

HEALTH TRANSITIONS CLINIC:

Initial history questionnaire:

Patient Name: _____
DOB: _____ Age: _____ Sex _____ Marital Status _____
Occupation: _____
Significant Other's Name _____

PART 1: Weight, Diet and Exercise History

Obesity history: Current weight _____ and height _____
Goal weight: _____
Are you at your heaviest weight ever? _____
If no when _____, what weight _____

What prompted you to take action now?

Medical problems? _____
Doctor's advise? _____
Appearance? _____

What will you consider success? _____

Your Weight History:

At what age did you first consider yourself overweight? _____
Approximate weight at graduation from high school _____
Approximate weight (and age) at first marriage _____ (age _____)
Lowest weight (and age) after first pregnancy _____ (age _____)
Lowest weight (and age) after last pregnancy _____ (age _____)
Approximate weight at age 40 _____

Your Diet/Eating Behavior History:

How many meals per day do you eat? _____
Do you eat Breakfast? (Yes/No) _____
What do you commonly eat for breakfast? (Be as complete and specific as possible)

Number of meals per wk. prepared at home? _____ (Ave. week)
Number of meals per wk. at sit down restaurant? _____ (Ave. week)
Number of meals per wk. at fast food restaurant? _____ (Ave. week)
Number of meals per wk. eaten by yourself? _____ (Ave. week)

When you eat with others, do you have the perception that you eat more or less than others? More_____ Less_____ About the same_____

Toward the end of a meal, do you typically start feeling full? (Yes/No)

Restaurant behavior:

Eat bread or chips before? Yes/No

Finish food on plate? Yes/No

Dessert? Usually/ Occasionally/ Infrequently / Never

Leave the restaurant feeling? Stuffed and uncomfortable /Satiated/ Still a little hungry

List 3 favorite entrees that you like to eat (home cooked, restaurant or fast food):

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

In an average month, how often do you eat pizza? _____

List 2 favorite side dishes that you like to eat:

1. _____
2. _____

In an average week, how often do you eat the following?

1. potatoes: _____ 2. Pasta or noodles: _____ 3. Rice: _____
4. corn: _____ 5. Fruit: _____

How many times do you snack per day? (Any food consumed other than at sit down meals)

In an average day, how often do you feel hungry? _____

How often do you eat when you are not hungry? _____

List 3 favorite snack foods that you like to eat:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Do you typically snack on foods that you don't necessarily like, crave or enjoy because you are hungry and feel compelled to eat something good for you?

List the common "good for you" snacks that you tend to eat:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Liquid Consumption: What fluids containing calories do you consume? (PER WEEK)

Soft drinks (regular): _____

Sports drinks: _____

Fruit Juices: _____

Vegetable Juices: _____

Milk: _____

Protein shakes: _____

Your Current Exercise/Activity Pattern:

1. Estimate how much walking you do in an average day (both through your daily activity as well as any exercise):

Less than 5000 steps per day (2.5 miles) _____

Between 5000-10,000 per day (2.5-5 miles) _____

At least 10,000 steps daily (5 miles or more) _____

(At an average pace, 5000 steps take approximately 40 minutes)

2. In an average week, how much time do you devote to exercise or recreational activities that involve physical activity. Please list:

3. How active is your job:

Mostly sitting _____

Moderate walking _____

Walking, climbing and lifting _____

Previous Attempts at Weight Loss:

1. Formal programs? (Yes/No) e.g. Weight watchers, Jenny Craig, Optifast, Ideal Protein
Please list name of program, approximate dates, and any initial success. Any idea in your mind why the program ultimately failed? (If more than 3, list most recent 3)

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

1. Diabetes: (Yes/No)

Approximate date of diagnosis: _____

Most recent HbA1c and date: _____

Treated with: Diet alone _____
 Medications _____ (all meds should be listed above)
 Insulins _____ (all insulin and doses should be listed above)

Do you check blood sugars? How often in average week _____

Do you change insulin dosing on a daily basis based on:

- 1. What you eat? (Yes/No)
- 2. Strict or estimated carbohydrate counting? (Yes/No)
- 3. What your pre-meal blood sugar is? (Yes/No)

Do you currently stick with a defined amount of carbohydrate per day (Yes/No)

If so, how much? _____

On a scale of 1-4 how compulsive are you in terms of measuring and sticking to the dietary limits? (1=very compulsive, 4=not at all)_____

Are you aware of any diabetes related complications?

