

# Nutritional Counseling Intake Form

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: (cell) \_\_\_\_\_ (home) \_\_\_\_\_  
Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex M F

## Health History (Include date)

Height \_\_\_\_\_ Weight \_\_\_\_\_ Wt at age 20 \_\_\_\_\_ Currently Pregnant: YES NO Breastfeeding: YES NO

How do you rate your health? Poor \_\_\_\_\_ Fair \_\_\_\_\_ Good \_\_\_\_\_ Excellent \_\_\_\_\_

Childhood Illnesses or Injury \_\_\_\_\_

Adult Illnesses, Injury or Disease \_\_\_\_\_

Operations or Hospitalizations \_\_\_\_\_

List any chronic pain, type and severity \_\_\_\_\_

Have you taken repeated courses or been on antibiotics for long periods of time? YES NO Reason \_\_\_\_\_

List date of last: Routine Physical Exam \_\_\_\_\_ Dental Exam \_\_\_\_\_ Eye Exam \_\_\_\_\_

List nutrition-related labs with date (i.e. Vit D levels, blood glucose, blood pressure, cholesterol, hemoglobin, CRP) or include copies of lab reports \_\_\_\_\_

List allergies (environmental, food, medication etc) \_\_\_\_\_

List major health problems of family members \_\_\_\_\_

Rate your stress level from 1 to 10 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 (with 1 being no stress, and 10 unbearable stress)

List causes of stress \_\_\_\_\_

Do you use any relaxation techniques on a regular basis? \_\_\_\_\_ What types? \_\_\_\_\_

How often do you experience of the following:

Anxiety never rarely frequently constantly Eating disorder never rarely frequently constantly

Depression never rarely frequently constantly Substance abuse never rarely frequently constantly

Other \_\_\_\_\_ never rarely frequently constantly

## Medications and Supplements

List all prescription and over-the-counter medications that you currently take (include the dosages): \_\_\_\_\_

List all vitamins, minerals, supplements, and herbs that you take: \_\_\_\_\_



## Lifestyle

Marital Status: Single Married Partnered

Occupation \_\_\_\_\_ Work Hours \_\_\_\_\_ Children's Ages \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever smoked or used any tobacco products? Yes No Type Amount How Long Date Quit  
\_\_\_\_\_

Do you know, or is it likely that you have been exposed to higher than normal levels of pesticides, herbicides, lead, arsenic treated wood, mercury, asbestos, nerve agents, industrial chemicals, dry cleaning solvents or other toxic substances?

YES NO Name \_\_\_\_\_ How exposure occurred \_\_\_\_\_

List the amount of the following beverages consumed:

Regular coffee \_\_\_\_\_ cups/ day Regular soda \_\_\_\_\_ cans/day Beer or Wine \_\_\_\_\_ drinks /week

Decaf coffee \_\_\_\_\_ cups/ day Diet soda \_\_\_\_\_ cans/ day Mixed Drinks \_\_\_\_\_ drinks/ week

How many times per week do you do the following exercise?

Aerobic training \_\_\_\_\_ Strength training \_\_\_\_\_ Stretching \_\_\_\_\_

How many hours of sleep do you usually get per night? \_\_\_\_\_ Do you feel this is sufficient? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have any of the following sleep problems?

Trouble falling asleep \_\_\_\_\_ Frequent waking during the night \_\_\_\_\_ Wake up too early \_\_\_\_\_ Nightmares \_\_\_\_\_

Frequent nighttime urination \_\_\_\_\_ Noise disturbances \_\_\_\_\_ Severe snoring/sleep apnea \_\_\_\_\_ Restless legs \_\_\_\_\_

On a scale of 1 (poor) to 5 (excellent) rate you overall energy level 1 2 3 4 5

On a scale of 1 (not ready) to 5 (very ready), how ready are you to make lifestyle changes? 1 2 3 4 5

On a scale of 1 (not at all confident) to 5 (very confident), how confident are you to make lifestyle changes? 1 2 3 4 5

List in order of importance the primary health concerns that you would like to address with nutritional counseling

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_

### ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RECEIPT OF NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES

I acknowledge receiving a copy of the Notice of Privacy Practices of In-Tune Wellness/Sara Ruiz RDN, LD on \_\_\_\_\_

Printed name of patient \_\_\_\_\_

Printed name of authorized representative (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of patient or authorized representative \_\_\_\_\_

## **Financial/Cancellation Policy/Assignment of Benefits/ Authorization to Bill Insurance**

**Payment is due at the time of service for labs, co-pays, deductibles, and non-covered services.**

**Insurance:** In-Tune Wellness is an in-network for Blue Cross, Medica, United Healthcare, Preferred One, Select Care/Labor Care, Aetna and Minnesota Care (Medica and Blue Cross plans only).

