

Appt. Date:

Appt. Time:

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Initial Pain Management Patient Questionnaire

*Dear New Pain Management Patient,*

Welcome to the New England Pain Management Consultants Clinic. Please take a few moments to carefully and completely fill out the following questions regarding your pain history and medical history. Accurate completion of this form is important, so please ask the receptionist or the nurse if you have any questions. When choices are given, circle the answer that is correct.

At New England Pain Management Consultants, your time is important to us. We greatly appreciate your arriving on time and will always do our best to stay on schedule so that you don't have to wait for your appointment. Occasionally, we do get behind schedule because of emergencies or because prior patients have required more time for their appointment than we had anticipated. In the event that this happens, please be assured that you will be seen as soon as possible and always in the order which you were scheduled.

Thank you,

The New England Pain Management  
Consultants Staff

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_

REFERRING MD: \_\_\_\_\_ PRIMARY MD: \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

**Chief Complaint:**

Please briefly state the main reason you are here today. For example: low back pain, headache, right shoulder pain, etc.

**History of Illness:**

When did your pain first start? \_\_\_\_\_

How did your pain start? \_\_\_\_\_

Was it the result of an accident or injury?  YES  NO

Are you involved in litigation (a lawsuit)?  YES  NO

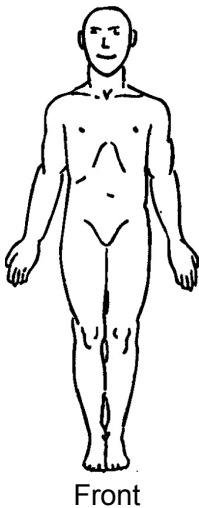
Is Worker's Compensation involved in injury?  YES  NO

Does the pain radiate from this part of your body to another area? If yes, Where?

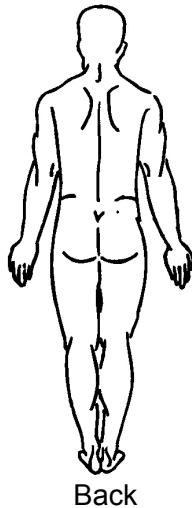
Please check the words that best describe your pain:

- |                                   |                                   |                                      |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> ACHING   | <input type="checkbox"/> HOT      | <input type="checkbox"/> SHOOTING    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> SHARP    | <input type="checkbox"/> COLD     | <input type="checkbox"/> NAGGING     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> BURNING  | <input type="checkbox"/> NUMB     | <input type="checkbox"/> SEVERE      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> STABBING | <input type="checkbox"/> TINGLING | <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER _____ |

Please indicate on the chart where your pain is:



Front



Back



Left



Right

Please circle the number on the scale of 0 – 10 that represents your pain:

0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10  
No Pain Severe Pain

Is your pain constant or intermittent?

Constant

Intermittent

If your pain is intermittent, is there a time of the day when your pain is usually worse or better?

Worse \_\_\_\_\_ AM / PM

Better \_\_\_\_\_ AM / PM

Are there activities that make your pain worse (For example: walking, sitting, stair climbing, etc.)?

\_\_\_\_\_

What makes your pain better?

\_\_\_\_\_

**Diagnostics Tests:**

Please check any diagnostic tests you have had for this condition:

\_\_\_\_\_ MRI \_\_\_\_\_ CAT Scan \_\_\_\_\_ EMG \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

Please check any treatment you have had for pain:

\_\_\_\_\_ Acupuncture \_\_\_\_\_ Chiropractor \_\_\_\_\_ Heat/Cold \_\_\_\_\_ Massage \_\_\_\_\_ Medications

\_\_\_\_\_ Nerve Block or other Steroid Injections \_\_\_\_\_ Physical/Aqua Therapy

\_\_\_\_\_ Surgery \_\_\_\_\_ Tens \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Current Medications:** All other medications **not** for pain.

| Medication | Amount (Mg) | Frequency | What is it for? |
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**Allergies:**

Please list any medications that you are allergic to and the adverse reaction that you have.

Check if you have no known drug allergies.

| Medication: | Adverse Reaction: |
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**Past Medical History:**

Do you have a history of any of the following?

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| Chest Pain               | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO | Stroke                | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO |
| Heart Attack             | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO | Ulcer Disease         | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO |
| High Blood Pressure      | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO | Diabetes              | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO |
| Congestive Heart Failure | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO | Thyroid Disease       | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO |
| Abnormal Heart Rhythm    | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO | Anemia                | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO |
| Asthma                   | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO | Bleeding Disorders    | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO |
| Pneumonia                | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO | Arthritis             | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO |
| Kidney Failure           | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO | Psychiatric Disorders | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO |
| Prostate Trouble         | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO | Cancer                | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO |
| Liver Failure            | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO | Seizures              | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO |
| Hepatitis                | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO | Are You Pregnant?     | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input type="checkbox"/> NO |

**Past Surgical History:**

Please list any surgical procedures that you have had and the date of the surgery.

Check this box if you have never had surgery.

| Surgery | Date of Operation |
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**Family History:** Please list any diseases that run in your family.  
(for example: diabetes, heart disease, cancer, etc.)

**Social History:**

Do you smoke?  YES  NO If so how much? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you drink alcohol?  YES  NO If so how much? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever had a problem with alcoholism?  YES  NO

Do you have any history of using Marijuana, Cocaine, Heroin, or other illegal drugs?  YES  NO

If yes which drugs? \_\_\_\_\_

Marital Status: Single Married Divorced Widowed Committed Relationship

Work Status: Working Not working Retired Disabled

Disability: Temporary Permanent

Reason for Disability: \_\_\_\_\_

**Review Of Symptoms:**

|                 |                              |                             |                     |                              |                             |
|-----------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Headache        | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | Diarrhea            | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Palpitations    | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | Bladder/Bowel       | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Chronic Cough   | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | Incontinence        | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Heartburn       | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | Heat Tolerance      | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Blood In Urine  | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | Weakness            | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Thirst/Polyuria | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | Shortness Of Breath | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Visual Problems | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | Constipation        | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Chest Pain      | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | Swelling            | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Wheezing        | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No | Other _____         | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**THIS IS THE END OF THE PATIENT SECTION, THE REST OF THE INFORMATION WILL BE FILLED IN BY YOUR NURSE AND DOCTOR.**

**Pre-Procedure Evaluation:**

**History of present illness:**

\_\_\_\_\_

BP: \_\_\_\_\_ Pulse: \_\_\_\_\_ Ht: \_\_\_\_\_ Wt. \_\_\_\_\_ VNS: \_\_\_\_\_

**Physical Exam:**

Airways: \_\_\_\_\_ Lung: \_\_\_\_\_ Heart: \_\_\_\_\_ ASA: \_\_\_\_\_

Musculoskeletal: \_\_\_\_\_

Neurological: \_\_\_\_\_

Diagnosis: \_\_\_\_\_

Plan of Procedure: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date