

Health Assessment Questionnaire (HAQ)

Date: _____

Please try to answer each question, even if you do not think it is related to you at this time. There are no right or wrong answers. Please answer exactly as you think or feel. Thank-you.

1. Please check (✓) the ONE best answer for your abilities OVER THE PAST WEEK:

OVER THE PAST WEEK

Were you able to:

Without **ANY** Difficulty With **SOME** Difficulty With **MUCH** Difficulty **UNABLE** To Do

DRESSING & GROOMING

- a. Dress yourself, including tying shoelaces and doing buttons?
- b. Shampoo your hair?

ARISING

- c. Stand up from an armless chair?
- d. Get in and out of bed?

EATING

- e. Cut your meat?
- f. Lift a full cup or glass to your mouth?
- g. Open a new milk carton?

WALKING

- h. Walk outdoors on flat ground?
- i. Climb up five steps?

Please check any **AIDS OR DEVICES** that you usually use for any of these activities:

- Cane Devices used for dressing (button hook, zipper puller, etc)
- Walker Built-up or special utensils
- Crutches Special or built up chair
- Wheelchair Other (specify): _____

Please check any categories for which you need **HELP FROM ANOTHER PERSON**

- Dressing and Grooming Eating
- Arising Walking

HYGIENE

- j. Wash and dry your entire body?
- k. Take a tub bath?
- l. Get on and off the toilet?

REACH

- m. Reach and get a 5-lb object (such as a bag of sugar) from just above your head?
- n. Bend down and pick up clothing from the floor?

GRIP

- p. Open car doors?
- q. Open jars which have been previously opened?
- r. Turn faucets on and off?

ACTIVITIES

- s. Run errands and shop?
- t. Get in and out of a car?
- u. Do chores such as vacuuming, yard work?

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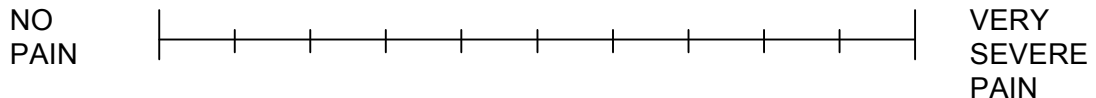
Please check any **AIDS OR DEVICES** that you usually use for any of these activities:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Raised toilet seat | <input type="checkbox"/> Long-handled appliances for reach |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bathtub seat | <input type="checkbox"/> Long-handled appliances in bathroom |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Jar opener | <input type="checkbox"/> Bathtub bar |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify): _____ | |

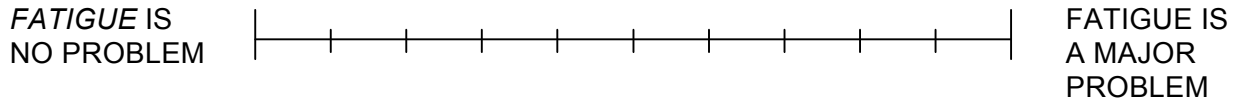
Please check any categories for which you **NEED HELP FROM ANOTHER PERSON**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Hygiene | <input type="checkbox"/> Gripping and opening things |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Reach | <input type="checkbox"/> Errands and chores |

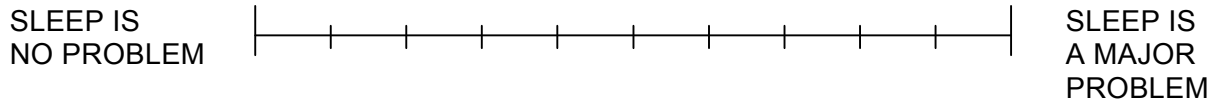
2. How much **PAIN** have you had because of your illness in the **PAST WEEK**? Please indicate on the scale below how severe your pain has been:



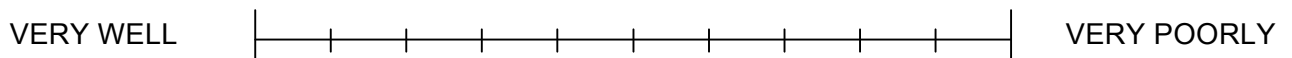
3. How much of a problem has **UNUSUAL** fatigue or tiredness been for you **OVER THE PAST WEEK**? Place a mark on the line below



4. How much of a problem has sleeping been for you **OVER THE PAST WEEK**? Place a mark on the line below



5. Considering all the ways in which illness and health conditions may affect you at this time, please make a mark on the line below to show how you are doing:



6. When you get up in the morning do you feel stiff? YES NO

If you answer NO please go to item number 7.

If you answer YES, please write the number of minutes: _____, OR number of hours: _____ until you are as limber as you will be for the day?

7. How do you feel today compared to **ONE MONTH AGO**? Please check only one:

- MUCH BETTER(1) BETTER(2) THE SAME(3) WORSE(4) MUCH WORSE(5)

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HAQ	PN	FT	SL	GL	AM	CH	1=0.125	7=0.875	13=1.625	19=2.375
□	□	□	□	□	□	□	2=0.25	8=1.0	14=1.75	20=2.5
							3=0.375	9=1.125	15=1.875	21=2.625
							4=0.5	10=1.25	16=2.0	22=2.75
							5=0.625	11=1.375	17=2.125	23=2.875
							6=0.75	12=1.5	18=2.25	24=3.0
0-0.5 Mild → 0.5-1.0 Mild-Mod → 1.0-1.5 Mod → 1.5-2.0 Mod-Sev → 2.0-3.0 Sev										