



**Onset of headache:**

- Recently started (dates) \_\_\_\_\_
- Since childhood (dates) \_\_\_\_\_
- Since the age of \_\_\_\_\_ years old
- For about the last \_\_\_\_\_ days/weeks/months/years
- Following head injury, trauma, or motor vehicle accident which occurred on (date) \_\_\_\_\_

**Location of headache:**

- Frontal (forehead)       Parietal (side of head)       Band-like (surrounding head)
- Occipital (neck)       Temple       Orbital (around the eyes)       Retro-orbital (behind the eyes)

**Does headache occur on?**

- One side (right or left)       Radiates from neck to forehead       Both sides
- Involves entire head       Shifts from side to side       Other \_\_\_\_\_

Do you feel you have more than one type of headache:       Yes     No

If yes, \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Frequency of headaches:**

- Daily       Almost daily       Intermittent throughout the day
- Approximately how many times \_\_\_\_\_ per day/week/month/year (circle one)

**Severity of head:**

- Mild       Is the headache aggravated with bending over, walking, climbing stairs, or activity
- Mild to moderate       Do you have to lie down in a quiet dark room on occasions?
- Moderate       Lying down makes headache worse?
- Moderate-severe       Do you ever miss work/school because of headache?
- Severe

**Duration of headache:**

- Constant in nature
- Last approximately \_\_\_\_\_ minutes/hours/days
- Goes away in \_\_\_\_\_ minutes/hours if treated immediately with (name of medication) \_\_\_\_\_

**Timing of headache:**

- Starts mild and progress to severe within \_\_\_\_\_ minutes/hours/days(circle one)
- Severe at onset

**Quality of headache: How would you best describe your headaches?**

Please mark all that apply.

- Band-like
- Sharp
- Dull achiness
- Stabbing
- Constant headache
- Squeezing
- Piercing
- throbbing
- Pinching
- Vice-like
- Pounding
- Pressure
- Pulsating
- Feels like head is going to explode
- Feels like someone is squeezing your head
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Situation: Do the headaches awaken you from sleep?**  Yes  No

If yes, any special time after falling asleep: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Prodrome: Do you notice any of the following symptoms 1-3 days prior to the onset of the headache?**

- Mood changes such as anxiety or depression
- Fatigue
- Food craving
- Increased urination
- Increased thirst
- Cervical stiffness or pain
- Loss of appetite
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Aura: Do you have vision changes that occur within 1 hour to the onset of the headache?**  Yes  No

If yes, do you see?

- Spots
- Partial visual field loss
- Visual blurring
- Illusions of distorted size/shape
- Simmering or wavy lines
- Facial or upper extremity numbness and/or tingling
- Zig zag patterns
- Flashes of light

**Symptoms: Which symptoms accompany your headache?**

- None
- Nausea
- Lightheadedness/dizziness
- Vomiting
- Slurred speech
- Difficulty with memory/concentration
- Pacing
- Tenderness to temples
- Hair and/or scalp ache
- Jaw tightness
- Nasal congestion
- Muscle achiness
- Fever
- Diarrhea
- Neck tightness/stiffness
- Tearing/watering of the eye on the affected side of the head
- Sensitive to sound/noise (sonophobia)
- Sensitive to light/brightness (photophobia)
- Vision problems (please explain) \_\_\_\_\_

**Headache precipitating factors/triggers: Do any of the following tend to bring on a headache?**

A. Physical triggers

- Brushing teeth
- Loud noises
- Coughing
- Menstrual cycle
- Eating/chewing/speaking
- Physical activity
- Exposure to glare
- Sexual activity
- Flickering lights
- Too much sleep
- Fluorescent lights
- Too little sleep
- Prolonged neck movement
- Cigarette/cigar smoke
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

B. Food/Drink triggers

- Alcohol
- Chocolate
- Bananas
- Citrus fruit
- Caffeine
- Monosodium glutamate (MSG)
- Cheese
- Nuts

**Headache precipitating factors/triggers: Do any of the following tend to bring on a headache?**

C. Psychological Triggers

- Family illness
- Stress/tension
- Personal illness
- Marital status
- Financial difficulties
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

D. Seasonal/Allergy

- Allergies to \_\_\_\_\_
- Scented candles
- Exposure to cold/hot weather
- Weather changes (rain/thunderstorms/etc)
- High altitude
- Food odors
- High humidity
- Perfume
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

E. Occupation/work triggers

- Chemical fumes (gas, oil, kerosene)
- Prolonged computer usage
- Chemical odor
- Employment security (fear of being fired, lay-off)
- Repetitive movements
- Work relationships/conflict
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Headache medication used in the past to alleviate the pain:**

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> None               | <input type="checkbox"/> Eletriptan (relpax)       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Butabitol          | <input type="checkbox"/> Frovatriptan              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cafergot           | <input type="checkbox"/> Imitrex tablets           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Esgic Plus         | <input type="checkbox"/> Imitrex nasal spray       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fioricet           | <input type="checkbox"/> Imitrex injection         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fiorinal           | <input type="checkbox"/> Maxalt oral tablet        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Phrenilin          | <input type="checkbox"/> Maxalt melt tablets (MLT) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Phrenilin Forte    | <input type="checkbox"/> Migranal nasal spray      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Midrin             | <input type="checkbox"/> Zomig oral tablets        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Stadol Nasal Spray | <input type="checkbox"/> Zomig melt tablets (ZMT)  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Axert              | <input type="checkbox"/> Zomig Nasal Spray         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Amerge             | <input type="checkbox"/> Dihydroergotamine (DHE)   |

**Did you ever take any medications on a daily basis to prevent or decrease the frequency/occurrence of headache?**

Yes  No If yes, please check all the daily medications taken in the past to prevent headaches.

**Anticonvulsants**

- Depakote (ER)
- Keppra
- Neurontin
- Topamax
- Trileptal
- Lamictal
- Lyrica
- Tegretol (XR)
- Zonegran

**Antidepressants**

- Celexa
- Cymbalta
- Effexor (XR)
- Elavil (Amitriptyline)
- Lexapro
- Nortriptyline
- Paxil (CR)
- Prozac
- Zoloft
- Wellbutrin (XL, SR)

**Antiemetics**

- Compazine
- Phenergan
- Reglan
- Tigan
- Vistaril

**Antihypertensives**

- Atenolol (Tenormin)
- Corgard
- Inderal (Propranolol)
- Verapamil/Calan (SR)
- Lopressor/Metoprolol/Toprol XL

**Anti-Inflammatory**

- Advil
- Aleve
- Anaprox (Naprosyn)
- Bextra
- Celebrex
- Clinoril
- Daypro

**Narcotic Analgesic**

- Darvocet/Darvon
- Demerol
- Dilaudid
- Morphine
- Percocet/Percodan
- Tylenol 2,3, & 4
- Vicodin

**Over the Counter**

- Advil Migraine
- Excedrine
- Excedrine Migraine
- Ibuprofen Migraine
- Tylenol
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Muscle Relaxants**

- Flexeril
- Robaxin
- Skelaxin
- Soma
- Zanaflex

.....Continued Anti-Inflammatory medication

- Disalcid (Salsalate)
- Diclofenac (Voltaren)
- Feldene
- Indocin
- Medrol dose pack
- Motrin (Ibuprofen)
- Mobic
- Prednisone
- Ultram
- Relafen
- Vioxx

PAST MEDICAL HISTORY: Check all that apply  None Apply

- |  |   |  |   |
|--|---|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Abnormal heartbeat  | <input type="checkbox"/> Cirrhosis            | <input type="checkbox"/> High blood pressure           | Neuropathy: <input type="checkbox"/> Hands<br><input type="checkbox"/> Feet |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ADHD                | <input type="checkbox"/> Depression           | <input type="checkbox"/> High cholesterol              | <input type="checkbox"/> Poor circulation                                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Anemia              | <input type="checkbox"/> Down syndrome        | <input type="checkbox"/> HIV/AIDS                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Seizure  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Anxiety             | <input type="checkbox"/> Emphysema            | <input type="checkbox"/> Kidney failure                | <input type="checkbox"/> Spina bifida                                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asthma              | <input type="checkbox"/> Gastric reflux       | <input type="checkbox"/> Kidney stones                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Stomach ulcers                                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bleeding disorder   | <input type="checkbox"/> Gout                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Migraine                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Stroke   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Blood clots in leg  | <input type="checkbox"/> Heart attack         | <input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Sclerosis (MS)       | <input type="checkbox"/> Thyroid  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Blood clots in lung | <input type="checkbox"/> Heart failure        | <input type="checkbox"/> Neurofibromatosis             | <input type="checkbox"/> Tuberculosis                                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cerebral palsy      | <input type="checkbox"/> Hepatitis B or C     | <input type="checkbox"/> Osteoporosis                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Fibromyalgia                                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Osteoarthritis      | <input type="checkbox"/> Rheumatoid arthritis | <input type="checkbox"/> Other Rheumatological Disease |   |

Cancer: \_\_\_\_\_ (type and treatment)

Diabetes: If yes, when was it diagnosed? \_\_\_\_\_

Currently controlled with:  Insulin  Oral medication  Diet

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

PAST SURGICAL HISTORY:  No prior surgery

| Operation | Date | Surgeon/Hospital |
|-----------|------|------------------|
|           |      |                  |
|           |      |                  |
|           |      |                  |

Have you ever had general anesthesia?  Yes  No

If yes, have you had any problems related to this?  Yes  No

Explain any problems with general anesthesia: \_\_\_\_\_

Social History: Work status

Working  Homemaker  Unemployed  Disabled  On leave  Retired  Student

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

Education: \_\_\_\_\_

Marital status:  Single  Married  Divorced  Widowed

Children:  No  Yes, how many? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you live alone?  Yes  No If no, who lives with you? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you currently smoking?  Yes  No If yes, how many pack/day? \_\_\_\_\_ For how many years? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you previously quit smoking? If so, when did you quit? \_\_\_\_\_ How many years did you smoke? \_\_\_\_\_

How many packs a day did you previously smoke? \_\_\_\_\_ Other forms of tobacco used? \_\_\_\_\_

Alcohol use:  Never  Rare  Social  Frequently (more than twice a week)

Alcoholic  Recovering alcoholic

Illegal drug use:  Never  In the past  Currently  Types of drugs? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you drink caffeine?  Yes  No How much? \_\_\_\_\_

Sexually active:  Yes  No

FAMILY HISTORY: Please fill in the illness information below with the options listed:

- |                   |                |                     |                               |
|-------------------|----------------|---------------------|-------------------------------|
| Alcoholism        | Cancer         | High blood pressure | Other Rheumatological Disease |
| Arthritis         | Diabetes       | Kidney problems     | Seizure                       |
| Bleeding problems | Gout           | Lung problems       | Stroke                        |
| Blood clots       | Heart problems | Mental Illness      | Other                         |

| FAMILY MEMBER        | ILLNESS | AGE | IF DECEASED, AGE AT DEATH AND CAUSE |
|----------------------|---------|-----|-------------------------------------|
| Father               |         |     |                                     |
|                      |         |     |                                     |
| Mother               |         |     |                                     |
|                      |         |     |                                     |
| Brother(s)           |         |     |                                     |
|                      |         |     |                                     |
| Sisters              |         |     |                                     |
|                      |         |     |                                     |
| Children             |         |     |                                     |
|                      |         |     |                                     |
| Paternal Grandfather |         |     |                                     |
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| Paternal Grandmother |         |     |                                     |
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| Maternal Grandfather |         |     |                                     |
|                      |         |     |                                     |
| Maternal Grandmother |         |     |                                     |
|                      |         |     |                                     |
| Paternal Uncle       |         |     |                                     |
|                      |         |     |                                     |
| Paternal Aunt        |         |     |                                     |
|                      |         |     |                                     |
| Maternal Uncle       |         |     |                                     |
|                      |         |     |                                     |
| Maternal Aunt        |         |     |                                     |
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Family History Unknown  Adopted

Please rate your usual level of pain on the following scale (circle one):  
 (No pain) 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 (Worst imaginable pain)

Patient's signature:  
 \_\_\_\_\_

Provider signature:  
 \_\_\_\_\_

Date:  
 \_\_\_\_\_

Date:  
 \_\_\_\_\_