



**HEALTH CONCERNS**

*Please list, in order of importance, your health concerns followed by how long you have had each concern or conditions. Ex: High blood pressure, 5 years.*

- 1. \_\_\_\_\_
- 2. \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. \_\_\_\_\_
- 4. \_\_\_\_\_

What do you believe is the cause of condition #1?

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If you have been treated for this condition, what method or medicine was used?

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**HEALTH GOALS**

*Please tell me a little bit about your short- and long-term health goals.*

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What is your present level of commitment to address any underlying causes of your signs and symptoms that relate to your lifestyle? (Rate from 1 to 10, with 10 being 100% committed)

- 1  2  3  4  5  6  7  8  9  10

Do you feel like you have a good support network?  Yes  No

What behaviors or lifestyle habits do you currently engage in regularly that you believe support your health? (Please list)

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What behaviors or lifestyle habits do you currently engage in regularly that you believe are self-destructive lifestyle habits? (Please list)

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Please tell us a little about what you expect from us as your wellness specialists so we can try our best to meet your needs:

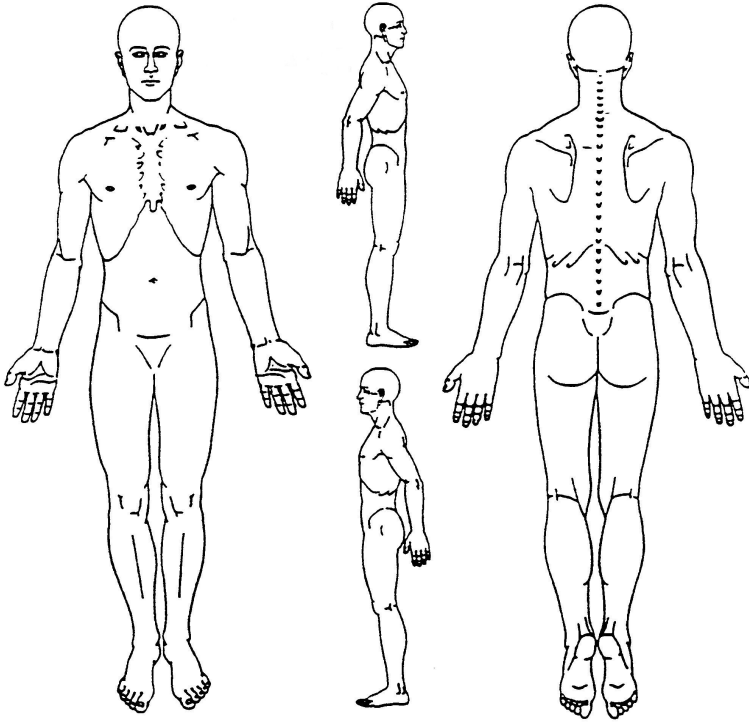
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## CURRENT SYMPTOMS

When and how did your symptoms begin: \_\_\_\_\_

Overall are your symptoms:  Improving  Remaining the same  Worsening



**Mark the location of your symptoms:**

Pain

//// Sharp

△ Aching

↓↓↓ Radiating

\*\*\* Numbness/tingling/burning

Swelling

**Pain Intensity:** (rate pain from 0 to 10)

No pain

Worst Pain

0 - 1 - 2 - 3 - 4 - 5 - 6 - 7 - 8 - 9 - 10

List and date any major surgeries, accidents, or traumas:

1. \_\_\_\_\_ Onset? \_\_\_\_\_ Severity? (1-10) \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_ Onset? \_\_\_\_\_ Severity? (1-10) \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_ Onset? \_\_\_\_\_ Severity? (1-10) \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_ Onset? \_\_\_\_\_ Severity? (1-10) \_\_\_\_\_

## ALLERGIES

List any known allergies and describe your reaction:

1. \_\_\_\_\_ 4. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_ 5. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_ 6. \_\_\_\_\_

## REVIEW OF SYSTEMS

Please check any conditions you are currently experiencing or have experienced in the past.

