

Hearing Health History

Patient Name _____ DOB _____ Date _____

Primary Symptom(s) _____

Present Symptoms and Hearing Concerns:

Hearing Loss ☐ Right ☐ Left ☐ Both Ears ☐ N/A

When did your hearing loss begin? _____

Has your hearing changed? (e.g., sudden, gradual, fluctuating?) _____

Do you hear better out of one ear? _____ If so, which ear? _____

Do you know the cause of your hearing loss? _____

In the past 90 days have you experienced:

Ear pain ☐ Right ☐ Left ☐ Both Ears ☐ N/A

Ear discharge or drainage ☐ Right ☐ Left ☐ Both Ears ☐ N/A

Sudden change in hearing ☐ Right ☐ Left ☐ Both Ears ☐ N/A

Tinnitus (Noise in ears) ☐ Right ☐ Left ☐ Both Ears ☐ N/A

What does it sound like? _____

Is the sound constant or intermittent? _____

Is the sound distressing to you? (please describe) _____

Fullness/Pressure in Ears ☐ Right ☐ Left ☐ Both Ears ☐ N/A

When did the fullness first begin? _____

Is it constant or intermittent? _____

Dizziness/Unsteadiness ☐ Yes ☐ No

Describe dizziness/unsteadiness _____

When did it first occur? _____

Is it constant or intermittent? _____

How long does it last? _____

Do you have nausea or vomiting associated with it? _____

Ear Infections ☐ Right ☐ Left ☐ Both Ears ☐ N/A

Please describe condition _____

Previous treatments? _____

Have you seen a physician or ear specialist in the last six months? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Doctor's Name _____

Have you ever had any of the following conditions? (check all that apply)

- ☐ Ear surgery
- ☐ Skin tags on or near the ear
- ☐ Other ear malformations
- ☐ HIV
- ☐ Vision loss
- ☐ Eye surgery
- ☐ Cleft palate
- ☐ Heart defect
- ☐ Learning impairment
- ☐ Diabetes
- ☐ Arthritis
- ☐ Memory loss
- ☐ High blood pressure
- ☐ Head injury
- ☐ Allergies
- ☐ Cancer

Do you smoke? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Do you have a family history of hearing loss? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Relation to you _____

Noise History

Have you ever been exposed to loud noise? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If so, when ☐ military service ☐ work ☐ recreation ☐ other _____

Do you wear hearing protection in the presence of loud sounds? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Social History

Do you avoid social situations because you have difficulty hearing? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Do you find that you have to ask people to repeat themselves? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Do you sometimes hear words but do not understand them? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Do you have difficulty understanding people in noisy places? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Have you been told that you speak loudly? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Do others complain that you have the TV turned up too loud? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Do you find loud sounds bothersome? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Please describe your primary area of hearing difficulty _____

What best describes your hearing lifestyle? (check all the apply)

- ☐ Open/Reverberant Home

☐ Cell Phones

☐ Outdoor Activities

☐ Home Telephone

☐ Shopping

☐ Busy Restaurants

☐ Driving

☐ Movie Theaters

☐ Frequent Social Gatherings

☐ Religious Services

☐ Health Clubs

☐ Conference Calls

☐ Adult Conversations

☐ Small Group Meetings

☐ Travel & Airports

☐ Small Family Gatherings

☐ Conversations with Children

☐ Concerts & Arts

☐ Quiet Restaurants

☐ Television

☐ Entertainment Venues
- (Casinos, Exhibit Halls, etc.)