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Email:	Cell:
Place of Birth	
	Ethnicity
How long?	
sful is your job?	
Education (Highest le	evel attained)
Number of times: D	ivorced Widowed
Phone:	
yesno	
Phone:	
Year	
Year	
ast 10 Years? If so what ar	nd when?
ess and how long have they	been an issue?
	sful is your job?  Education (Highest logonomes: Description of times: Description

What other health rela	ted issues h	ave you had ii	n the past?			
Year/Condition						
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Year/Condition						
Mother  Brothers  Sisters  Children/ages						
Check illnesses which heDiabetesCancerStroke High Blood List the types of foods	_Bleeding <sup>-</sup> Pressure _	Tendency _K _ Nervous Illn	idney Diseas	e _Tubercu		•
Typical Breakfast						
Typical Lunch						~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~
Typical Dinner						~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~
Snacks & Times eaten						
What foods do you crav	/e?					
What food do you react				······································		**********
What food do you NOT	like?			·a·a·a·a·a·a·a·a·a·a·a·a·a·a·a·a·a·a·a	······································	
Have you had allergies	or sensitivit	ty to medicine	s or other su	bstances? No	Yes _	
List:						
Do you Use:						
-	Now	In the Past	Туре	Ar	nount/Day	For how long?
Tobacco	***********					
Alcohol		***			-	
Coffee/Caffeinated Tea						
Marijuana		***				
Recreational Drugs	*****		********			

List the type of exercise you get in a ty	pical week.		
Type of Exercise	How often	How long	
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Medications currently or previously (in	last year) used		
Name	Dosage/Frequency		
Supplements/vitamins/herbs currently			
Name	Dosage/Frequency	Duration	
Please list any major health conditions:			
LOWER GI			
Constipation with gas	Stools loose with gas		
Frequent constipation	Digestion unusually rapid	d	
Light colored, hard stools	Loose stools when tired,	stressed	
Intestines often bloated	Dark, soft stools		
Constipation with hemorrhoids	Quick defecation after e	eating	
Constipation with painful defecation	n Constipation w/ fully fo	rmed stools	
Constipation w/ hard, marbly stool	s Tongue often coated		

#### UPPER GI

OFFER GI		
Sometimes nausea in evenings	Sometimes nausea in mornings	
Mouth frequently too dry	Sometimes excess salivation	
Duodenal ulcer	Stomach ulcer	
Sometimes foul burps	Strong, demanding hunger	
Butterflies in stomach	Seldom eat breakfast	
Often don't finish meals	Often eat to calm down	
Receding gums	Frequent use of alcohol	
Frequent poor appetite	Bitter taste in morning	
"Dragon breath" in morning	Acid indigestion at night	
Frequent mouth cold sores	Sometimes difficulty swallowing	
Indigestion after eating		
LIVER		
Dry, even scaly skin	Moist, sometimes oily skin	
Hay fever or asthma	Hives from food or drugs	
Craves fruit or sweet	Craves proteins, fats	
Frequent trouble digesting fats	Fever with sweat when sick	
Acne on face AND buttocks	Seem to have low blood sugar	
Had hepatitis in past	Frequent use of alcohol	
Work with solvents	Psoriasis, eczema, dermatitis	
Frequent minor illnesses	Don't sweat when sick	
RENAL		
Standing too quickly causes faintness/	dizzinessWakes up at night to urinate	
Standing too quickly makes pulse roal	·	
Frequent flushing of blushing	Urine usually dark	
Moderate low blood pressure	Moderate high blood pressure	
Frequent thirst	Craving for salt	
Urine always light colored	-	
LOWER URINARY TRACT		
Frequent urination, small amounts	Infrequent urination, copious	
Sometimes dribble afterwards	Frequent bladder infections	
Demanding need to urinate	Mucus in urine	
Benign prostatic hypertrophy	Dull ache after urination	

