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CHILD AND ADOLESCENT INTAKE QUESTIONNAIRE

Today's Date: _____ Completed by: _____

Background Information

Child / Patient

Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Chronological Age: _____

School: _____ Grade: _____

Mother

Name: _____ Home Phone: _____

Home Address: _____

Occupation: _____ Work Phone: _____

☐ Single ☐ Married ☐ Partnered ☐ Divorced ☐ Remarried ☐ Widowed

Current Spouse/Partner: ☐ Father ☐ Other :_____

Father

Name: _____ Home Phone: _____

Home Address: _____

Occupation: _____ Work Phone: _____

☐ Single ☐ Married ☐ Partnered ☐ Divorced ☐ Remarried ☐ Widowed

Current Spouse/Partner: ☐ Mother ☐ Other : _____

Referral Information

Referred by: _____

Describe the reasons you are requesting therapy for your child.
If possible, list specific questions for which answers are sought.

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Language spoken in the home if not English: _____

List all people now living in the household, then draw a line and list others who have
lived with the child (please note dates):

	(1)	(2)	(3)
Name:	_____	_____	_____
Relationship:	_____	_____	_____
Name to child:	_____	_____	_____
Age:	_____	_____	_____
With child now?	_____	_____	_____
Occupation:	_____	_____	_____

	(4)	(5)	(6)
Name:	_____	_____	_____
Relationship:	_____	_____	_____
Name to child:	_____	_____	_____
Age:	_____	_____	_____
With child now?	_____	_____	_____
Occupation:	_____	_____	_____

Please indicate if any children in the household were adopted and dates of any previous marriages, divorces, remarriages of parents. Describe custody arrangements. Describe any deaths in the immediate family. Note any unusual family circumstances.

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Current Care Providers

Current Pediatric Care

Child's Pediatrician: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: (____)_____ Fax: (____)_____

Permission to talk to pediatrician? ☐ Yes _____ (Please initial if yes) ☐ No

Current Psychiatric Care

Child's Psychiatrist: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: (____)_____ Fax: (____)_____

Permission to talk to psychiatrist? ☐ Yes _____ (Please initial if yes) ☐ No

Other Current Care Provider ☐ None

Name and Type of Provider: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: (____) _____ Fax: (____) _____

Permission to talk to provider? ☐ Yes _____ (Please initial if yes) ☐ No

Other Current Care Provider ☐ None

Name and Type of Provider: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: (____) _____ Fax: (____) _____

Permission to talk to provider? ☐ Yes _____ (Please initial if yes) ☐ No

Pregnancy and Birth History

Describe any complications that occurred during pregnancy:

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Describe any complications that occurred during delivery (e.g., prematurity, postmaturity, length of labor, special procedures, etc.).

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Birth Length: _____ Birth Weight: _____

How long after birth did you take your baby home? _____

Early Childhood

Early Temperament

Describe your child's temperament during the first six months (i.e., sleep patterns, colic, eating patterns).

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Developmental History

Note the approximate ages of the following:

Toileting:

Sitting unsupported _____

Urine daytime _____

Urine nighttime _____

Bowel daytime _____

Bowel nighttime _____

Walking alone _____

Using single words _____

Using two to three words together _____

Which hand does your child prefer? Right _____ Left _____ Mixed _____

Approximate age established _____

Medical History

List sicknesses operations and injuries. Note history of frequent ear infections, ruptured eardrums, tubes. Include the age when they occurred and severity. Please pay special attention to head injuries, any loss of consciousness, convulsing, or very high fever.

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Is there anyone in your immediate family or biologically related to your child that currently experiences or has previously experienced the following?

Nervous tics: Yes ____ No ____ Who? _____

Seizures (epilepsy): Yes ____ No ____ Who? _____

Depression: Yes ____ No ____ Who? _____

Bipolar Disorder: Yes ____ No ____ Who? _____

Thyroid problems: Yes ____ No ____ Who? _____

Emotional problems: Yes ____ No ____ Who? _____

ADHD: Yes ____ No ____ Who? _____

Learning problems: Yes ____ No ____ Who? _____

Language problems: Yes ____ No ____ Who? _____

Mental retardation: Yes ____ No ____ Who? _____

Left-handedness: Yes ____ No ____ Who? _____

Similar problems as child: Yes ____ No ____ Who? _____

Does any disease run in the family? Yes ____ No ____

If so, what? _____

Current Medication

Indicate any medications your child is *currently* taking and prescribing physician. (Include dosage and the reason for taking it.)

