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DIZZINESS HISTORY QUESTIONNAIRE

PATIENT INFORMATION

Patient's Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Date(s) of Evaluation: _____

Signature of Patient/Parent/Guardian

Relationship to Patient

PREFERRED PROVIDER INFORMATION

Check box if you would like us to send results to your provider

<p>Primary Care Physician/Pediatrician: Address: City/State/Zip: Phone Number: Fax Number:</p>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<p>ENT/Otolaryngologist: Address: City/State/Zip: Phone Number: Fax Number:</p>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<p>Hearing Aid Dispenser: Address: City/State/Zip: Phone Number: Fax Number:</p>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<p>Other: Address: City/State/Zip: Phone Number: Fax Number:</p>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Patient Name: _____

Medical Record #: _____

PATIENT INFORMATION

First, Middle, Last Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Age: _____ Gender: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ County: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email: _____

Primary Language: _____

Primary concern for this appointment: _____

Who referred you for this appointment? _____

REFERRING PHYSICIAN INFORMATION

Physician Name: _____

Phone Number: _____ Fax Number: _____

Address: _____

City/State: _____ Zip: _____

VESTIBULAR HISTORY

1. When was the first time you experienced dizziness? What were the circumstances?

Was the onset of your symptoms: Sudden Gradual Overnight

2. When was the last time you experienced dizziness? What were the circumstances?

3. Currently my dizziness...(check ONE)

- Is constant
- Is always there, but changes in intensity
- Comes and goes. If so...

How long does it last? Seconds Minutes Hours

How often does it occur? _____ times per _____ (day/week/month/year)

4. My dizziness mostly consists of...(check ALL that apply)

- Spells of spinning with nausea
- Off-balance sensation/unsteadiness
- A light-headed or near faint sensation
- Other. Please explain: _____

5. Between episodes I feel...(check ONE)

- Dizzy or off balance all the time
- Normal
- Other. Please explain: _____

6. My episodes occur...(check ALL that apply)
- Spontaneously. Nothing I do seems to bring them on or turn them off
 - Only when standing or walking
 - In relation to any head motion
 - In relation to only certain head positions
7. Do you have any warning signs that an episode is about to occur? YES NO
 If so, please explain: _____
8. When I roll over in bed...(check ONE)
- Nothing unusual happens
 - The room seems to spin sometimes
 - The room spins every time
9. Is there anything that you can do to make your dizziness go away? (Sit/lie down/close eyes)
 Please explain: _____
10. Is there anything that makes your dizziness worse?
 Please explain: _____
11. Check ALL that apply:
- | | | | |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| I have hearing difficulty | <input type="checkbox"/> Right | <input type="checkbox"/> Left | <input type="checkbox"/> Both |
| I have ringing in my ears | <input type="checkbox"/> Right | <input type="checkbox"/> Left | <input type="checkbox"/> Both |
| I have fullness (pressure) | <input type="checkbox"/> Right | <input type="checkbox"/> Left | <input type="checkbox"/> Both |
| I have had ear surgery | <input type="checkbox"/> Right | <input type="checkbox"/> Left | <input type="checkbox"/> Both |
12. When was your last hearing evaluation? _____
 What were the results? _____
13. Please circle Yes or No:
- | | | |
|--|-----|----|
| Did you have a cold/flu/virus type symptoms shortly before the onset of your dizziness? | Yes | No |
| Were you exposed to any irritating fumes, paints, etc. at the onset of your dizziness? | Yes | No |
| Do you get dizzy if you have not eaten? | Yes | No |
| Did you cough, lift, sneeze, fly in a plane, swim under water, or suffer head trauma shortly before the onset of your dizziness? | Yes | No |
| Did you get new glasses recently? | Yes | No |
| I consider myself to be anxious/tense. | Yes | No |
| I am under a great deal of stress. | Yes | No |
| I need to support myself to stand/walk. | Yes | No |
| I have fallen as a result of my current problem. | Yes | No |
14. When you are walking, do you: Lean left? Lean right? Remain in a straight path?
 Please explain: _____

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MEDICAL HISTORY

15. In the past year I have had...(check ALL that apply)

- | | | |
|--|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Loss of consciousness | <input type="checkbox"/> Occasional loss of vision | <input type="checkbox"/> Double vision |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Heart palpitations | <input type="checkbox"/> Severe headache/migraine | <input type="checkbox"/> Seizures or convulsions |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Slurring of speech | <input type="checkbox"/> Weakness in hand/arm/leg | <input type="checkbox"/> Tendency to fall |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Difficulty swallowing | <input type="checkbox"/> Tingling around the mouth | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Spots before the eyes | <input type="checkbox"/> Loss of balance when walking | |

16. I have or have had...(check ALL that apply)

- | | | |
|--|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Diabetes | <input type="checkbox"/> Stroke | <input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Sclerosis |
| <input type="checkbox"/> High blood pressure | <input type="checkbox"/> Migraine headaches | <input type="checkbox"/> Parkinson's Disease |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Arthritis | <input type="checkbox"/> Neck/back injury | <input type="checkbox"/> Macular Degeneration |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Irregular heartbeat | <input type="checkbox"/> Seasonal allergies | |

17. Please check below for any medications you have tried or are currently taking for your dizziness:

	In past	Now	Helps
Antivert (meclizine)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Valium (diazepam)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Dyazide "water pills"	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

18. Please list any medications you are currently taking: _____

19. Please list any surgeries you have had: _____