### Gastrointestinal

- |  |  |  |  |
|--|--|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Nausea            | <input type="checkbox"/> Pain/Cramps   | <input type="checkbox"/> Excess Gas      | <input type="checkbox"/> Vomiting        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Excess belching   | <input type="checkbox"/> Constipation  | <input type="checkbox"/> Hemorrhoids     | <input type="checkbox"/> Black stools    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sensitive abdomen | <input type="checkbox"/> Diarrhea      | <input type="checkbox"/> Heartburn       | <input type="checkbox"/> Blood in stools |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bad breath        | <input type="checkbox"/> Peptic ulcers | <input type="checkbox"/> Rectal bleeding | <input type="checkbox"/> Gastritis       |

### Cardiovascular

- |   |  |   |  |
|---|--|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> High blood pressure  | <input type="checkbox"/> Low blood pressure  | <input type="checkbox"/> Blood clots        | <input type="checkbox"/> Dizziness       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fainting             | <input type="checkbox"/> Phlebitis           | <input type="checkbox"/> Chest pain         | <input type="checkbox"/> Cold hands/feet |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Difficulty breathing | <input type="checkbox"/> Irregular heartbeat | <input type="checkbox"/> Hand/foot swelling |  |

### Respiratory

- |                                     |   |  |   |
|-------------------------------------|---|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cough      | <input type="checkbox"/> Coughing blood     | <input type="checkbox"/> Pneumonia         | <input type="checkbox"/> Asthma                                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bronchitis | <input type="checkbox"/> Tightness in chest | <input type="checkbox"/> Phlegm production | <input type="checkbox"/> Breathing difficulties when lying down |

### Genito-Urinary

- |  |                                       |   |   |
|--|---------------------------------------|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pain on urination | <input type="checkbox"/> Incontinence | <input type="checkbox"/> Urgency to urinate | <input type="checkbox"/> Frequent urination |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Kidney stones     | <input type="checkbox"/> Impotency    | <input type="checkbox"/> Blood in urine     | <input type="checkbox"/> Waking to urinate  |

\*If waking to urinate at night, how many times per night (on average)? \_\_\_\_\_

### Neuropsychological

- |                                      |                                      |   |  |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Seizures    | <input type="checkbox"/> Depression  | <input type="checkbox"/> Area of numbness | <input type="checkbox"/> Anxiety         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Poor memory | <input type="checkbox"/> Mood swings | <input type="checkbox"/> Concussion       | <input type="checkbox"/> Easily stressed |

\*Have you been treated for emotional difficulties?  Yes  No If so, when? \_\_\_\_\_

### Head, Eyes, Ears, Nose, Throat

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|---|--|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Grinding teeth   | <input type="checkbox"/> Teeth problems  | <input type="checkbox"/> Jaw clicks           | <input type="checkbox"/> Dry mouth            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dry throat       | <input type="checkbox"/> Excess saliva   | <input type="checkbox"/> Gum problems         | <input type="checkbox"/> Frequent sore throat |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Lip/Tongue Sores | <input type="checkbox"/> Sinus problems  | <input type="checkbox"/> Nose bleeds          | <input type="checkbox"/> Excess mucus         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Migraines        | <input type="checkbox"/> Facial pain     | <input type="checkbox"/> Poor hearing         | <input type="checkbox"/> Ringing in ears      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Earaches         | <input type="checkbox"/> Blurry vision   | <input type="checkbox"/> Cataracts            | <input type="checkbox"/> Spots in eyes        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Eye strain       | <input type="checkbox"/> Night blindness | <input type="checkbox"/> Glasses/Contacts     | <input type="checkbox"/> Eye pain             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Poor vision      | <input type="checkbox"/> Glaucoma        | <input type="checkbox"/> Macular degeneration | <input type="checkbox"/> Eye strains          |

### Skin and Hair

- |                                 |                                   |                                      |                                       |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Rashes | <input type="checkbox"/> Eczema   | <input type="checkbox"/> Ulcerations | <input type="checkbox"/> Acne         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hives  | <input type="checkbox"/> Dandruff | <input type="checkbox"/> Itching     | <input type="checkbox"/> Loss of hair |