Medication	Dose (mg./ml.)	Time Administered
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Indicate any medication your child has taken in the past *for more than a month* and the prescribing physician. (Include dosage and the reason for taking it.)

Medication	Prescribing Physician	Why Stopped
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Vision and Hearing Care

Has your child's vision been examined? _____ Date last examined: _____

If so, by whom? _____

Results: _____

Has your child's hearing been examined? _____ Date last examined: _____

If so, by whom? _____

Results: _____

Other Relevant Psychological / Medical History

Medical

Other special medical tests (EEG, CAT scan, MRI):

Name of Test: _____ Date tested:_____

Results: _____

Name of Test: _____ Date tested:_____

Results: _____

Name of Test: _____ Date tested_____

Results: _____

Psychological

Have there been any previous psychological, psychiatric or neurological evaluations? If so, please list names, addresses and dates of contact.
Please attach any pertinent reports.

Date(s)	Name of Assessor	Phone	Address
_____	_____	_____	_____

Diagnoses Given: _____

Date(s)	Name of Assessor	Phone	Address
_____	_____	_____	_____

Diagnoses Given: _____

Date(s)	Name of Assessor	Phone	Address
_____	_____	_____	_____

Diagnoses Given: _____

Social/Emotional/Behavioral History

List your child's personality characteristics, both positive and negative:

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Note any particular behavioral concerns (i.e., eating habits, sleeping patterns, level of activity, sibling relationships, peer relationships, moodiness, difficulties paying attention, destructiveness, unusual habits, fears, tenseness, etc.).

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Describe your current discipline techniques:

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Effective? ☐ Yes ☐ No If 'No,' please explain why _____

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Who disciplines? _____

Do parents agree on how to discipline? _____

Please explain any parenting challenges: _____

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How does your child respond to discipline? _____

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School History

List previous schools attended with dates or years (include nursery school and preschool):

School	Grades / Dates Attended
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

List current teachers and subjects taught:
(Please bring copies of prior report card to the first meeting)

Teacher's Name	Subject Taught	Current Grade
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Permission to talk to teachers and other school personnel?

☐ Yes _____ (Please initial if yes) ☐ No

Describe any learning/behavioral/social difficulties at school:

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Has your child received any special services in school (resource room, tutors, remedial reading, speech therapy, etc.)? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If so, Date placed: _____ How often? _____

Does your child currently have an IEP or 504 in place? ☐ Yes ☐ No
If so, please provide a copy

Has your child received any special services privately? ☐ Yes ☐ No

	(1)	(2)
Name:	_____	_____
Phone:	_____	_____
Type of Service:	_____	_____
Date begun	_____	_____

	(3)	(4)
Name:	_____	_____
Phone:	_____	_____
Type of Service:	_____	_____
Date begun	_____	_____

Describe services, how often seen, length of time, effectiveness:

(1) _____

(2) _____

(3) _____

(4) _____

Has your child ever repeated a grade? ☐ Yes ☐ No When? _____

Reason? _____

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Addition Comments

I very much appreciate the time and energy you spent in filling out this questionnaire. Please add any additional comments below or on a separate sheet of paper as needed. When you come for your first appointment, please bring copies of any reports or report cards previously received. The more you can bring the better. Please also bring copies of any prior standardized achievement testing the school may have done.

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Symptom Checklists

Following, you will find two copies of a symptoms checklist. It is requested that both mother and father complete the checklists independently and bring them to the first meeting.

MOTHER'S CHECKLIST

Child's name: _____ Date Completed: _____

Answer *Yes* only if the behavior is *considerably more frequent* than that of most people the same age as your child and has persisted for at least six months.

