



## AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT QUESTIONNAIRE

Patient's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Accident: \_\_\_\_\_

### THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS PERTAIN TO YOU AND THE VEHICLE YOU WERE IN:

#### Vehicle type:

- ☐ Car ☐ Pickup  
☐ Van ☐ Truck  
☐ Station Wagon ☐ Bus  
☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

#### Vehicle size:

- ☐ Subcompact ☐ Full-size  
☐ Compact ☐ Mini  
☐ Mid-size ☐ Light  
☐ Heavy ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

#### Your position in the vehicle:

- ☐ Driver  
☐ Passenger:  
☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

- Location: ☐ Rear Passenger ☐ Middle ☐ Right  
☐ Front Passenger ☐ Left ☐ Third Seat (rear)

#### Speed of your vehicle:

- ☐ Stopped ☐ Moving Moderately  
☐ Parked ☐ Moving Fast  
☐ Slowing ☐ Moving at apprx \_\_\_\_ MPH  
☐ Moving Slowly

#### Why Vehicle was slowed or stopped:

- ☐ Traffic Signal ☐ Parking  
☐ Pedestrian ☐ Traffic  
☐ Stop Sign ☐ Busy Intersection

#### Collision Type:

- ☐ Driver Side Impact ☐ Head On Collision  
☐ Passenger Side Impact ☐ Rear Impact  
☐ Front Impact ☐ Pedestrian Incident

### THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS CONCERN THE OTHER VEHICLE INVOLVED IN THE ACCIDENT:

#### Vehicle type:

- ☐ Car ☐ Pickup  
☐ Van ☐ Truck  
☐ Station Wagon ☐ Bus  
☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

#### Vehicle size:

- ☐ Subcompact ☐ Full-size  
☐ Compact ☐ Mini  
☐ Mid-size ☐ Light  
☐ Heavy ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

### CONDITIONS AT THE TIME OF THE ACCIDENT:

#### Time of day:

- ☐ Full daylight  
☐ Dawn  
☐ Dusk  
☐ Night

#### Road Conditions:

- ☐ Dry  
☐ Damp  
☐ Wet  
☐ Snow covered  
☐ Ice covered  
☐ Patchy Ice/Snow

#### Visibility:

- ☐ Excellent  
☐ Good  
☐ Fair  
☐ Poor

#### Visibility compromised by:

- ☐ Brightness  
☐ Darkness  
☐ Rain  
☐ Snow  
☐ Fog  
☐ Traffic

### THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS CONCERN THE MOMENT OF IMPACT OF THE ACCIDENT:

#### Were you...

- ☐ Totally unaware that the accident was impending  
☐ Aware that the accident was impending  
☐ Aware that the accident was impending and braced for it

#### Restraints: (check all that apply)

- ☐ Seat belt  
☐ Shoulder harness  
☐ No restraints

If you were the driver of the vehicle, was your foot on the brake pedal?

☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ Knocked off by impact

**Was the air bag deployed?**

- ☐ Car not equipped with air bag
- ☐ Air bag deployed
- ☐ Air bag not deployed

**Position of YOUR head at time of impact?**

- ☐ Facing straight ahead
- ☐ Tilted forward
- ☐ Rotated to the left
- ☐ Rotated to the right

**Position of Your body at time of impact?**

- ☐ Straight
- ☐ Tilted forward
- ☐ Rotated to the left
- ☐ Rotated to the right

**Damage to vehicle YOU were in:**

- ☐ Incurred minimal damage
- ☐ Incurred moderate damage
- ☐ Incurred severe damage
- ☐ Was totalled
- ☐ Not known

**What position was YOUR headrest in?**

- ☐ High position
- ☐ Middle position
- ☐ Low position

**Was your head thrown...?**

- ☐ Backward and then forward
- ☐ Forward then backward
- ☐ To the left      ☐ To the left then the right
- ☐ To the right      ☐ To the right, then the left

**Was your body thrown...?**

- ☐ Backward and then forward
- ☐ Forward then backward
- ☐ To the left      ☐ To the left then the right
- ☐ To the right      ☐ To the right, then the left
- ☐ Across the vehicle
- ☐ Outside the vehicle
- ☐ Under the vehicle

**Citations:**

- ☐ None issued
- ☐ Yourself
- ☐ Driver of vehicle patient was a passenger of
- ☐ Driver of other vehicle
- ☐ Not sure

***AS A RESULT OF THE FORCE OF THE COLLISION, WHICH OBJECTS IN THE VEHICLE DID YOUR BODY STRIKE?*****Head**

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|---|---------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Steering wheel   | <input type="checkbox"/> Right door   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dashboard        | <input type="checkbox"/> Left window  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Windshield       | <input type="checkbox"/> Right window |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Armrest          | <input type="checkbox"/> Console      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Headrest         | <input type="checkbox"/> Gear shift   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Rear view mirror | <input type="checkbox"/> Front seat   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Left door        | <input type="checkbox"/> Backseat     |

**Left Arm**

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|---|---------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Steering wheel   | <input type="checkbox"/> Right door   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dashboard        | <input type="checkbox"/> Left window  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Windshield       | <input type="checkbox"/> Right window |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Armrest          | <input type="checkbox"/> Console      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Headrest         | <input type="checkbox"/> Gear shift   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Rear view mirror | <input type="checkbox"/> Front seat   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Left door        | <input type="checkbox"/> Backseat     |

**Right Arm**

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|---|---------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Steering wheel   | <input type="checkbox"/> Right door   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dashboard        | <input type="checkbox"/> Left window  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Windshield       | <input type="checkbox"/> Right window |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Armrest          | <input type="checkbox"/> Console      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Headrest         | <input type="checkbox"/> Gear shift   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Rear view mirror | <input type="checkbox"/> Front seat   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Left door        | <input type="checkbox"/> Backseat     |

