

Dizziness/Imbalance Questionnaire

Patient Name: _____
First MI Last

Date: ____ / ____ / ____
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1. Which of these best describes your dizziness? Check only one:

- A sensation of movement of yourself or the room: spinning, tilting, or wave-like movement
- Light-headedness or feeling that you are going to faint
- Loss of balance, unsteadiness
- Disorientation with the world, giddiness

2. When you are "dizzy," do you experience any of the following sensations? You may check as many yes responses as necessary.

- Yes No Light-headedness or swimming sensation in the head
- Yes No Blacking out or lack of consciousness
- Yes No Tendency to fall
- Yes No Objects spinning or turning around you
- Yes No Sensation that you are turning or spinning inside
- Yes No Loss of balance when standing or walking
- Yes No Headache
- Yes No Pressure in the head
- Yes No Nausea or vomiting

3. When did the dizziness first occur? _____

4. Is the dizziness CONSTANT or does it come in ATTACKS? _____

5. If the dizziness comes in attacks, how often do these attacks occur?

6. If the dizziness comes in attacks, how often do these attacks last?

7. What factors provoke the dizziness or make the dizziness worse? _____

8. What makes the dizziness better? _____

9. Does your hearing change when the dizziness occurs? Yes No
 How? _____ Which ear? Right Left

10. Are there any other symptoms associated with the dizziness? Check all that apply:

- Blurred vision
- Double vision
- Numbness or tingling in the arms or legs
- Weakness in the arms or legs
- Difficulty speaking
- Difficulty swallowing

11. Are you completely free of dizziness between attacks? Yes No

12. Does blowing your nose, coughing, or lifting heavy objects make you dizzy? Yes No

13. Do loud sounds or your own raised voice make you dizzy? Yes No

14. Have you ever been diagnosed with a head or neck injury? Yes No

If yes, please explain:

15. Do you have any history of neurological diseases such as migraine, multiple sclerosis, or stroke? Yes No

If yes, please explain:

16. Do you have any of the following symptoms? Please check 'Yes' or 'No' and check which ear is involved:

Yes No Difficulty hearing? Right Left

Yes No Noise in your ears (tinnitus)? Right Left

Yes No Does tinnitus change during the dizziness?

If yes, then how? _____

Yes No Fullness or stuffiness in your ears? Right Left