Section A

Yes	No	
[ ]	[ ]	1. Often fails to give close attention to details or makes careless mistakes in schoolwork, work, or other activities
[ ]	[ ]	2. Often has difficulty sustaining attention in tasks or play activities
[ ]	[ ]	3. Often does not seem to listen when spoken to directly
[ ]	[ ]	4. Often does not follow through on instructions and fails to finish schoolwork, chores, or duties in the workplace (not due to oppositional behavior or failure to understand instructions)
[ ]	[ ]	5. Often has difficulty organizing tasks and activities
[ ]	[ ]	6. Often avoids, dislikes, or is reluctant to engage in tasks that require sustained mental effort (such as schoolwork or homework)
[ ]	[ ]	7. Often loses things necessary for tasks or activities (e.g., toys, school assignments, pencils, books, or tools)
[ ]	[ ]	8. Is often easily distracted by extraneous stimuli (sights or sounds or objects unrelated to the task at hand)
[ ]	[ ]	9. Is often forgetful in daily activities
[ ]	[ ]	10. Some of the behaviors listed under Section A have been present before age 7
[ ]	[ ]	11. The behaviors listed under Section A cause problems at home, school and/or elsewhere

Section B

Yes	No	
[ ]	[ ]	1. Often fidgets with hands or feet or squirms in seat
[ ]	[ ]	2. Often leaves seat in classroom or in other situations in which remaining seated is expected
[ ]	[ ]	3. Often runs about or climbs excessively in situations in which it is inappropriate (in adolescents or adults, may be limited to subjective feelings of restlessness)
[ ]	[ ]	4. Often has difficulty playing or engaging in leisure activities quietly
[ ]	[ ]	5. Is often "on the go" or often acts as if "driven by a motor"
[ ]	[ ]	6. Often talks excessively
[ ]	[ ]	7. Often blurts out answers before questions have been completed
[ ]	[ ]	8. Often has difficulty awaiting turns
[ ]	[ ]	9. Often interrupts or intrudes on others (e.g., butts into conversations or games)
[ ]	[ ]	10. Some behaviors listed under Section B have been present before age 7
[ ]	[ ]	11. The behaviors listed under Section B cause problems at home, school and/or elsewhere

Section C

Yes	No	
Aggression towards people and animals		
[ ]	[ ]	1. Often bullies, threatens, or intimidates others
[ ]	[ ]	2. Often initiates physical fights
[ ]	[ ]	3. Has used a weapon that can cause serious physical harm to others (e.g., bat, brick, broken bottle, knife, gun)
[ ]	[ ]	4. Has been physically cruel to people
[ ]	[ ]	5. Has been physically cruel to animals
[ ]	[ ]	6. Has stolen while confronting a victim (e.g., mugging, purse snatching, extortion, armed robbery)
[ ]	[ ]	7. Has forced someone into sexual activity
Destruction of property		
[ ]	[ ]	8. Has deliberately engaged in fire setting with the intention of causing serious damage
[ ]	[ ]	9. Has deliberately destroyed others' property (other than by fire setting)
Deceitfulness or theft		
[ ]	[ ]	10. Has broken into someone else's house, building or car
[ ]	[ ]	11. Often lies to obtain goods or favors or to avoid obligations (i.e., "con" others)
[ ]	[ ]	12. Has stolen items of nontrivial value without confronting a victim (shoplifting, but without breaking and entering; forgery)
Serious violations of rules		
[ ]	[ ]	13. Often stays out at night despite parental prohibitions, beginning before age 13
[ ]	[ ]	14. Has run away from home overnight at least twice while living in parental or parental surrogate home (or once without returning for a lengthy period)
[ ]	[ ]	15. Is often truant from school, beginning before age 13 (for older person, absent from work)

Section D

Yes	No	
[ ]	[ ]	1. Often loses temper
[ ]	[ ]	2. Often argues with adults
[ ]	[ ]	3. Often actively defies or refuses adult requests or rules, e.g., refuses to do chores at home
[ ]	[ ]	4. Often deliberately does things that annoy other people, e.g., grabs other children's hats
[ ]	[ ]	5. Often blames others for his or her own mistakes or misbehavior
[ ]	[ ]	6. Is often touchy or easily annoyed by others
[ ]	[ ]	7. Is often angry and resentful
[ ]	[ ]	8. Is often spiteful or vindictive

Section E

Answer "*Yes*" only if the response is clearly not due to a general medical condition.

