that you had to avoid because they gave you symptoms?
 Yes ___ No ___

If yes, please: name the food and symptom (Example: milk – gas and diarrhea)

20. Place a check mark next to the food/drink that applies to your current diet. (List continues on next page.)

	Usual Breakfast	√		Usual Lunch	√		Usual Dinner	√
a.	None		a.	None		a.	None	
b.	Bacon/Sausage		b.	Butter		b.	Beans (legumes)	
c.	Bagel		c.	Coffee		c.	Brown rice	
d.	Butter		d.	Eat in a cafeteria		d.	Butter	
e.	Cereal		e.	Eat in restaurant		e.	Carrots	
f.	Coffee		f.	Fish sandwich		f.	Coffee	
g.	Donut		g.	Juice		g.	Fish	
h.	Eggs		h.	Leftovers		h.	Green vegetables	
i.	Fruit		i.	Lettuce		i.	Juice	
j.	Juice		j.	Margarine		j.	Margarine	
k.	Margarine		k.	Mayo		k.	Milk	
l.	Milk		l.	Meat sandwich		l.	Pasta	
m.	Oat bran		m.	Milk		m.	Potato	
n.	Sugar		n.	Salad		n.	Poultry	
	Usual Breakfast	√		Usual Lunch	√		Usual Dinner	√
o.	Sweet roll		o.	Salad dressing		o.	Red meat	
p.	Sweetener		p.	Soda		p.	Rice	
q.	Tea		q.	Soup		q.	Salad	
r.	Toast		r.	Sugar		r.	Salad dressing	
s.	Water		s.	Sweetener		s.	Soda	
t.	Wheat bran		t.	Tea		t.	Sugar	
u.	Yogurt		u.	Tomato		u.	Sweetener	
v.	Other: (List below)		v.	Water		v.	Tea	
			w.	Yogurt		w.	Water	
			x.	Other: (List below)		x.	Yellow vegetables	
						y.	Other: (List below)	

21. How much of the following do you consume each week?

a.	Candy	
b.	Cheese	
c.	Chocolate	
d.	Cups of coffee containing caffeine	

e.	Cups of decaffeinated coffee or tea	
f.	Cups of hot chocolate	
g.	Cups of tea containing caffeine	
h.	Diet sodas	
i.	Ice cream	
j.	Salty foods	
k.	Slices of white bread (rolls/bagels)	
l.	Sodas with caffeine	
m.	Sodas without caffeine	

22. Are you on a special diet? Yes ___ No ___
 ___ ovo-lacto ___ vegetarian ___ other (describe):
 ___ diabetic ___ vegan _____
 ___ dairy restricted ___ blood type diet _____

23. Is there anything special about your diet that we should know? Yes ___ No ___
 If yes, please explain: _____

24. a. Do you have symptoms immediately after eating, such as belching, bloating, sneezing, hives, etc.?
Yes ___ No ___
 b. If yes, are these symptoms associated with any particular food or supplement(s)?
Yes ___ No ___
 c. Please name the food or supplement and symptom(s). Example: Milk – gas and diarrhea.

25. Do you feel you have delayed symptoms after eating certain foods (symptoms may not be evident for 24 hours or more), such as fatigue, muscle aches, sinus congestion, etc.? Yes ___ No ___

26. Do you feel much **worse** when you eat a lot of :
 ___ high fat foods ___ refined sugar (junk food)
 ___ high protein foods ___ fried foods
 ___ high carbohydrate foods ___ 1 or 2 alcoholic drinks
 (breads, pastas, potatoes) ___ other _____

27. Do you feel much **better** when you eat a lot of :
 ___ high fat foods ___ refined sugar (junk food)
 ___ high protein foods ___ fried foods
 ___ high carbohydrate foods ___ 1 or 2 alcoholic drinks
 (breads, pastas, potatoes) ___ other _____

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

29. Have you ever had a food that you craved or really "binged" on over a period of time?
 Food craving may be an indicator that you may be allergic to that food. Yes ___ No ___
 If yes, what food(s)? _____

30. Do you have an aversion to certain foods? Yes ___ No ___

If yes, what foods? _____

31. Please fill in the chart below with information about your bowel movements:

a. Frequency	√	b. Color	√
More than 3x/day		Medium brown consistently	
1-3x/day		Very dark or black	
4-6x/week		Greenish color	
2-3x/week		Blood is visible.	
1 or fewer x/week		Varies a lot.	
		Dark brown consistently	
b. 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			

32. Intestinal gas: _____ Daily _____ Present with pain
 _____ Occasionally _____ Foul smelling
 _____ Excessive _____ Little odor

33. a. Have you ever used alcohol? Yes____ No____

b. If yes, how often do you now drink alcohol? _____ No longer drinking alcohol
 _____ Average 1-3 drinks per week
 _____ Average 4-6 drinks per week
 _____ Average 7-10 drinks per week
 _____ Average >10 drinks per week

c. Have you ever had a problem with alcohol? Yes____ No____
 If yes, please indicate time period (month/year): from _____ to _____.