\*Change in hair/skin texture?  Yes  No

\*Other hair/skin problems: \_\_\_\_\_

**REVIEW OF SYSTEMS - CONTINUED**

**Sweat**

- Easily perspire       Rarely perspire       Night sweats

**Temperature**

- Heat intolerance       Cold intolerance       Alternating hot/cold

\*If you experience feelings of heat, where is it located? \_\_\_\_\_

\*If you experience feelings of coldness, where is it located? \_\_\_\_\_

**Sleep**

- Cannot fall asleep       Wake too early       Tossing/turning       Tired upon waking  
 Wake up easily       Excessive sleep       Snoring       Lots of dreams

\*How many times do you wake up during the night (on average)? \_\_\_\_\_

**Appetite**

- Large       Average       None       Snacks between meals

*Please fill this out according to your current lifestyle:*

	NONE	A LITTLE	A LOT
Fruits and veggies			
Meat			
Dairy			
Fast food			
Soda/Caffeine			
Sugar			
Gluten			
Cigarettes			
Alcohol			
Marijuana			
Other recreational drugs			

**Pregnancy and Gynecology (if applicable)**

Are you pregnant?  Yes  No If Yes, how many months? \_\_\_\_\_

Number of children: \_\_\_\_\_ Ages: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of pregnancies: \_\_\_\_\_ Number of live births: \_\_\_\_\_ Premature births: \_\_\_\_\_ Miscarriages: \_\_\_\_\_

Last PAP: \_\_\_\_\_ Age at first period: \_\_\_\_\_ Period duration (days): \_\_\_\_\_ Last period: \_\_\_\_\_

Flow:  Heavy  Light  Regular  Irregular

Menopausal Status:  Pre-menopausal  Post-menopausal

Do you experience clotting and/or vaginal discharge?  Yes  No

If yes, how much and how often? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you experience vaginal sores?  Yes  No Breast lumps?  Yes  No

## ACUPUNCTURE INFORMED CONSENT TO TREAT

I hereby request and consent to the performance of acupuncture treatments and other procedures within the scope of the practice of acupuncture on me (or on the patient named below, for whom I am legally responsible) by the acupuncturist named below and/or other licensed acupuncturists who now or in the future treat me while employed by, working or associated with or serving as back-up for the acupuncturist named below, including those working at the clinic or office listed below or any other office or clinic, whether signatories to this form or not.

I understand that methods of treatment may include, but are not limited to, acupuncture, moxibustion, cupping, electrical stimulation, Tui-Na (Chinese massage), Chinese herbal medicine, and nutritional counseling. I understand that the herbs may need to be prepared and the teas consumed according to the instructions provided orally and in writing. The herbs may be an unpleasant smell or taste. I will immediately notify a member of the clinical staff of any unanticipated or unpleasant effects associated with the consumption of the herbs.

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, and dizziness or fainting. Bruising is a common side effect of cupping. Unusual risks of acupuncture include spontaneous miscarriage, nerve damage and organ puncture, including lung puncture (pneumothorax). Infection is another possible risk, although the clinic uses sterile disposable needles and maintains a clean and safe environment. Burns and/or scarring are a potential risk of moxibustion and cupping.

I understand that while this document describes the major risks of treatment, other side effect and risks may occur. The herbs and nutritional supplements (which are from plant, animal and mineral sources) that have been recommended are traditionally considered safe in the practice of Chinese Medicine, although some may be toxic in large doses. I understand that some herbs may be inappropriate during pregnancy. Some possible side effects of taking herbs are nausea, gas, stomachache, vomiting, headache, diarrhea, rashes, hives, and tingling of the tongue. I will notify a clinical staff member who is caring for me if I am or become pregnant.

While I do not expect the clinical staff to be able to anticipate and explain all possible risks and complications of treatment, I wish to rely on the clinical staff to exercise judgment during the course of treatment which the clinical staff thinks at the time, based upon the facts then known is in my best interest. I understand that results are not guaranteed.

I understand the clinical 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 the risks and benefits of acupuncture 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.

Acupuncturist Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Patient Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Patient Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## ARBITRATION AGREEMENT

**Article 1: Agreement to Arbitrate:** It is understood that any dispute as to medical malpractice, including whether any medical services rendered under this contract were unnecessary or unauthorized or were improperly, negligently or incompetently rendered, will be determined by submission to arbitration as provided by state and federal law, and not by a lawsuit or resort to court process, except as state and federal law provides for judicial review of arbitration proceedings. Both parties to this contract, by entering into it, are giving up their constitutional right to have any such dispute decided in a court of law before a jury, and instead are accepting the use of arbitration.