Yes	No	
[ ]	[ ]	1. Seems to experience a depressed mood most of the day, nearly every day, as indicated by either subjective report (e.g., "I feel sad or empty") or observation made by others (e.g., appears tearful). **Note:** In children and adolescents, this can include irritable mood.
[ ]	[ ]	2. Appears to have experienced a markedly diminished interest or pleasure in all, or almost all, activities most of the day, nearly every day (as indicated by either subjective account or observation made by others).
[ ]	[ ]	3. Has experienced a significant weight loss not related to dieting or has experienced a significant weight gain (e.g., a change of more than 5% of body weight in a month), or decrease or increase in appetite nearly every day.
[ ]	[ ]	4. Has been sleeping too much or too little nearly every day.
[ ]	[ ]	5. Has displayed an increase or decrease in motor activity nearly every day (observable by others, not merely subjective feelings of restlessness or being slowed down).
[ ]	[ ]	6. Has experienced fatigue or loss of energy nearly every day.
[ ]	[ ]	7. Has experienced feelings of worthlessness or excessive or inappropriate guilt nearly every day (not merely self-reproach or guilt about being sick).
[ ]	[ ]	8. Has experienced a diminished ability to think or concentrate, or seems more indecisive, nearly every day (either by subjective account or as observed by others).
[ ]	[ ]	9. Has experienced recurrent thoughts of death (not just fear of dying), recurrent suicidal ideation without a specific plan, or a suicide attempt or a specific plan for committing suicide.
[ ]	[ ]	10. The symptoms listed in Section E cause significant distress or impairment in social, academic, occupational, or other important areas of functioning.
[ ]	[ ]	11. To the best of your knowledge, are the symptoms listed in Section E related to the direct physiological effects of a substance (e.g., a drug of abuse, a medication) or a general medical condition (e.g., hypothyroidism).

If so, please explain: _____

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[ ]	[ ]	12. To the best of your knowledge, are the symptoms listed in section E related to bereavement (i.e., after the loss of a loved one).
[ ]	[ ]	13. Have the symptoms listed in Section E persisted for longer than 2 months.
[ ]	[ ]	14. Does your child possess a preoccupation with suicidal ideation.

Section F

Yes	No	
[ ]	[ ]	1. Experienced excessive anxiety and worry (apprehensive expectation), occurring more days than not for at least 6 months, about a number of events or activities (such as work or school performance).
[ ]	[ ]	2. Has difficulty controlling the worry.
[ ]	[ ]	3. Feels restlessness or feeling keyed up or on edge.
[ ]	[ ]	4. Is easily fatigued.
[ ]	[ ]	5. Experiences difficulty concentrating or mind going blank.
[ ]	[ ]	6. Is often irritable.
[ ]	[ ]	7. Reports muscle tension.
[ ]	[ ]	8. Has experienced a disturbance in sleep (difficulty falling or staying asleep, or restless unsatisfying sleep).
[ ]	[ ]	9. Experiences panic attacks.
[ ]	[ ]	10. Has unusual obsessive rituals, interests or thoughts.
[ ]	[ ]	11. Has multiple physical complaints.
[ ]	[ ]	12. Has intense fears

If yes, please explain: _____

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[ ]	[ ]	13. Avoids public places
[ ]	[ ]	14. Is afraid to separate from parents or primary care givers
[ ]	[ ]	15. Has experiences a major or traumatic life event

If yes, please explain: _____

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[ ]	[ ]	16. The symptoms listed in Section F cause significant distress or impairment in social, academic, occupational, or other important areas of functioning.
[ ]	[ ]	17. To the best of your knowledge, are the symptoms listed in Section F related to the direct physiological effects of a substance (e.g., a drug of abuse, a medication) or a general medical condition (e.g., hypothyroidism).

FATHER'S CHECKLIST

Child's name: _____ Date Completed: _____

Answer *Yes* only if the behavior is *considerably more frequent* than that of most people the same age as your child and has persisted for at least six months.

