

DIZZY QUESTIONNAIRE

Patient's Name: _____ Date: _____

Please read through the entire questionnaire first, then circle yes or no to describe your feelings most accurately. Answer all questions accurately and completely (fill in the blanks).

When you are dizzy, do you experience any of the following sensations?

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| Yes | No | Lightheadedness or swimming sensation in your head? |
| Yes | No | Blacking out or loss of consciousness? |
| Yes | No | Tendency to fall to the right? |
| Yes | No | Tendency to fall to the left? |
| Yes | No | Tendency to fall forward? |
| Yes | No | Tendency to fall backwards? |
| Yes | No | Objects spinning or turning around you? |
| Yes | No | Sensation that you are turning or spinning inside, with the outside objects remaining stationary? |
| Yes | No | Loss of balance when walking - veering to the right? |
| Yes | No | Loss of balance when walking - veering to the left? |
| Yes | No | Headache? |
| Yes | No | Nausea or vomiting? |
| Yes | No | Pressure in the head? |
| Yes | No | My dizziness is constant. |
| Yes | No | My dizziness is in attacks. |
| Yes | No | If in attacks, how often? _____ |
| | | How long do they last? _____ |
| | | When was the last attack? _____ |
| | | When did the dizziness first occur? _____ |
| Yes | No | Do you have any warning that the attack is about to start? |
| Yes | No | Do they occur at any particular time of day or night? If yes, what time. _____ |
| Yes | No | Are you completely free of dizziness between attacks? |
| Yes | No | Does change of position make you dizzy? |
| Yes | No | Do you have trouble walking in the dark? |
| Yes | No | When you are dizzy, must you support yourself standing? |
| Yes | No | Do you know of any possible cause of your dizziness? If so, what? _____ |
| Yes | No | Do you know of any thing that will stop you dizziness or make it better? If so what? _____ |
| Yes | No | Do you know of any thing that will make your dizziness worse? If so, what? _____ |

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- Yes No Were you exposed to any irritating fumes, paints, etc at the onset of your dizziness?
- Yes No Do you have any allergies? If yes, to what? _____
- Yes No Did you ever have an injury to your head? If yes, were you unconscious? Yes No
- Yes No Do you take medications regularly? If yes, list name and dosage

- Yes No Do you use tobacco of any form? If yes, what kind and how much?

Do you have any of the following symptoms? Circle yes or no and ear involved.

- Yes No Difficulty hearing? BOTH RIGHT LEFT
- Yes No Noise in ear? BOTH RIGHT LEFT
If yes, describe the noise: _____
- Yes No Does the noise change with dizziness? BOTH RIGHT LEFT
If yes, how? _____
- Yes No Fullness/Stuffiness in your ears? BOTH RIGHT LEFT
- Yes No Pain in your ears? BOTH RIGHT LEFT
- Yes No Discharge from your ears? BOTH RIGHT LEFT

Have you experienced any of the following symptoms? Circle yes or no and circle if constant or in episodes.

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| Yes | No | Double/blurred vision or blindness? | CONSTANT | EPISODES |
| Yes | No | Numbness of face or extremities? | CONSTANT | EPISODES |
| Yes | No | Weakness in arms or legs? | CONSTANT | EPISODES |
| Yes | No | Clumsiness in arms or legs? | CONSTANT | EPISODES |
| Yes | No | Confusion or loss of consciousness? | CONSTANT | EPISODES |
| Yes | No | Difficulty with speech? | CONSTANT | EPISODES |
| Yes | No | Difficulty with swallowing? | CONSTANT | EPISODES |
| Yes | No | Pain in the neck or shoulders? | CONSTANT | EPISODES |

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