34. Have you ever used recreational drugs? Yes____ No____

35. Have you ever used tobacco? Yes____ No____

If yes, number of years as a nicotine user _____. Amount per day _____. Year quit _____.

If yes, what type of nicotine have you used? _____ Cigarette _____ Smokeless
 _____ Cigar _____ Pipe _____ Patch/Gum

36. Are you exposed to second hand smoke regularly? Yes____ No____

37. Do you have mercury amalgam fillings? Yes____ No____

38. Do you have any artificial joints or implants? Yes____ No____

39. Do you feel worse at certain times of the year? Yes____ No____

If yes, when? _____ spring _____ fall
 _____ summer _____ winter

40. Have you, to your knowledge, been exposed to toxic metals in your job or at home? Yes____ No____
 If yes, which one(s)? _____

41. Do odors affect you? Yes____ No____

42. How well have things been going for you?

	Very Well	Fair	Poorly	Very Poorly	Does not apply
a. At school					
b. In your job					
c. In your social life					
d. With close friends					
e. With sex					
f. With your attitude					
g. With your boyfriend/girlfriend					
h. With your children					
i. With your parents					
j. With your spouse					

43. Have you ever had psychotherapy or counseling? Yes____ No____
 Currently? _____ Previously? _____ If previously, from _____ to _____.
 What kind? _____
 Comments: _____

44. Are you currently, or have you ever been, married? Yes____ No____
 If so, when were you married? _____ Spouse's occupation _____
 When were you separated? _____ Never _____
 When were you divorced? _____ Never _____
 When were you remarried? _____ Never _____ Spouse's occupation _____

Comments: _____

45. Hobbies and leisure activities: _____

46. Do you exercise regularly? Yes No_
 If so, how many times a week? When you exercise, how long is each session?
 1. _____ 1x 1. _____ ≤15 min
 2. _____ 2x 2. _____ 16-30 min
 3. _____ 3x 3. _____ 31-45 min
 4. _____ 4x or more 4. _____ > 45 min

What type of exercise is it?
 _____ jogging/walking _____ tennis
 _____ basketball _____ water sports
 _____ home aerobics _____ other

FAMILY HISTORY

Check family members that apply.

	MOTHER	FATHER	BROTHER(S)	SISTER(S)	CHILDREN	MATERNAL GRANDMOTHER	MATERNAL GRANDFATHER	PATERNAL GRANDMOTHER	PATERNAL GRANDFATHER	AUNTS	UNCLES	OTHER
Age (if still alive)												
Age at death (if deceased)												
Cancers												
Colon Cancer												
Breast or Ovarian Cancer												
Heart Disease												
Hypertension												
Obesity												
Diabetes												
Stroke												
Inflammatory Arthritis (Rheumatoid, Psoriatic, Ankylosing Spondylitis)												
Inflammatory Bowel Disease												
Multiple Sclerosis												
Thyroid Problems												
Lupus												
Irritable Bowel Syndrome												
Celiac Disease												
Asthma												
Eczema / Psoriasis												
Food Allergies, Sensitivities or Intolerances												
Environmental Sensitivities												
Dementia												
Parkinson's												
ALS or other Motor Neuron Diseases												
Genetic Disorders												
Substance Abuse (such as alcoholism)												
Psychiatric Disorders												
Depression												
Schizophrenia												
ADHD												
Autism												
Bipolar Disease												
Other:												



48. Any other family history we should know about? _____
If so, please comment: _____

49. What is the attitude of those close to you about your illness?

_____ Supportive

_____ Non-supportive

FOR WOMEN ONLY (questions 50-58):

50. Have you ever been pregnant? (If no, skip to question 53.) Yes____ No____

Number of miscarriages _____ Number of abortions _____ Number of preemies _____

Number of term births _____ Birth weight of largest baby _____ Smallest baby _____

Did you develop toxemia (high blood pressure)? Yes____ No____

Have you had other problems with pregnancy? Yes____ No____

If so, please comment: _____

51. Age at first period _____ Date of last Pap Smear _____ Date of last Mammogram _____
Pap Smear: _____ Normal Abnormal
Mammogram: _____ Normal Abnormal

52. Have you ever used birth control pills? Yes No_ If yes, when _____

53. Are you taking the pill now? Yes No_

54. Did taking the pill agree with you? Yes No_ Not applicable _____

55. Do you currently use contraception? Yes No_
If yes, what type of contraception do you use? _____

56. Are you in menopause? No Yes If yes, age at last period _____
Do you take: Estrogen? _____ Ogen? _____ Estrace? _____ Premarin? _____ Other (specify) _____
Progesterone? _____ Provera? _____ Other (specify) _____

57. How long have you been on hormone replacement therapy (if applicable)? _____

58. In the second half of your cycle, do you have symptoms of breast tenderness, water retention, or irritability (PMS)? Yes____ No____ Not applicable _____

59. Please check if these symptoms occur presently **or** have occurred in the past 6 months.

GENERAL:	Mild	Mod	Severe
Cold hands & feet			
Cold intolerance			
Daytime sleepiness			
Difficulty falling asleep			
Early waking			
Fatigue			
Fever			
Flushing			
Heat intolerance			
Night waking			
Nightmares			
No dream recall			
HEAD, EYES & EARS:			
Conjunctivitis			
Distorted sense of smell			
Distorted taste			
Ear fullness			
Ear noises			
Ear pain			
Ear ringing/buzzing			
Eye crusting			
Eye pain			
Headache			
Hearing loss			
Hearing problems			
Lid margin redness			
Migraine			
Sensitivity to loud noises			
Vision problems			

MUSCULOSKELETAL:	Mild	Mod	Severe
Back muscle spasm			
Calf cramps			
Chest tightness			
Foot cramps			
Joint deformity			
Joint pain			
Joint redness			
Joint stiffness			
Muscle pain			
Muscle spasms			
Muscle stiffness			
Muscle twitches: Around eyes			
Arms or legs			
Muscle weakness			
Neck muscle spasm			
Tendonitis			
Tension headache			
TMJ problems			
MOOD/NERVES:			
Agoraphobia			
Anxiety			
Auditory hallucinations			
Black-out			
Depression			
Difficulty: Concentrating			
With balance			
With thinking			
With judgment			
With speech			
With memory			
Dizziness (spinning)			
Fainting			
Fearfulness			
Irritability			
Light-headedness			

FEMALE REPRODUCTIVE, Cont'd:	Mild	Mod	Severe
<u>Premenstrual:</u>			
Bloating			
Breast tenderness			
Carbohydrate craving			
Chocolate craving			
Constipation			
Decreased sleep			
Diarrhea			
Fatigue			
Increased sleep			
Irritability			
<u>Menstrual:</u>			
Cramps			
Heavy periods			
Irregular periods			
No periods			
Scanty periods			
Spotting between			

59. Please check if these symptoms occur presently **or** have occurred in the past 6 months.

GENERAL:	Mild	Mod	Severe
Cold hands & feet			
Cold intolerance			
Daytime sleepiness			
Difficulty falling asleep			
Early waking			
Fatigue			
Fever			
Flushing			
Heat intolerance			
Night waking			
Nightmares			
No dream recall			
HEAD, EYES & EARS:			
Conjunctivitis			
Distorted sense of smell			
Distorted taste			
Ear fullness			
Ear noises			
Ear pain			
Ear ringing/buzzing			
Eye crusting			
Eye pain			
Headache			
Hearing loss			
Hearing problems			
Lid margin redness			
Migraine			
Sensitivity to loud noises			
Vision problems			

MUSCULOSKELETAL:	Mild	Mod	Severe
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Calf cramps			
Chest tightness			
Foot cramps			
Joint deformity			
Joint pain			
Joint redness			
Joint stiffness			
Muscle pain			
Muscle spasms			
Muscle stiffness			
Muscle twitches: Around eyes			
Arms or legs			
Muscle weakness			
Neck muscle spasm			
Tendonitis			
Tension headache			
TMJ problems			
MOOD/NERVES:			
Agoraphobia			
Anxiety			
Auditory hallucinations			
Black-out			
Depression			
Difficulty: Concentrating			
With balance			
With thinking			
With judgment			
With speech			
With memory			
Dizziness (spinning)			
Fainting			
Fearfulness			
Irritability			
Light-headedness			

MOOD/NERVES, Cont'd:	Mild	Mod	Severe
Numbness			
Other Phobias			
Panic attacks			
Paranoia			
Seizures			
Suicidal thoughts			
Tingling			
Tremor/trembling			
Visual hallucinations			
EATING:			
Binge eating			
Bulimia			
Can't gain weight			
Can't lose weight			
Carbohydrate craving			
Carbohydrate intolerance			
Poor appetite			
Salt craving			
DIGESTION:			
Anal spasms			
Bad teeth			
Bleeding gums			
Bloating of: Lower abdomen			
Whole abdomen			
Blood in stools			
Burping			
Canker sores			
Cold sores			
Constipation			
Cracking at corner of lips			
Dentures w/poor chewing			
Diarrhea			
Difficulty swallowing			
Dry mouth			
Farting			