Section A

Yes	**No**	
[ ]	[ ]	1. Often fails to give close attention to details or makes careless mistakes in schoolwork, work, or other activities
[ ]	[ ]	2. Often has difficulty sustaining attention in tasks or play activities
[ ]	[ ]	3. Often does not seem to listen when spoken to directly
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[ ]	[ ]	5. Often has difficulty organizing tasks and activities
[ ]	[ ]	6. Often avoids, dislikes, or is reluctant to engage in tasks that require sustained mental effort (such as schoolwork or homework)
[ ]	[ ]	7. Often loses things necessary for tasks or activities (e.g., toys, school assignments, pencils, books, or tools)
[ ]	[ ]	8. Is often easily distracted by extraneous stimuli (sights or sounds or objects unrelated to the task at hand)
[ ]	[ ]	9. Is often forgetful in daily activities
[ ]	[ ]	10. Some of the behaviors listed under Section A have been present before age 7
[ ]	[ ]	11. The behaviors listed under Section A cause problems at home, school and/or elsewhere

Section B

Yes	**No**	
[ ]	[ ]	1. Often fidgets with hands or feet or squirms in seat
[ ]	[ ]	2. Often leaves seat in classroom or in other situations in which remaining seated is expected
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[ ]	[ ]	8. Often has difficulty awaiting turns
[ ]	[ ]	9. Often interrupts or intrudes on others (e.g., butts into conversations or games)
[ ]	[ ]	10. Some behaviors listed under Section B have been present before age 7
[ ]	[ ]	11. The behaviors listed under Section B cause problems at home, school and/or elsewhere

Section C

Yes No

Aggression towards people and animals

[ ] [ ] 1. Often bullies, threatens, or intimidates others
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[ ] [ ] 6. Has stolen while confronting a victim (e.g., mugging, purse snatching, extortion, armed robbery)
[ ] [ ] 7. Has forced someone into sexual activity

Destruction of property

[ ] [ ] 8. Has deliberately engaged in fire setting with the intention of causing serious damage
[ ] [ ] 9. Has deliberately destroyed others' property (other than by fire setting)

Deceitfulness or theft

[ ] [ ] 10. Has broken into someone else's house, building or car
[ ] [ ] 11. Often lies to obtain goods or favors or to avoid obligations (i.e., "con" others)
[ ] [ ] 12. Has stolen items of nontrivial value without confronting a victim (shoplifting, but without breaking and entering; forgery)

Serious violations of rules

[ ] [ ] 13. Often stays out at night despite parental prohibitions, beginning before age 13
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[ ]	[ ]	8. Has experienced a diminished ability to think or concentrate, or seems more indecisive, nearly every day (either by subjective account or as observed by others).
[ ]	[ ]	9. Has experienced recurrent thoughts of death (not just fear of dying), recurrent suicidal ideation without a specific plan, or a suicide attempt or a specific plan for committing suicide.
[ ]	[ ]	10. The symptoms listed in Section E cause significant distress or impairment in social, academic, occupational, or other important areas of functioning.
[ ]	[ ]	11. To the best of your knowledge, are the symptoms listed in Section E related to the direct physiological effects of a substance (e.g., a drug of abuse, a medication) or a general medical condition (e.g., hypothyroidism).

If so, please explain: _____

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[ ]	[ ]	12. To the best of your knowledge, are the symptoms listed in section E related to bereavement (i.e., after the loss of a loved one).
[ ]	[ ]	13. Have the symptoms listed in Section E persisted for longer than 2 months.
[ ]	[ ]	14. Does your child possess a preoccupation with suicidal ideation.

Section F

Yes	No	
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[ ]	[ ]	5. Experiences difficulty concentrating or mind going blank.
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[ ]	[ ]	14. Is afraid to separate from parents or primary care givers
[ ]	[ ]	15. Has experiences a major or traumatic life event

If yes, please explain: _____

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[ ]	[ ]	16. The symptoms listed in Section F cause significant distress or impairment in social, academic, occupational, or other important areas of functioning.
[ ]	[ ]	17. To the best of your knowledge, are the symptoms listed in Section F related to the direct physiological effects of a substance (e.g., a drug of abuse, a medication) or a general medical condition (e.g., hypothyroidism).