Coverage for nutrition counseling varies depending on each plan contract. In-Tune Wellness will provide an insurance verification of benefits if insurance information is provided at least 2 business days before your appointment. Insurance companies reserve the right to approve or deny a claim after the visit when the claim is submitted to them. Specialty lab services are not covered by insurance and payment is due upon test order.

### **Nutrition Counseling Fee Schedule**

Initial Consults (60-90 minutes)	\$220/hr
Follow-up Consults (45-60 minutes)	\$180/hr

### **Discount Rate for Payment at the Time of Service**

Initial Consult:	\$120/hr
Follow-up Consults:	\$90/hr

- Patients are responsible for non-payment by their insurance. Accounts unpaid by the insurance greater than 90 days will be billed to the patient.
- There is a \$35 NSF fee on all returned checks.
- Outstanding balances greater than 120 days will be turned over to a collection agency unless arrangements have been made in writing.

I authorize Sara Ruiz RDN/In-Tune Wellness LLC to bill my insurance company for services rendered and I agree to have any checks or payments made my such insurance company payable to:

In-Tune Wellness LLC  
2110 Fremont Ave E  
Saint Paul MN 55119

### **Cancellation Policy**

No charge for cancellations made greater than 48 hours before scheduled appointment time. A fee may be charged for no shows or cancellations less than 48 hours.

I agree to the above financial and cancellation policies for Sara Ruiz RDN/ In-Tune Wellness LLC. I the undersigned have read, understand and accept the information and conditions specified in this agreement.

_____	_____	_____
Name Printed	Patient Signature	Date
_____	_____	_____
Authorized Representative (if patient is a minor or has authorized representative)	Authorized Representative Signature	Date

**AUTHORIZATION FOR USE/DISCLOSURE  
OF HEALTH INFORMATION**

**Authorization for Use/Disclosure of Information:**

Patient Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_  
Physician \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

I voluntarily consent to authorize my health care provider to use or disclose my health information during the term of this Authorization to the recipient(s) that I have identified below.

**Recipient:** I authorize my health care information to be released to the following recipient:

In-Tune Wellness LLC  
2110 Fremont Ave E  
Saint Paul, MN 55119  
Ph: 612-354-6625  
Fax: 612-246-3978

**Purpose:** I authorize the release of my health information for the following specific purpose:  
\_\_\_\_\_ Nutrition Counseling/Medical Nutrition Therapy \_\_\_\_\_.

**Information to be disclosed:** I authorize the release of the following health information:

- Visit notes, lab results and diagnosis lists relating to any medical history, mental or physical condition and any treatment received by me. This excludes HIV test results, outpatient psychotherapy notes and drug and alcohol treatment records.

**Term:** I understand that this Authorization will remain in effect:

- For one year OR
- Until the following event occurs: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature \_\_\_\_\_  
Date

If individual is unable to sign this authorization, please complete the information below:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Guardian/Representative \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_  
Legal Relationship Date

For eClinicalWorks users, electronic referrals and records can be sent securely via the free P2POpen tool.

# Symptom Survey

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

To fill out this form, you will ask yourself if you experience the following symptoms and if so, how severe.

To start, first determine if you have recently experienced the symptom. If you have not, write a "0" in the corresponding field. If you have, determine how often you experience this symptom: occasionally (less than 2 times in a week) or frequently (2 or more times per week). Then decide whether or not the symptom is severe or not severe.

Use the SCALE OF SYMPTOM POINTS listed below to write the appropriate score in the corresponding symptom for EVERY symptom listed. Lastly, total points for each category. Then add up all category totals to find the Grand Total.