DIGESTION, Cont'd:	Mild	Mod	Severe
Fissures			
Foods "repeat" (reflux)			
Heartburn			
Hemorrhoids			
Intolerance to: Lactose			
All milk products			
Intolerance to: Gluten (wheat)			
Corn			
Eggs			
Fatty foods			
Yeast			
Liver disease/jaundice (yellow eyes or skin)			
Lower abdominal pain			
Mucus in stools			
Nausea			
Periodontal disease			
Sore tongue			
Strong stool odor			
Undigested food in stools			
Upper abdominal pain			
Vomiting			
SKIN PROBLEMS:			
Acne on back			
Acne on chest			
Acne on face			
Acne on shoulders			
Athlete's foot			
Bumps on back of upper arms			
Cellulite			
Dark circles under eyes			
Ears get red			
Easy bruising			

SKIN PROBLEMS, Cont'd:	Mild	Mod	Severe
Eczema			
Herpes - genital			
Hives			
Jock itch			
Lackluster skin			
Moles w color/size change			
Oily skin			
Pale skin			
Patchy dullness			
Psoriasis			
Rash			
Red face			
Sensitive to bites			
Sensitive to poison ivy/oak			
Shingles			
Skin cancer			
Skin darkening			
Strong body odor			
Thick calluses			
Vitiligo			
SKIN, ITCHING:			
Anus			
Arms			
Ear canals			
Eyes			
Feet			
Hands			
Legs			
Nipples			
Nose			
Penis			
Roof of mouth			
Scalp			
Skin in general			
Throat			

SKIN, DRYNESS OF:	Mild	Mod	Severe
Eyes			
Feet			
Any cracking?			
Any peeling?			
Hair			
And unmanageable?			
Hands			
Any cracking?			
Any peeling?			
Mouth/throat			
Scalp			
Any dandruff?			
Skin in general			
LYMPH NODES:			
Enlarged/neck			
Tender/neck			
Other enlarged/tender lymph nodes			
NAILS:			
Bitten			
Brittle			
Curve up			
Frayed			
Fungus - fingers			
Fungus - toes			
Pitting			
Ragged cuticles			
Ridges			
Soft			
Thickening of: Finger nails			
Toenails			
White spots/lines			

RESPIRATORY:	Mild	Mod	Severe
Bad breath		-	
Bad odor in nose			
Cough - dry			
Cough - productive			
Hay fever : Spring			
Summer			
Fall			
Change of season			
Hoarseness			
Nasal stuffiness			
Nose bleeds			
Post nasal drip			
Sinus fullness			
Sinus infection			
Snoring			
Sore throat			
Wheezing			
Winter stuffiness			
CARDIOVASCULAR:			
Angina/chest pain			
Breathlessness			
Heart attack			
Heart murmur			
High blood pressure			
Irregular pulse			
Mitral valve prolapse			
Palpitations			
Phlebitis			
Swollen ankles/feet			
Varicose veins			

URINARY:	Mild	Mod	Severe
Bed wetting		-	
Hesitancy			
Infection			
Kidney disease			
Kidney stone			
Leaking/incontinence			
Pain/burning			
Prostate enlargement			
Prostate infection			
Urgency			
MALE REPRODUCTIVE:			
Discharge from penis			
Ejaculation problem			
Genital pain			
Impotence			
Infection			
Lumps in testicles			
Poor libido (sex drive)			
FEMALE REPRODUCTIVE:			
Breast cysts			
Breast lumps			
Breast tenderness			
Ovarian cyst			
Poor libido (sex drive)			
Endometriosis			
Fibroids			
Infertility			
Vaginal discharge			
Vaginal odor			
Vaginal itch			
Vaginal pain			

Medical Symptoms Questionnaire

Name _____ Date _____

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
- 1** -Occasionally have it, effect is not severe
- 2** -Occasionally has it and effect is severe
- 3** -Frequently has it and effect is not severe
- 4** -Frequently has it and 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 _____

DIGESTIVE TRACT

- _____ Nausea, vomiting
- _____ Diarrhea
- _____ Constipation
- _____ Bloating feeling
- _____ Belching, passing gas

GRAND TOTAL _____

Please list your current supplements, dose and frequency.

- _____ Heartburn
- _____ Intestinal/stomach pain

Total _____

JOINTS/MUSCLE

- _____ 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 _____

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 _____

ENERGY/ACTIVITY

- _____ Fatigue, sluggishness
- _____ Apathy, lethargy
- _____ Hyperactivity
- _____ Restlessness

Total _____

MIND

- _____ 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 _____

Medications/Supplements	Dose	Freq.