**Article 2: All Claims Must be Arbitrated:** It is also understood that any dispute that does not relate to medical malpractice, including disputes as to whether or not a dispute is subject to arbitration, as to whether this agreement is unconscionable, and any procedural disputes, will also be determined by submission to binding arbitration. It is the intention of the parties that this agreement bind all parties as to all claims, including claims arising out of or relating to treatment or services provided by the health care provider, including any heirs or past, present or future spouse(s) of the patient in relation to all claims, including loss of consortium. This agreement is also intended to bind any children of the patient whether born or unborn at the time of the occurrence giving rise to any claim. This agreement is intended to bind the patient and the health care provider and/or other licensed health care providers, preceptors, or interns who now or in the future treat the patient while employed by, working or associated with or serving as a back-up for the health care provider, including those working at the health care provider's clinic or office or any other clinic or office whether signatories to this form or not.

All claims for monetary damages exceeding the jurisdictional limit of the small claims court against the health care provider, and/or the health care provider's associates, association, corporation, partnership, employees, agents and estate, must be arbitrated including, without limitation, claims for loss of consortium, wrongful death, emotional distress, injunctive relief, or punitive damages. This agreement is intended to create an open book account unless and until revoked.

**Article 3: Procedures and Applicable Law:** A demand for arbitration must be communicated in writing to all parties. Each party shall select an arbitrator (party arbitrator) within thirty days, and a third arbitrator (neutral arbitrator) shall be selected by the arbitrators appointed by the parties within thirty days thereafter. The neutral arbitrator shall then be the sole arbitrator and shall decide the arbitration. Each party to the arbitration shall pay such party's pro rata share of the expenses and fees of the neutral arbitrator, together with other expenses of the arbitration incurred or approved by the neutral arbitrator, not including counsel fees, witness fees, or other expenses incurred by a party for such party's own benefit. Either party shall have the absolute right to bifurcate the issues of liability and damage upon written request to the neutral arbitrator.

The parties consent to the intervention and joinder in this arbitration of any person or entity that would otherwise be a proper additional party in a court action, and upon such intervention and joinder, any existing court action against such additional person or entity shall be stayed pending arbitration. The parties agree that provisions of state and federal law, where applicable, establishing the right to introduce evidence of any amount payable as a benefit to the patient to the maximum extent permitted by law, limiting the right to recover non-economic losses, and the right to have a judgment for future damages conformed to periodic payments, shall apply to disputes within this Arbitration Agreement. The parties further agree that the Commercial Arbitration Rules of the American Arbitration Association shall govern any arbitration conducted pursuant to this Arbitration Agreement.

**Article 4: General Provision:** All claims based upon the same incident, transaction, or related circumstances shall be arbitrated in one proceeding. A claim shall be waived and forever barred if (1) on the date notice thereof is received, the claim, if asserted in a civil action, would be barred by the applicable legal statute of limitations, or (2) the claimant fails to pursue the arbitration claim in accordance with the procedures prescribed herein with reasonable diligence.

**Article 5: Revocation:** This agreement may be revoked by written notice delivered to the health care provider within 30 days of signature and, if not revoked, will govern all professional services received by the patient and all other disputes between the parties.

**Article 6: Retroactive Effect:** If patient intends this agreement to cover services rendered before the date it is signed (for example, emergency treatment), patient should initial here. \_\_\_\_\_. Effective as of the date of first professional services. If any provision of this Arbitration Agreement is held invalid or unenforceable, the remaining provisions shall remain in full force and shall not be affected by the invalidity of any other provision. I understand that I have the right to receive a copy of this Arbitration Agreement. By my signature below, I acknowledge that I have received a copy.

**NOTICE: BY SIGNING THIS CONTRACT YOU ARE AGREEING TO HAVE ANY ISSUE OF MEDICAL MALPRACTICE DECIDED BY NEUTRAL ARBITRATION AND YOU ARE GIVING UP YOUR RIGHT TO A JURY OR COURT TRIAL. SEE ARTICLE 1 OF THIS CONTRACT.**

Patient Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Patient Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Office Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_