

# Spine Surgery

## Department of Orthopaedic Surgery

MR # (Office Use Only): \_\_\_\_\_

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

Who is your regular / general physician?

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Who referred you to our practice?

Phone # (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Would you like a letter sent to these physicians regarding

Height \_\_\_\_\_ Weight \_\_\_\_\_

your visit?  Yes  No

### **SPINAL HISTORY (Please tell us about your neck or back problems)**

1. Do you have back / neck (circle one) pain?  Yes  No

Pain started on: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ (Date of injury, accident or onset of pain)

How did you injure you back / neck? \_\_\_\_\_

Type of pain:  Ache  Stabbing  Throbbing  Shooting  Dull  Click or Pop

Pain Worsened By:  Standing  Walking  Sitting  Lying  Driving  Working  Stairs  Rest  Sleeping

Did you have any previous spine pain, problems or injuries?  Yes  No

If yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Do you have leg / arm (circle one) pain?  Yes  No

Where does your leg/arm pain spread?  Starts in my back/neck and goes down my leg/arm

Starts in my leg/arm and goes up to my back/neck

3. How much of your problem is back/neck pain compared to leg/arm pain? (check one of the following boxes)

Back 0%, Leg 100%  Back 25%, Leg 75%  Back 50%, Leg 50%  Back 75%, Leg 25%  Back 100%, Leg 0%

Neck 0%, Arm 100%  Neck 25%, Arm 75%  Neck 50%, Arm 50%  Neck 75%, Arm 25%  Neck 100%, Arm 0%

4. Do you have weakness in your arms, hands, legs or feet?  Yes  No

6. Do you have a problem with clumsiness, balance or tripping frequently?  Yes  No

5. Do you have numbness or pins and needles in your arms, hands, legs or feet?  Yes  No

7. Do you have any bowel or bladder incontinence?  Yes  No

8. Treatments Attempted:  None  Pain Medications  Anti-Inflammatory  Ice  Traction  Chiropractor

Injections – If so, what type and when? \_\_\_\_\_

Physical Therapy – If so, when and for how long? \_\_\_\_\_

9. Have you had any tests done on your back or neck (Check all that apply, Provide dates of test)?

MRI \_\_\_\_\_  CT Scan \_\_\_\_\_  Other \_\_\_\_\_

10. Have you ever had back or neck surgery?  Yes  No

If yes, where (include Date, Surgeon, Hospital, City, and State)? \_\_\_\_\_

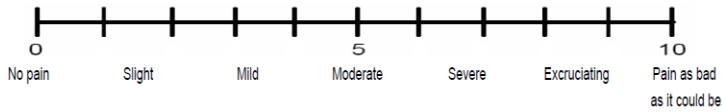
Why did you have the surgery? \_\_\_\_\_

Did the surgery relieve the pain?  Yes  No  Partial

Has the same pain returned?  Yes  No  My Pain is different now

**(Please turn over and complete second page)**

My back/neck pain is: (please mark with "X")

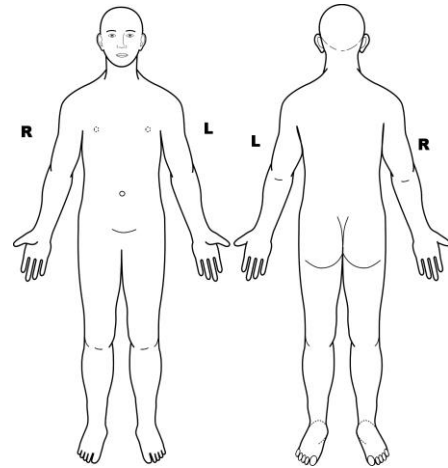
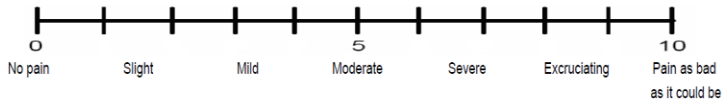


Please indicate type and distribution of your pain on the figures below

\*Please use the following key to shade in the distribution of pain on figures\*

NUMBNESS	PINS & NEEDLES	ACHE	PAIN
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My leg/arm pain is: (please mark with "X")



**MEDICAL HISTORY**

- Please list any health problems that you are currently diagnosed with:
- Heart Disease
  - Cancer
  - Stomach Ulcers
  - Asthma
  - High Blood Pressure
  - Diabetes
  - Kidney Disease
  - DVT (Blood Clots)
  - Pulmonary Embolism
  - Lung Disease
  - Osteoarthritis
  - Rheumatoid Arthritis
  - Gout
  - Chronic Headache(s)
  - Liver Disease
  - Seizures
  - Stroke
  - Thyroid Problems
  - Depression
  - Infections (Please explain): \_\_\_\_\_
  - \_\_\_\_\_
  - Other Conditions (Please explain) \_\_\_\_\_
  - \_\_\_\_\_

Please list any other prior surgeries (include type of surgery and year):

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Please list your medications and dosages: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

- Please list any known drug allergies:
- NONE
  - Penicillin
  - Sulfa Drugs
  - Iodine
  - Diagnostic Dyes
  - Morphine
  - Codeine
  - Aspirin
  - Ibuprophen
  - Acetaminophen
  - Latex
  - Metals (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
  - Other: \_\_\_\_\_
  - \_\_\_\_\_
  - \_\_\_\_\_

Do you smoke?  Yes  No \_\_\_\_\_ Packs/Day  Quit: \_\_\_\_\_ Months Ago \_\_\_\_\_ Years ago

Do you drink alcohol?  Yes  No If yes,  Daily  Weekly  Monthly  Infrequently

Is there a history of back or neck problems in your family?  Yes  No

**Review of Systems:** (Please circle and/or write in)

**General** (weight loss/gain, night sweats, fatigue, fever, chills): \_\_\_\_\_

**Head** (headaches, dizziness): \_\_\_\_\_

**Eyes** (change in vision, pain, infections, glasses, contacts, vision loss): \_\_\_\_\_

**Ears** (change in hearing, pain, infections, hearing loss): \_\_\_\_\_

**Nose, Throat, Mouth** (sinus trouble, nosebleed, toothaches, infection, sore throat): \_\_\_\_\_

**Lungs** (sleep apnea, cough, shortness of breath pneumonia, tuberculosis, COPD, emphysema): \_\_\_\_\_

**Heart** (chest pain, irregular heart beat, swollen ankles): \_\_\_\_\_

**Gastrointestinal** (nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, constipation, incontinence, blood in stools, hepatitis): \_\_\_\_\_

**Urinary** (blood in urine, frequent urination, incontinence, kidney stones, bladder or kidney infections): \_\_\_\_\_

**Skin** (rash, bruises, change in moles, infections, cancer, eczema): \_\_\_\_\_

**Musculoskeletal** (arthritis, joint pain, varicose veins): \_\_\_\_\_

**Immunological** (rheumatoid arthritis, lupus, ankylosing spondylitis): \_\_\_\_\_

**Emotional** (depression, anxiety, bipolar disorder, stress): \_\_\_\_\_

**Anything else that may be important for me to know:** \_\_\_\_\_

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