<b>SCALE OF SYMPTOM POINTS:</b>		___ Initial Report	Grand Total:
		___ Follow-up	
0 = Do Not Suffer From This Ever or Almost Ever			
1 = Suffer OCCASIONALLY (less than 2 times per week), is not severe			
2 = Suffer FREQUENTLY (2 or more times per week), is not severe			
3 = Suffer OCCASIONALLY and is severe			
4 = Suffer FREQUENTLY and is severe			
<b>CONSTITUTIONAL</b>	<b>NASAL/SINUS</b>	<b>MUSCULOSKELETAL</b>	
Fatigue (sluggish, tired)	Post Nasal Drip	Joint Pains/Aching	
Hyperactive (nervous energy)	Sinus Pain	Stiff Joints	
Restless (can't relax/sit still)	Runny Nose	Muscle Aches	
Sleepiness During Day	Stuffy Nose	Stiff Muscles	
Insomnia at Night	Sneezing		
Malaise (feeling poorly)			
<b>TOTAL (0-20)</b>	<b>TOTAL (0-20)</b>	<b>TOTAL (0-20)</b>	
<b>EMOTIONAL/MENTAL</b>	<b>MOUTH/THROAT</b>	<b>DIGESTIVE</b>	
Depression (feelings of hopelessness)	Sore Throat	Heartburn/Esoph.Reflux	
Anxiety ( <b>vague fears, uneasiness</b> )	Swollen Throat	Stomach Pains/Cramps	
Mood Swings ( <b>rapid changes</b> )	Swelling of Lips/Tongue	Intestinal Pains/Cramps	
Irritability	Gagging/Throat Clearing	Constipation	
Forgetfulness	Lesions ("Canker Sores")	Diarrhea	
Lack of concentration/focus		Bloating Sensation	
<b>TOTAL (0-24)</b>	<b>TOTAL (0-20)</b>	<b>TOTAL (0-36)</b>	
<b>HEAD/EARS</b>	<b>LUNGS</b>	<b>WEIGHT MANAGEMENT</b>	
Headache (any kind)	Wheezing (Asthma or Asthma-like Symptoms)	Fluctuating Weight	
Earache	Chest Congestion	Food Cravings	
Ear Infection	Non-Productive Coughing	Water Retention	
Ringling in Ear	Productive Coughing	Binge Eating or Drinking	
Itchy Ears		Purging (all methods)	
<b>TOTAL (0-24)</b>	<b>TOTAL (0-20)</b>	<b>TOTAL (0-20)</b>	
<b>SKIN</b>	<b>EYES</b>	<b>GENITOURINARY</b>	
Blemishes, Acne	Red or Swollen Eyes	Increased Urinary Frequency	
Rashes, Hives	Watery Eyes	Painful Urination	
Eczema	Itchy Eyes		
"Rosy" Cheeks	Dark Circles" or "Baggy"		
<b>TOTAL (0-16)</b>	<b>TOTAL (0-20)</b>	<b>TOTAL (0-20)</b>	
<b>CARDIOVASCULAR</b>	<b>GENITOURINARY</b>	<b>TOTAL (0-20)</b>	
Irregular Heartbeat	Increased Urinary Frequency		
High Blood Pressure	Painful Urination		
<b>TOTAL (0-8)</b>	<b>TOTAL (0-20)</b>	<b>TOTAL (0-20)</b>	
<b>Comments:</b>			

Sara Ruiz RDN, LD, CLT  
612-354-6625 phone  
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[www.intunewellness.net](http://www.intunewellness.net)  
[sara@intunewellness.net](mailto:sara@intunewellness.net)

# Food Intake Record

Monday \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Tuesday \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Wednesday \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

	Monday ____/____/____	Tuesday ____/____/____	Wednesday ____/____/____
Breakfast			
Snack			
Lunch			
Snack			
Dinner			
Snack			
Water			
Exercise			
Sleep			
Symptoms			

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



In-Tune Wellness LLC  
Nutrition Counseling

Thursday \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Friday \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Saturday \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Sunday \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

	Thursday ____/____	Friday ____/____	Saturday ____/____	Sunday ____/____
Breakfast				
Snack				
Lunch				
Snack				
Dinner				
Snack				
Water				
Exercise				
Sleep				
Symptoms				

**IN-TUNE WELLNESS L.L.C.**  
**SARA RUIZ, RDN, LD**

**NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES** (Effective date: 1/1/21)

THIS NOTICE DESCRIBES HOW MEDICAL INFORMATION ABOUT YOU MAY BE USED AND DISCLOSED AND HOW YOU CAN GET ACCESS TO THIS INFORMATION. PLEASE REVIEW IT CAREFULLY.

**OUR LEGAL DUTY AND COMMITMENT TO PRIVACY**

We are committed to maintaining the privacy of your protected health information (“PHI”). We are required by law to maintain the privacy of your PHI, provide you with this Notice of Privacy Practices and notice of our legal duties regarding your PHI. We are also required to follow the practices described in our Notice of Privacy Practices currently in effect.