- Heart disease (heart attack, bypass, stents, CAD) (yes/no)
- Stroke (yes/no)
- Kidney disease, proteinuria or microalbuminuria (yes/no)
- Retinopathy (eye disease) (yes/no)
- Neuropathy (pain in limbs or loss of sensation) (yes/no)

2. Sleep Apnea: (yes/no)

- Do you wear CPAP or BiPAP? (Yes/no)
- Ever have a sleep test? (Yes/no)
- Have you been told that you snore loudly? (Yes/no)
- Ever been told that you stop breathing at night? (Yes/no)
- Do you struggle with daytime sleepiness? (Yes/no)
- Ever fall asleep while driving? (Yes/no)
- Do you have restless legs at night? (Yes/no)
- Significant other threaten to sleep in another bed? (Yes/no)

3. Hypertension (high blood pressure): (yes/no)

Please make certain all current blood pressure medications are listed above.

- Have you required several changes in BP medications? (Yes/no)
- Do you monitor BP readings at home? (Yes/no)
- Are your BP readings at the doctors usually acceptable? (Yes/no)
- Any problems tolerating BP medications? (Yes/no)
- Any problems with headaches? (Yes/no)
- Any problems with lightheadedness? (Yes/no)

4. High cholesterol: (yes/no)

Are you taking medications for this? (Yes/no)
Have you been experiencing muscle pains since starting meds? (Yes/no)
Do you know how high your labs were before starting meds? (Yes/no)
Do you have a family history of heart disease (heart attack, bypass, stents, heart catheterizations or heart related chest pains)? (Yes/no)
Do you smoke, or have you smoked in past year? (Yes/no)

5. Musculoskeletal (arthritis and back pain): (yes/no)

Are you bothered by chronic back pain? (Yes/no)
Any previous operations on lower back or neck? (Yes/no)
Any epidural injections for back pain? (Yes/no)
Problems with chronic arthritis of knees, ankles or hips? (Yes/no)
Do you take medications for back pain or arthritis? (Yes/no)
Do you have Fibromyalgia? (Yes/no)
Do you have any chronic pain syndrome? (Yes/no)

6. Depression: (yes/no)

Have you struggled with depression? (Yes/no)
Have you been on several different medications over the years? (Yes/no)
Have you ever seen a psychiatrist? (Yes/no)
Currently seeing a psychiatrist? (Yes/no)
Have you ever seen a psychologist or counselor? (Yes/no)

7. Gastrointestinal problems: (yes/no)

Have you ever been told you had a fatty liver? (Yes/no)
Do you suffer from chronic reflux (heartburn)? (Yes/no)
Have you ever been told you had NASH (hepatitis)? (Yes/no)

8. Cancer: (yes/no)

Many forms of cancer have been strongly associated with overweight and obesity.
Have you ever been diagnosed with any form of cancer? (Yes/no)
If yes, please indicate type or location: _____
Currently (active /remission)

9. Have any of your physicians advised you to lose weight? (Yes/no)

Please indicate physicians name and type of practice:

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Part 3: Family and Social History:

Family History:

Father alive/dead age_____ cause of death_____

Mother alive/dead age_____ cause of death_____

Age of grandparents: indicate living (L) or dead (D) _____

Please indicate by circling which family member was affected, and stipulate relationship to other:

Diabetes Mother Father other_____

Hypertension Mother Father other_____

Heart Disease Mother Father other_____

Obesity Mother Father other_____

Sleep Apnea Mother Father other_____

Early Death Mother Father other_____

Cancer Mother Father other_____

Social History:

Alcohol consumption per week_____

Cigarette Smoking (Yes/No)

If yes, how many cig per day_____

Number of years smoking _____

Last attempted quit _____

Who do you eat meals with _____

Do meal partners have weight problems _____