**Torso**

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|---|---------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Steering wheel   | <input type="checkbox"/> Right door   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dashboard        | <input type="checkbox"/> Left window  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Windshield       | <input type="checkbox"/> Right window |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Armrest          | <input type="checkbox"/> Console      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Headrest         | <input type="checkbox"/> Gear shift   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Rear view mirror | <input type="checkbox"/> Front seat   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Left door        | <input type="checkbox"/> Backseat     |

**Left Leg**

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|---|---------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Steering wheel   | <input type="checkbox"/> Right door   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dashboard        | <input type="checkbox"/> Left window  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Windshield       | <input type="checkbox"/> Right window |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Armrest          | <input type="checkbox"/> Console      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Headrest         | <input type="checkbox"/> Gear shift   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Rear view mirror | <input type="checkbox"/> Front seat   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Left door        | <input type="checkbox"/> Backseat     |

**Right Leg**

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|---|---------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Steering wheel   | <input type="checkbox"/> Right door   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dashboard        | <input type="checkbox"/> Left window  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Windshield       | <input type="checkbox"/> Right window |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Armrest          | <input type="checkbox"/> Console      |
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THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS CONCERN THE TIME PERIOD IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE ACCIDENT:

**Did you lose consciousness?**

- ☐ Yes  
☐ No

**Were you able to walk unaided?**

- ☐ Yes  
☐ No

**Immediately following the accident, did you feel...?**

- ☐ Dizzy      ☐ Weak      ☐ Dazed  
☐ Nervous      ☐ Disoriented      ☐ Nauseated

**Where did you go...?**

- ☐ Drove home      ☐ Drove to work  
☐ Was driven home      ☐ Was driven to work  
☐ Drove to hospital      ☐ Drove to school  
☐ Was driven to hospital      ☐ Was driven to school  
☐ Taken to hospital via ambulance

**Next day discomfort...?**

- ☐ increased    ☐ decreased    ☐ same

**In what areas did you IMMEDIATELY feel pain?**

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|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Head       | Shoulder                        | <input type="checkbox"/> Left | <input type="checkbox"/> Right |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neck       | Arm                             | <input type="checkbox"/> Left | <input type="checkbox"/> Right |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Upper back | Elbow                           | <input type="checkbox"/> Left | <input type="checkbox"/> Right |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mid back   | Wrist                           | <input type="checkbox"/> Left | <input type="checkbox"/> Right |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ribs       | Hand                            | <input type="checkbox"/> Left | <input type="checkbox"/> Right |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chest      | Fingers                         | <input type="checkbox"/> Left | <input type="checkbox"/> Right |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Abdomen    | Buttock                         | <input type="checkbox"/> Left | <input type="checkbox"/> Right |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Low Back   | <input type="checkbox"/> Pelvis |                               |                                |

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| Hip   | <input type="checkbox"/> Left | <input type="checkbox"/> Right |
| Thigh | <input type="checkbox"/> Left | <input type="checkbox"/> Right |
| Knee  | <input type="checkbox"/> Left | <input type="checkbox"/> Right |
| Calf  | <input type="checkbox"/> Left | <input type="checkbox"/> Right |
| Ankle | <input type="checkbox"/> Left | <input type="checkbox"/> Right |
| Foot  | <input type="checkbox"/> Left | <input type="checkbox"/> Right |
| Toes  | <input type="checkbox"/> Left | <input type="checkbox"/> Right |

**Did your major complaints exist before the accident?**

- ☐ Yes    ☐ No

**In what areas did you experience lacerations (cuts)?**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Head       | Shoulder                        | <input type="checkbox"/> Left | <input type="checkbox"/> Right |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neck       | Arm                             | <input type="checkbox"/> Left | <input type="checkbox"/> Right |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Upper back | Elbow                           | <input type="checkbox"/> Left | <input type="checkbox"/> Right |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mid back   | Wrist                           | <input type="checkbox"/> Left | <input type="checkbox"/> Right |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ribs       | Hand                            | <input type="checkbox"/> Left | <input type="checkbox"/> Right |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chest      | Fingers                         | <input type="checkbox"/> Left | <input type="checkbox"/> Right |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Abdomen    | Buttock                         | <input type="checkbox"/> Left | <input type="checkbox"/> Right |
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| Knee  | <input type="checkbox"/> Left | <input type="checkbox"/> Right |
| Calf  | <input type="checkbox"/> Left | <input type="checkbox"/> Right |
| Ankle | <input type="checkbox"/> Left | <input type="checkbox"/> Right |
| Foot  | <input type="checkbox"/> Left | <input type="checkbox"/> Right |
| Toes  | <input type="checkbox"/> Left | <input type="checkbox"/> Right |

**At the hospital, what areas were x-rayed?**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Neck       | Arm                             | <input type="checkbox"/> Left | <input type="checkbox"/> Right |
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| Knee  | <input type="checkbox"/> Left | <input type="checkbox"/> Right |
| Calf  | <input type="checkbox"/> Left | <input type="checkbox"/> Right |
| Ankle | <input type="checkbox"/> Left | <input type="checkbox"/> Right |
| Foot  | <input type="checkbox"/> Left | <input type="checkbox"/> Right |
| Toes  | <input type="checkbox"/> Left | <input type="checkbox"/> Right |

**Where did you experience pain on the day FOLLOWING the accident?**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Neck       | Arm                             | <input type="checkbox"/> Left | <input type="checkbox"/> Right |
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| Foot  | <input type="checkbox"/> Left | <input type="checkbox"/> Right |
| Toes  | <input type="checkbox"/> Left | <input type="checkbox"/> Right |

Patient's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_