

## Dizziness History Questionnaire

This form is to be completed along with the Adult Hearing Health History.  
Please bring both to your appointment.

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

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

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| Have you ever experienced dizziness, lightheadedness, unsteadiness, or vertigo? | <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO  |
| Are you feeling dizzy or unsteady today?  | <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO  |
| How often do you feel dizzy/unsteady?   | _____   |
| Describe in your own words how your dizziness or unsteadiness feels: _____      |   |
| Is your dizziness/unsteadiness accompanied by:                                  | <input type="checkbox"/> nausea <input type="checkbox"/> ringing or noises in your ear(s) <input type="checkbox"/> hearing loss<br><input type="checkbox"/> visual disturbances <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ |
| Have you fallen in the last 12 months due to your dizziness/unsteadiness?       | <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO  |
| If <u>YES</u> , how many falls have you experienced in the last 12 months?      | _____   |
| If you have fallen, have you been injured?                                      | <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO  |
| If <u>YES</u> , please describe your injury:                                    | _____   |
| If YES, do you tend to fall to the:   | <input type="checkbox"/> RIGHT <input type="checkbox"/> LEFT <input type="checkbox"/> BACK <input type="checkbox"/> FRONT <input type="checkbox"/> NO PATTERN   |
| Do you currently take a Vitamin D supplement?                                   | <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO  |
| Do you experience visual difficulties or disturbances?                          | <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO  |
| If <u>YES</u> , please describe: _____  |   |

When did your problem start (date): \_\_\_\_\_ Was there any related event?  YES  NO

If YES, describe: \_\_\_\_\_

Was the onset of your problem:  Gradual  Sudden  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

If your dizziness is not constant, do you have any warning the attacks will occur?  
 YES  NO

If YES, describe: \_\_\_\_\_

If YES, do you have dizziness/unsteadiness between attacks?  YES  NO

Does your dizziness/unsteadiness occur with position changes?  YES  NO

If YES, check all that apply:

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|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Rolling your body right or left      | <input type="checkbox"/> Turning your head left or right     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Looking up, or head back position    | <input type="checkbox"/> Bending over, or head down position |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Going from lying to sitting position | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____                        |

Do you know of anything that makes your dizziness/unsteadiness **better**?  YES  NO

If YES, check all that apply:

- |   |                               |
|---|-------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Not moving your head | <input type="checkbox"/> Rest |
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**(Please Complete Back of Form)**

Medication: \_\_\_\_\_

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you know of anything that makes your dizziness/unsteadiness **worse**?  YES  NO

If YES, check all that apply:

- Moving your head
- Large crowds or busy walkways
- Other:
- Riding or driving in the car
- When you're hungry or haven't eaten

Since it began, is your dizziness/unsteadiness currently:  Better  Worse  Same

Do your symptoms limit your daily activities?  YES  NO

Do you have trouble walking in the dark or at dusk?  YES  NO

Do you have trouble walking on uneven surfaces (eg. lawn)?  YES  NO

When dizzy/unsteady, must you support yourself to stand or walk?  YES  NO

Do you have a history of migraine headaches?  YES  NO

Have you ever had IV antibiotics or chemotherapy?  YES  NO

Have you ever suffered a concussion (head injury)?  YES  NO

Do you have trouble sleeping?  YES  NO

Do you have pain, fullness, or pressure in your ears?  YES  NO

If YES, which ears:  Right ear  Left ear  Both ears

If YES, does it coincide with your dizziness/unsteadiness?  YES  NO

**Have you experienced any of the following (Indicate if constant or episodic):**

| Yes                      | No                       |   | Constant                 | Episodic                 | Comments |
|--------------------------|--------------------------|---|--------------------------|--------------------------|----------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 1. Double/blurred vision or blindness   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | _____    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 2. Numbness of face or extremities      | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | _____    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 3. Weakness in arms or legs             | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | _____    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 4. Clumsiness in arms or legs           | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | _____    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 5. Confusion or loss of consciousness   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | _____    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | 6. Difficulty with speech or swallowing | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | _____    |

Have you seen other healthcare providers for this problem?  YES  NO

If YES, who:  Primary MD  Ear, Nose, Throat MD (ENT)  Neurologist  
 Audiologist  Cardiologist  Emergency Room MD  Physical Therapist

Have you had tests done for this problem elsewhere?

YES  NO  YES  NO

ENG/VNG Where: \_\_\_\_\_ When: \_\_\_\_\_ Results: \_\_\_\_\_

MRI/CT Where: \_\_\_\_\_ When: \_\_\_\_\_ Results: \_\_\_\_\_

Hearing tests Where: \_\_\_\_\_ When: \_\_\_\_\_ Results: \_\_\_\_\_

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_