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ADULT HISTORY QUESTIONNAIRE

CONFIDENTIAL

 The purpose of this questionnaire is to obtain background data concerning you. By completing this confidential form as fully as possible, you are assisting with this evaluation and reducing the time required to meet with you to obtain this information. I appreciate your cooperation and patience.

Client's name: _____ Date: _____
 Gender: __ F ___ M Date of birth: _____ Age: _____
 Form completed by (if someone other than client): _____
 Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
 Phone (home): _____ (work): _____ ext: _____

If you need any more space for any of the questions please use the back of the sheet.

Primary reason(s) for seeking services:

___ Anger Management	___ Anxiety	___ Coping	___ Depression
___ Eating Disorder	___ Fears/phobia	___ Mental Confusion	___ Sexual Concerns
___ Sleeping Problems	___ Addictive Behaviors	___ Alcohol/ Drugs	___ Parenting
___ Other Mental Health Concerns (specify): _____			

Family Information

Relationship	Name	Age	Living?		Living with you?	
			Yes	No	Yes	No
Mother:						
Father:						
Spouse:						
Children:						

Development

Are there special, unusual, or traumatic circumstances that affected your development?

_____ Yes _____ No

If Yes, describe:

Has there been history of child abuse? _____ Yes _____ No

If Yes, which type(s)? _____ Sexual _____ Physical _____ Verbal

If Yes, the abuse was as a: _____ Victim _____ Perpetrator

If Yes, was the abuse reported to a Child Protective Services or similar agency?

Other childhood issues: _____ Neglect _____ Inadequate nutrition

If Yes, was the neglect reported to a Child Protective Services or similar agency?

_____ Other (please specify): _____

Comments regarding childhood development:

Social Relationships

Check how you generally get along with other people: (check all that apply)

___ Affectionate ___ Aggressive ___ Avoidant ___ Fight/argue often ___ Follower

___ Friendly ___ Leader ___ Outgoing ___ Shy/withdrawn ___ Submissive

___ Other (specify): _____

Sexual orientation: _____ Comments: _____

Sexual dysfunctions? _____ Yes _____ No

If Yes, describe:

Sexual Concerns? _____ Yes _____ No

If Yes, describe:

Cultural/Ethnic

To which cultural or ethnic group, if any, do you belong? _____

Are you experiencing any problems due to cultural or ethnic issues? _____ Yes _____ No

Spiritual/Religious

How important to you are spiritual matters? _____ Not _____ Little _____ Moderate _____ Much

Are you affiliated with a spiritual or religious group? _____ Yes _____ No

If Yes, describe: _____

Were you raised within a spiritual or religious group? ___ Yes ___ No

If Yes, describe: _____

Would you like your spiritual/religious beliefs incorporated into the counseling? ___ Yes ___ No

If Yes, describe: _____

Legal

Current Status

Are you involved in any active cases (traffic, civil, criminal)? ___ Yes ___ No

If Yes, please describe and indicate the court and hearing/trial dates and charges: _____

Are you presently on probation or parole? ___ Yes ___ No

If Yes, describe: _____

Past History

Traffic violations: ___ Yes ___ No

DWI, DUI, etc.: ___ Yes ___ No

Criminal involvement: ___ Yes ___ No

Civil involvement: ___ Yes ___ No

If you responded Yes to any of the above, please fill in the following information.

Charges	Date	Where (city)	Results
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Education

Fill in all that apply:

Years of education: _____ Currently enrolled in school? ___ Yes ___ No

___ High school grad/GED

___ Vocational: Number of years: _____ Graduated: ___ Yes ___ No Major: _____

__ College: Number of years: _____ Graduated: __ Yes __ No Major:
__ Graduate: Number of years: _____ Graduated: __ Yes __ No Major:

Other training: _____

Special circumstances (e.g., learning disabilities, gifted): _____

Military

Military experience? __ Yes __ No Combat experience? __ Yes __ No

Where: _____

Branch: _____ Discharge date: _____

Date drafted: _____ Type of discharge: _____

Date enlisted _____ Rank at discharge: _____

Employment

Employer (Most recent first)	Dates	Title	Reason for Leaving
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Currently: __ FT __ PT __ Temp __ Laid-off __ Disabled __ Retired
__ Social Security __ Student __ Other (describe): _____

Leisure/Recreational

Describe special areas of interest or hobbies (e.g., art, books, crafts, physical fitness, sports, outdoor activities, church activities, walking, exercising, diet/health, hunting, fishing, bowling, traveling, etc.)

