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## **COMPREHENSIVE ORIENTAL MEDICAL INTAKE FORM**

Name:		Birthdate:	Height:	Weight:			
Address:		City:	State:	Zip Code:			
Home Phone:	Work P	hone:	Cell Phone:				
Email:	Оссир	Occupation:		Referred by:			
In Case of Emergen	cy Contact:		Phone:				
REASON FOR TODA	Y'S VISIT:						
MEDICAL HISTORY	CLICK <b>1st box</b> of any CLICK <b>2nd box</b> of an	y of the following con ny of the following co	ditions which <b>YOU</b> ha nditions, anyone in <b>Y</b> e	ve had in the past. <b>DUR FAMILY</b> has had.			
Cancer: Diab	etes: Hepatitis:	Heart Disease:	Blood Clots:	Anemia:			
Stroke: Obes	sity: Asthma:	Tuberculosis:	Blood Pressure: Hig	gh Low			
Herpes: HIV/A	AIDS: Alcoholism:	_ High Cholesterol: _	Suicide: Thy	<b>roid:</b> High Low			
Autoimmune:	Mental Illness	::	Drug/Other Addict	on:			
ARE YOU PREGNANT RIGHT NOW? DO YOU HAVE A PACEMAKER OR DEFIBRILLATOR?							
MEDICATIONS:	SIGNIFICANT ITEMS IN TH						
ALLERGIES:							
SURGERIES / HOSPITALIZATIONS :							
ACCIDENTS (include	e year):						
STRESSES (Mental, Emotional, Physical, etc.):							
EXERCISE (Type and Frequency per week):							
HABITS: PLEASE LIST TIMES PER WEEK YOU USE THE FOLLOWING SUBSTANCES:							
Tobacco:	Alcohol: 3	Sugars:	Recreational Drugs:				
Coffee:	Tea:	Sodas:	Energy Drinks:	Other:			

### List the areas of your body where you are experiencing pain:

Where?			
When?			
Radiates? To Where?			
Tingling/Numbness?			
Limited range of Motion			
Pain is aggravated by what?			
Herniated discs at which level?			

# Click the box next to the symptoms you experience frequently:

Fever/Chills Sneezing/runny nose Cough Phlegm Color Dry, sore throat Itchy, watery eyes	Dry skin Asthma/Wheezing Nasal Congestion Post nasal drip Nose bleeding Loss of voice / hoarseness Frequent colds or flu	Loss of smell/taste Hemorrhoids/Fissures Constipation Blood or mucous in stool Itchy/burning anus # Bowel movements/day	Eczema Psoriasis Hives/rashes Itchy skin Acne Excessive sadness or grief
Low back pain/weakness Knee pain/weakness Ear ringing/Tinnitus Sex drive (High or Low) Night sweats Don't sweat easily	Cold hands/feet Water retention/edema Nocturnal emission Premature ejaculation Impotence Prostatitis	Urinary Problems: burning frequent urination dribbling bloody Night Urination #times:	Impaired hearing Hair Loss Poor memory Excessive fear
Migraines Dizziness / Vertigo Rib area pain Spasms/twitching/tics Soft / Brittle nails	Hernia Trouble digesting oily food Grinding teeth at night Bitter taste in the mouth Light-colored stool	Dry eyes Red, sensitive eyes Impaired vision splain Blurry vision	Depression Easily angered or frustrated Indecisiveness Moodiness
Insomnia Difficulty falling asleep Difficulty staying asleep Many dreams/nightmares	Chest pain Palpitations (flutters) Irregular heart beat Shortness of breath	<ul> <li>Faint easily</li> <li>Mental restlessness or excitability</li> <li>Anxiety or nervousness</li> </ul>	Excessive sweating Mouth/Tongue ulcer Heat sensation in palms
Fatigue/When? Excess/reduced appetite Abdominal pain When Bloating Belching/Burping	Heartburn Nausea Vomiting Recent weight gain/loss Bleeding gums Bad breath	Black/Tarry stools Loose stools or diarrhea Flatulence Bruise easily Difficulty to stop bleeding Excessive worrying	Dry Mouth Excessive thirst Lack of thirst Prefer hot drinks Prefer cold drinks
Women Only: Date of last menses: Age menses started Duration of flow Frequency of menses Number of pregnancies Number of births		Breast swelling, tenderness, Abnormal vaginal discharge Texture:(watery) Color:Ode Menopause since Hot_flashes	

Please type your name below to confirm all statements and information supplied by you are true to the best of your knowledge.

### INFORMED CONSENT FORM

I hereby request and consent to the performance of acupuncture treatments and other procedures within the scope of practice of acupuncture on me (or the patient named below for whom I am legally responsible) by Niseema Agarwal, L.Ac.

I understand that methods of treatment may include, but are not limited to, acupuncture, moxabustion, cupping, electrical stimulation, Tui-Na (Oriental massage), Herbal medicine and nutritional counseling.

I have been informed that acupuncture is a generally safe method of treatment, but that it may have some side effects, including bruising, numbness or tingling near the needling sites that may last a few days. Bruising is a common side effect of cupping. Burns and/or scarring area potential risk of moxabustion and cupping. Rarely fainting or dizziness may occur. Unusual risks of acupuncture include nerve damage, organ puncture, including lung puncture, or spontaneous miscarriage.

I understand that while this document describes the major risks of treatment, other side effects and risks may occur. The herbs and nutritional supplements (which are from plant, animal and mineral sources) that have been recommended are traditionally safe in the practice of Oriental Medicine, although some may be toxic in large dosages. I understand that some herbs may be inappropriate during pregnancy. Some possible side effects of consumption of herbs are nausea, gas, stomachache, vomiting, headache, diarrhea, rashes, hives and tingling of the tongue. I will report any adverse side effects to the acupuncturist immediately. I will notify the acupuncturist if I am or become pregnant. I do not expect the acupuncturist to be able to anticipate and explain all possible risks and complications of treatment. I understand that the results are not guaranteed.

I understand that the acupuncturist and administrative staff may review my patient records and lab reports, but all my records will be kept confidential and will not be released without my written consent.

By voluntarily signing below, I show that I have read, or have had read to me, the above consent to treatment, have been told about risks and benefits of acupuncture, moxabustion, cupping and other procedures and have had an opportunity to ask questions. I intend this consent form to cover the entire course of treatment for my present condition and for any future condition(s) for which I seek treatment.

#### PLEASE TYPE YOUR NAME BELOW TO CONFIRM THAT YOU HAVE READ AND UNDERSTOOD THE ABOVE STATEMENTS.

#### PATIENT SIGNATURE

(Or patient representative, indicate relationship if signing for patient)

### 24-HOUR CANCELLATION NOTICE REQUIRED

I understand that a 24 hour cancellation notice is required otherwise I will be charged the full amount of the fee for the missed appointment. (Note: Monday appointments need to cancel by Friday 5pm.)

PLEASE TYPE YOUR NAME BELOW TO CONFIRM THAT YOU HAVE READ AND UNDERSTOOD THE ABOVE STATEMENTS.

PATIENT SIGNATURE

DATE:

DATE:

(Or patient representative)

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