If you have any questions or complaints, please contact: Privacy Official/Contact Person: Sara Ruiz

**IN-TUNE WELLNESS LLC**

2110 Fremont Ave E, Saint Paul MN 55119

612-354-6625, sara@intunewellness.net

**USES AND DISCLOSURES OF HEALTH INFORMATION FOR TREATMENT, PAYMENT OR HEALTH CARE OPERATIONS (“TPO”)**

We may use or disclose PHI about you for our TPO, including for example:

- For treatment purposes (such as sharing information about your care with members of our staff to assist in your treatment or care, or with the physician or hospital that referred you to us, as part of efforts to coordinate your follow-up care),
- For payment purposes (such as verifying your insurance coverage or providing information needed for your health insurance plan to cover and pay for the claim for services that we provide to you)
- For health care operations (such as our administrative activities, activities to enhance the care that we provide to our patients and their satisfaction with our services, and activities to help make sure that we comply applicable law).

We may also disclose your PHI for treatment activities of other health care providers, for payment activities of other health care providers, payors or health care clearinghouses, or for the health care operations of one of those entities if we and that entity each have (or had) a relationship with you and the PHI relates to that relationship.

**OTHER USES AND DISCLOSURES WITHOUT YOUR WRITTEN AUTHORIZATION**

We may use or disclose PHI about you without your authorization for several other purposes required or permitted by law. Subject to certain requirements, we may use or disclose your PHI without your authorization as follows:

- to you upon request or as required by law;
- when required by the Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services;
- for public health activities (such as reporting information to agencies authorized by law to collect information for purposes of preventing or controlling diseases, injuries or disabilities; preparing reports to the FDA; maintaining vital health records such as for births and deaths, etc.);
- for face to face communications that we make with you regarding products or services;
- to funeral directors, coroners and medical examiners;
- for purposes of organ, eye or tissue donation;
- for health oversight activities authorized by law (such as civil or criminal investigations, audits, licensure and disciplinary proceedings, etc. );
- for law enforcement;
- for specialized governmental functions (e.g., military operations; national security);



- to your personal representatives;
- for certain incidental uses or disclosures;
- to our business associates;
- to provide gifts of nominal value to you or your family;
- to correctional institutions if you are an inmate
- to help prevent or control communicable diseases;
- to your employer in limited circumstances, typically related to work place injuries or medical surveillance;
- for reporting abuse, neglect or domestic violence;
- for auditing purposes;
- for certain research studies;
- for workers' compensation purposes; and
- for emergencies or disaster relief;
- to persons involved in your care or payment related to your care;
- for notification purposes with respect to your care, condition, location or death.
- for judicial and administrative proceedings (such as in response to court orders or discovery requests);
- to avoid a serious threat of harm to health and safety;

We may also contact you about appointment reminders, treatment alternatives or for fundraising purposes. In any other situation, we will ask for your written authorization before using or disclosing any of your PHI. If you sign an authorization to use or disclose information, you can later revoke that authorization to stop further uses and disclosures.

## **INDIVIDUAL RIGHTS**

In most cases, you have the right to look at or obtain a copy of PHI that we maintain about you. We may charge a fee for costs related to your request. We may, under certain circumstances, deny your request but if we do, you can obtain a review of that denial by another licensed health care professional that we designate.

You also have the right to receive an "accounting," which lists certain instances when we have disclosed PHI about you for reasons other than treatment, payment, or health care operations. The request can cover a time period no longer than six years from the date of disclosure. Your first request in a 12-month period is free. After that, we may charge for costs related to additional requests.

If you believe that information in your record is incorrect, or if important information is missing, you also have the right to request that we correct the existing information or add the missing information. We have the right to deny such a request under certain circumstances.

You have the right to request that your health information be communicated to you in a confidential manner such as asking that we contact you at work rather than at home.

You may request that we restrict how we use or disclose information about you for treatment, payment, or health care operations or to persons involved in your care (except when specifically authorized by you, when required by law, or in emergency circumstances). We will consider your request for such restrictions, but are only bound by them if we agree to them.

To exercise any of the rights described above, please make a request in writing to our Privacy Official/Contact Person listed on page one of this Notice.

## **CHANGES IN OUR NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES**

We may change our privacy practices at any time and the new terms shall apply to all PHI about you that we have at the time of the change and to all PHI about you that we maintain in the future. If we make any material changes, we will change our Notice of Privacy Practices and post it in the waiting area of our office. The changes will not take effect until they are reflected in a revised Notice of Privacy Practices. You can request a copy of our Notice of Privacy Practices at any time. If this Notice of Privacy Practices was sent to you electronically, you have the right to obtain a paper copy upon request. For more information about our privacy practices, contact our Privacy Official/Contact person listed on the first page of this Notice.

## **COMPLAINTS**

If you are concerned that we have violated your privacy rights, you may contact the Privacy Official/Contact Person listed on the first page of this Notice. You may also send a written complaint to the Secretary of the United States Department of Health and Human Services. You will not be retaliated against for filing a complaint.