Activity	How often now?	How often in the past?
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Medical/Physical Health

AIDS	Drug abuse	Osteoporosis
Alcoholism	Epilepsy	Pneumonia
Abdominal pain	Ear infections	Rheumatic Fever
Abortion	Eating problems	Sexually transmitted diseases
Allergies	Fainting	Sleeping disorders
Anemia	Fatigue	Sore throat
Appendicitis	Frequent urination	Scarlet Fever
Arthritis	Headaches	Sinusitis
Asthma	Hearing problems	Smallpox
Bronchitis	Heart	Stroke
Bed wetting	Hepatitis	Sexual problems
Cancer	High blood pressure	Tonsillitis
Chest pain	Kidney problems	Tuberculosis
Chronic Pain	Measles	Toothache
Colds/Coughs	Mononucleosis	Thyroid problems
Constipation	Mumps	Vision problems
Chicken Pox	Menstrual pain	Vomiting
Dental problems	Miscarriages	Whooping Cough
Diabetes	Neurological disorder	
Diarrhea	Nose bleeds	Other (describe):
Dizziness	Osteopenia	

Physician's name and contact information: _____

List any current health concerns: _____

List any recent health or physical changes: _____

Current prescribed medications

Dose

Dates

Purpose/Side effects

Current over-the counter meds	Dose	Dates	Purpose/Side effects

Are you allergic to any medications or drugs? Yes No

If Yes, describe: _____

	Date	Reason	Results
Last physical exam			
Last doctor's visit			
Last dental exam			
Most recent surgery			
Other surgery			

Upcoming surgery: _____

Family history of medical problems: _____

Please check if there have been any recent changes in the following:

- Sleep patterns
 Eating patterns
 Behavior
 Energy level
 Physical activity level
 General disposition
 Weight
 Nervousness/tension

Describe changes in areas in which you checked above: _____

Presc. Drugs _____

Other drugs _____

Substance(s) of preference

- 1. _____
- 2. _____
- 3. _____
- 4. _____

Substance Abuse Questions

Describe when and where you typically use substances:

Describe any changes in your use patterns:

Describe how your use has affected your family or friends (include their perceptions of your use):

Reason(s) for use:

- Addicted
- Build confidence
- Escape
- Self-medication
- Socialization
- Taste
- Other (specify): _____

How do you believe your substance use affects your life?

Who or what has helped you in stopping or limiting your use?

Does/Has someone in your family present/past have/had a problem with drugs or alcohol?

Yes No If Yes, describe: _____

Have you had withdrawal symptoms when trying to stop using drugs or alcohol? Yes No

If Yes, describe: _____

Have you had adverse reactions or overdose to drugs or alcohol? (describe):

Does your body temperature change when you drink? Yes No

If Yes, describe: _____

Have drugs or alcohol created a problem for your job? Yes No

If Yes, describe:

Counseling/Prior Treatment History

Information about **client** (past and present):

	When	Where	Your reaction to overall experience
Counseling/Psychiatric treatment	_____	_____	_____
Suicidal thoughts/attempts	_____	_____	_____
Drug/alcohol treatment	_____	_____	_____
Hospitalizations	_____	_____	_____
Involvement with self-help groups (e.g., AA, Al-Anon, NA, Overeaters Anonymous)	_____	_____	_____

Information about **family/significant others** (past and present):

	When	Where	Your reaction to overall experience
Counseling/Psychiatric treatment	_____	_____	_____
Suicidal thoughts/attempts	_____	_____	_____
Drug/alcohol treatment	_____	_____	_____
Hospitalizations	_____	_____	_____
Involvement with self-help groups (e.g., AA, Al-Anon, NA, Overeaters Anonymous)	_____	_____	_____

Please check behaviors and symptoms that occur to you more often than you would like them to take place:

- | | | |
|--|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Aggression | <input type="checkbox"/> Elevated mood | <input type="checkbox"/> Phobias/fears |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Alcohol dependence | <input type="checkbox"/> Fatigue | <input type="checkbox"/> Recurring thoughts |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Anger | <input type="checkbox"/> Gambling | <input type="checkbox"/> Sexual addiction |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Antisocial behavior | <input type="checkbox"/> Hallucinations | <input type="checkbox"/> Sexual difficulties |

_____ Anxiety	_____ Heart Palpitations	_____ Sick often
_____ Avoiding people	_____ High blood pressure	_____ Sleeping problems
_____ Chest pain	_____ Hopelessness	_____ Speech problems
_____ Cyber addiction	_____ Impulsivity	_____ Suicidal thoughts
_____ Depression	_____ Irritability	_____ Thoughts disorganized
_____ Disorientation	_____ Judgment errors	_____ Trembling
_____ Distractibility	_____ Loneliness	_____ Withdrawing
_____ Dizziness	_____ Memory impairment	_____ Worrying
_____ Drug dependence	_____ Mood shifts	_____ Other (describe):
_____ Eating disorder	_____ Panic attacks	_____

Briefly discuss how the above symptoms, or additional symptoms not listed, and how they impair your ability to function effectively:

Any additional information that would assist us in understanding your concerns or problems:

What are your goals for therapy?

Do you feel suicidal at this time? ____ Yes ____ No

If Yes, explain:
