

PERSONAL INJURY/ WORKERS' COMPENSATION QUESTIONNAIRE

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Accident: \_\_\_\_\_ Time: \_\_\_\_\_

Where did the accident happen? \_\_\_\_\_

Describe the accident in your own words: \_\_\_\_\_

What was your position in car? Driver\_\_\_ Passenger\_\_\_ If passenger, were you sitting in: Front\_\_\_ Rt Rear\_\_\_ Lt Rear\_\_\_

Did your vehicle strike other vehicle? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ Was your car struck by other vehicle? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

Was the impact from: the front\_\_\_ the right side\_\_\_ the left side\_\_\_ the rear\_\_\_

At the time of impact were you: looking straight ahead\_\_\_ looking right\_\_\_ looking left\_\_\_

Were both hands on steering wheel? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ Was your foot on brake? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

Were you braced for impact? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

Where in the car were you after the accident? \_\_\_\_\_

Were you wearing seat belts? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ Did you strike anything in vehicle at time of impact? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

If yes, specify: steering wheel\_\_\_ dashboard\_\_\_ windshield\_\_\_ side door\_\_\_ arm rests\_\_\_ side window\_\_\_

Please state part of body: chest\_\_\_ chin\_\_\_ knee\_\_\_ shoulder\_\_\_ hand\_\_\_ head\_\_\_

Immediately following the accident how did you feel? \_\_\_\_\_

Were you unconscious? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ In a daze? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ Did you go to hospital? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

If you went to hospital, when? At time of accident? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ Next day? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

How did you get to hospital? Ambulance? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ Private transportation? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

Did ambulance attendants place you in: Neck collar: Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ Splints: Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ Brace: Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

Name of hospital \_\_\_\_\_

Attended by Dr. \_\_\_\_\_ Were you x-rayed at hospital? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

If so, what was the diagnosis? \_\_\_\_\_

Were you admitted to the hospital? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ How long did you stay? \_\_\_\_\_

What treatment was rendered? \_\_\_\_\_

What recommendations were made? See own doctor? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ See orthopedic doctor? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

Physical therapy? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

Have you seen any other doctor as a result of this accident? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

Doctor's name: \_\_\_\_\_

Is your pain constant? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ Is pain on and off? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ Sharp? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ Dull? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

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

Is your pain worse when arising from a chair? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ Is it made worse by straining? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

By coughing? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ By sneezing? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ By straining when moving your bowels? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

Do you have any numbness or tingling in your arms? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ In your hands? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ In your fingers? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

In your legs? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ In your feet? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ In your toes? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

What is your most comfortable position? Sitting: Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ Lying on your Right side: Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

Lying on your Left side: Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ Lying on your back? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ On your stomach: Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ Standing: Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

Other: \_\_\_\_\_ Is it difficult for you to move around in bed? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

Does stretching and twisting worsen the pain? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

Do any of the following relieve your pain? Heating pad\_\_\_ Hot bath\_\_\_ Shower\_\_\_ Ice pack\_\_\_

Does a brace (if you have tried one) help relieve the pain? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

Does a change in heel height worsen the pain? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ Do you feel better moving around? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

Or resting? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

Do you have a firm mattress? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ Do your knees ache or hurt? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ Do you have cramps in your leg? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

In arm? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ Have you had any change in your bowel habits? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

Have you lost any time from work because of this accident? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

If yes, give dates of time lost. From \_\_\_\_\_ To \_\_\_\_\_

Totally disabled from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ Partially disabled from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

BEFORE YOU ACCIDENT, estimate your total lifting ability:

1. How much weight? Maximum\_\_\_ Average \_\_\_
2. How far could you carry this weight? \_\_\_\_\_
3. Was this lifting done at work? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ Or at home or elsewhere? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_
4. How often did you carry this amount of weight? \_\_\_\_\_

AFTER YOUR ACCIDENT, describe your total lifting ability:

1. How much weight can you now lift without experiencing pain, discomfort, or restriction of motion? \_\_\_\_\_
2. Did you experience this pain, discomfort or restriction of motion before your accident? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_
3. How far can you carry this weight now? \_\_\_\_\_ And for how long a period of time? \_\_\_\_\_
4. How often can you carry this weight? \_\_\_\_\_
5. Are you now limited in your lifting ability in some body position that you were previously not? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_  
If so, specify position: \_\_\_\_\_
6. What symptoms does lifting produce? \_\_\_\_\_
7. How long do these symptoms last? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you presently able to:

LIFT ( ) Very heavy \_\_\_lbs. ( ) Heavy \_\_\_lbs. ( ) Light \_\_\_lbs. ( ) Sitting \_\_\_lbs.

WORK ( ) Very heavy \_\_\_lbs. ( ) Heavy \_\_\_lbs. ( ) Light \_\_\_lbs. ( ) Sitting \_\_\_lbs.

What positions can you work with a MINIMUM DEMAND of physical effort? \_\_\_\_\_

With Minimum Demand of physical effort, what positions can you work PART-TIME and for how long?

( ) Standing \_\_\_\_\_ ( ) Walking \_\_\_\_\_ ( ) Sitting \_\_\_\_\_

With Minimum Demand of physical effort, can you work in a SITTING POSITION with some degree of walking or standing activity?

Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

Do you feel that you cannot perform any physical work activity? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

Do you feel that you cannot perform any mental work? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

Relate your BEFORE injury capacity (mark "B") and your AFTER injury capacity (mark "A") for performing activities:

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|---------------------|------------|-------------|---------------|----------|
| 1. <i>Walking</i>   | Normal ___ | Limited ___ | Difficult ___ | Pain ___ |
| 2. <i>Standing</i>  | Normal ___ | Limited ___ | Difficult ___ | Pain ___ |
| 3. <i>Sitting</i>   | Normal ___ | Limited ___ | Difficult ___ | Pain ___ |
| 4. <i>Bending</i>   | Normal ___ | Limited ___ | Difficult ___ | Pain ___ |
| 5. <i>Stooping</i>  | Normal ___ | Limited ___ | Difficult ___ | Pain ___ |
| 6. <i>Lifting</i>   | Normal ___ | Limited ___ | Difficult ___ | Pain ___ |
| 7. <i>Pushing</i>   | Normal ___ | Limited ___ | Difficult ___ | Pain ___ |
| 8. <i>Pulling</i>   | Normal ___ | Limited ___ | Difficult ___ | Pain ___ |
| 9. <i>Climbing</i>  | Normal ___ | Limited ___ | Difficult ___ | Pain ___ |
| 10. <i>Reaching</i> | Normal ___ | Limited ___ | Difficult ___ | Pain ___ |
| 11. <i>Gripping</i> | Normal ___ | Limited ___ | Difficult ___ | Pain ___ |
| 12. <i>Kneeling</i> | Normal ___ | Limited ___ | Difficult ___ | Pain ___ |
| 13. <i>Balance</i>  | Normal ___ | Limited ___ | Difficult ___ | Pain ___ |
| 14. <i>Fatigue</i>  | Normal ___ | Limited ___ | Difficult ___ | Pain ___ |

Generally speaking, is your inability to perform these functions due to: ( ) Pain ( ) Weakness ( ) Structural limitations ( ) Nerves

Do you have normal sexual function? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

Are you able to take care of yourself, such as dressing, bathing, etc.? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ Do you require assistance? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

Do you feel your present condition is temporary? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_ Or permanent? Yes\_\_\_ No\_\_\_

Patient's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_