#### REPRODUCTIVE

Dry skin, cold hands and feet	Sweat freely with strong scent
Oily skin, facial acne	
	WOMEN
Cycle more than 28 days	Cycle less than 28 days
Miss some periods	Water retention before menses
Menses slow starting with cramps	Menstruation always lengthy
Frequent Class II Pap smear	Always hungry before menses
History of PID, cervicitis	Breasts tender before menses
Miscarriages, problem pregnancy	Palpitations before menses
Period late with altitude change	Period early with altitude change
Hot Flashes	Negative reaction to birth control pills
Constipation before, loose stools after	menses starts
	MEN
Frequent cannabis user	Pain or ache after orgasm
Difficulty maintaining erection when	in mood Benign prostatic hypertrophy
RESPIRATORY	
Easy coughing of mucus_	Yawns frequently
Tobacco smoker	Sometimes hyperventilates
Difficulty swallowing mucus	Rapid, shallow breather
Shortness of breath when standing o	r walking Frequent chest colds
Sometimes wake up choking or gaspi	ng for breath
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CARDIO-VASCULAR	
Fast, light pulse	Slow, strong pulse
Cold bodied	Frequent physical activity
Sometimes dizzy or faint	Warm bodied
Hands cold, clammy or dry	Hands warm, sweaty
Hypertension, not responding to diur	retics
Hypertension responds to diuretics	
Palpitations either as an adolescent o	or before menses

LYMPHATIC	
Recuperates slowly if ill	Recuperates quickly if ill
Injuries heal slowly	Injuries heal quickly
Eczema, dermatitis	Asthma or hay fever
Arthritis or rheumatism	
SKIN	
Skin eruptions are deep, not coming to a he	ad Skin on trunk is dry
Skin eruptions are superficial, come to a hea	
Cracks, fissures on heel, elbow, feet, heal poorly Dry scalp or hair	
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MUCUS	
Sores, cracks, fissures in mouth, anus, vagina	a Lips often dry, chapped
Food often causes intestinal distress as it pas	sses Gets sore throat easily
GENERAL	
Mark all that apply. If m	ild, mark "1"; if strong, mark "2".
Awakens, can't go back to sleep	Increase in weight (recent)
Bad dreams	Lack of sensation somewhere
Blurred vision	Likes depressants
Brown spots, bronzing of skin	Likes stimulants
Bruises easily	Lower back pain
Can't gain weight	Muscle cramps
Can't lose weight	Nails split, brittle
Can't get started without coffee	Nose bleeds frequently
Chemical or spray poisoning	Pollution heavy in environment
Chronic fatigue, depression	Ringing in ears
Cry easily without apparent cause	Pulse speeds up after meals
Depressed for long periods	Sensitive to cold weather
Earaches	Sensitive to hot weather
Eat often or else faint/nervous	Sensitive to high humidity
Eyes often red/inflamed	Sensitive to low humidity
Face, eyes get puffy	Sexual desire decreased
Facial twitches	Sexual desire increased
Gum problems	Stuffy nose during the day
Headaches	Stuffy nose in evening/night
Headaches in morning, wearing off	Tendency to anemia

Heart palpitations when hungry Tremors in hands or neck
Heart palpitation after eating Varicose veins
Highly emotional Highly controlled
Weight gain in upper arms, shoulders, back of neck
Impaired hearing
Current State of Emotions and Spiritual Wellbeing
Take time to think about the following questions:
Are you completely satisfied with your living conditions?
Are you able to express your feelings and emotions?
Is there an excess of stress in your life?
What is causing the stress?
Are you in a healthy relationship?
Do you feel well supported?
Do you sleep well?
Do you dream?
Are you satisfied with your energy level?
Is it easy to wake up in the morning?
Do you enjoy your work?
Do you believe in a higher power?
Which of these feelings dominate your life? (Circle any that apply)
Joy Happiness Anger Sadness Fear Sympathy Worry Depression
Other?
Have you suffered from any stress inducing life events in the last 5 years? (ie: divorce, loss of a lover, loss of a job, change of residence, injury, death of a loved one, etc?)

#### YOUR OPINIONS MATTER:

What do you call your illness? What name does it have?
What do you think has caused your illness?
Why and when did it start?
What do you think the illness does? How does it work?
How severe is it? Will it have a short or long course?
What kind of treatment(s) do you think you should receive?
What are the most important results you hope she receives from this treatment?
What are the chief problems the illness has caused?
What do you fear most about the illness?
ADDITIONAL THINGS YOU WANT TO MENTION: