CAAB-25

(Chronic Ailment Assessment Booklet)

Please complete this booklet based upon your health profile over the last 30 days. Upon completion, return to your practitioner for evaluation

Thank you.
Name_____
Address_____
Phone #_____
Reassess Date_____



Medical Symptoms Questionnaire

Name	Date	
Rate each of th	ne following symptoms based upon your typical health pr □ Past 30 days □ Past 48 hours	ofile for:
Point Scale	 0 - Never or almost never have the symptom 1 - Occasionally have it, effect is not severe 2 - Occasionally have it, effect is severe 3 - Frequently have it, effect is not severe 4 - Frequently have it, effect is severe 	
HEAD	Headaches Faintness Dizziness Insomnia	Total
EYES	Watery or itchy eyes Swollen, reddened or sticky eyelids Bags or dark circles under eyes Blurred or tunnel vision (does not include near or far-sightedness)	Total
EARS	Itchy ears Earaches, ear infections Drainage from ear Ringing in ears, hearing loss	Total
NOSE	Stuffy nose Sinus problems Hay fever Sneezing attacks Excessive mucus formation	Total
MOUTH/THROAT	Chronic coughing Gagging, frequent need to clear throat Sore throat, hoarseness, loss of voice Swollen or discolored tongue, gums, lips Canker sores	Total
SKIN	Acne Hives, rashes, dry skin Hair loss Flushing, hot flashes Excessive sweating	Total
HEART	Irregular or skipped heartbeat Rapid or pounding heartbeat	Total

Medical Symptoms Questionnaire

LUNGS	Chest congestion	
	Asthma, bronchitis	
	Shortness of breath	
	Difficulty breathing	Total
DIGESTIVE TRACT	Nausea, vomiting	
	Diarrhea	
	Constipation	
	Bloated feeling	
	Belching, passing gas	
	Heartburn	
	Intestinal/stomach pain	Total
JOINTS/MUSCLE	Pain or aches in joints	
	Arthritis	
	Stiffness or limitation of movement	
	Pain or aches in muscles	
	Feeling of weakness or tiredness	Total
		100ar
WEIGHT	Binge eating/drinking	
	Craving certain foods	
	Excessive weight	
	Compulsive eating	
	Water retention	
	Underweight	Total
ENERGY/ACTIVITY		
	Apathy, lethargy	
	Hyperactivity	
	Restlessness	Total
MIND	Poor memory	
	Confusion, poor comprehension	
	Poor concentration	
	Poor physical coordination	
	Difficulty in making decisions	
	Stuttering or stammering	
	Slurred speech	
	Learning disabilities	Total
EMOTIONS	Mood swings	
	Anxiety, fear, nervousness	
	Anger, irritability, aggressiveness	
	Depression	Total
OTHER	Frequent illness	
	Frequent or urgent urination	
	Genital itch or discharge	
		Total
GRAND TOTAL	TOTAL	

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CIRCLE the number which best describes the *frequency* of your symptoms. If you do not know the answer to the question, leave it blank. When you are finished, please add the number of points in each section and enter the number in the Total Point box. The score for YES in the number inside the paranthesis ().

(2) three to six times a week (3) daily or several times a day (0) never or rarely (1) twice a week or less

PART I

Sec	tion A		
1)	Have you taken a broad spectrum	L	
	antibiotic drug:		
	A) in the last 6 months	Ν	Y (10)
	B) If the response to A is no, hav	e you N	Y (5)
	ever taken antibiotics?		
2)	Have you had recurrent infection	s N	Y (20)
	requiring prolonged antibiotic	use?	
3)	Have you taken birth control pills	s? N	Y (5)
4)	Have you taken prednisone?	Ν	Y (5)
5)	Have you had athlete's foot, ringy	vorm, N	Y (5)
	jock itch, or other chronic fun		
	infections of the skin or nails?		
6)	Do you crave sugar?	Ν	Y (5)
7)	Do you crave breads?	Ν	Y (5)
8)	Do you crave alcoholic beverages		Y (5)
9)	Have you ever had candida/yeast	? N	Y (10)
	Endometriosis or infertility	Ν	Y (5)
11)	Symptoms worse on damp, mugg	y days 0	1 2 3
	or in moldy places		
	Fatigue or lethargy		1 2 3
	Poor memory		1 2 3
	Depression		1 2 3
	Muscle and or joint aches or weat		1 2 3
	Abdominal pain		1 2 3
	Constipation		1 2 3
	Diarrhea		1 2 3
	Bloating, belching, or intestinal g		1 2 3
	Vaginal burning, itching, or disch		1 2 3
	Premenstrual tension		1 2 3
	Irritability		1 2 3
	Inability to concentrate		1 2 3
	Frequent mood swings		1 2 3
	Recurrent rashes or itching		1 2 3
	Rectal itching		1 2 3
	Urgency or urinary frequency	0	1 2 3
28)	Burning while urinating	0	1 2 3
	Total	Points	

Section B

1)	Have you traveled outside the USA?	Ν	Y (5)
2)	Since traveling abroad, have you had an N		Y (5)
	elevated white blood count, intestinal		
	problems, night sweats, or unexplained		
	fever?		
3)	Do you drink untested or unfiltered water?	Ν	Y (5)
4)	Do you use a microwave oven for cooking	Ν	Y (5)
	(instead of reheating) beef, fish, or pork?		
5)	Do you prefer fish or meat that is	Ν	Y (5)
	undercooked, i.e., rare or medium rare?		
6)	At home, do you use the same cutting	Ν	Y (5)
	board for chicken, fish, and meat as you		
	do for vegetables?		
7)	Have you lived with, or do you currently	Ν	Y (5)
	live with or handle pets?		
8)	Do you work or have children in a	Ν	Y (5)
	daycare center?		
9)	Do you garden or work in a yard to which	Ν	Y (5)
	cats and dogs have access?		
	Have you ever had parasites?	Ν	Y (10)
	Red blood in stool	0	1 2 3
	Abdominal pain and cramps		1 2 3
	Lower back pain		1 2 3
	Gas, bloating		1 2 3
	Fever		1 2 3
	Chronic Fatigue		1 2 3
	Constipation		1 2 3
	Diarrhea		1 2 3
	Foul smelling stools		1 2 3
	Anal itching		1 2 3
	Bad breath		1 2 3
	Grind teeth		1 2 3
	Lethargic		1 2 3
	Mucus in stool		1 2 3
25)	Lack of stamina	0	1 2 3
	Total Points		

PART II			
Section A		Section C	
1) Indigestion	0 1 2 3	1) Lower abdominal pain, cramping	0 1 2 3
2) Belching, burping	0 1 2 3	and/or spasms.	
3) Gas immediately following a meal	0 1 2 3	2) Lower abdominal pain relief by passing	0 1 2 3
4) Sense of fullness during meals	$ \begin{array}{c} 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \end{array} $	stool or gas	0120
5) Poor appetite, picky eater	$ \begin{array}{c} 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \end{array} $	3) Raw fruits, vegetables, and stress	0 1 2 3
6) Difficult bowel movements	0 1 2 3 0 1 2 3	aggravate bowel pain	0125
7) Difficulty swallowing	0 1 2 3 0 1 2 3	4) Diarrhea (loose watery stool)	0 1 2 3
8) History of anemia, unresponsive to iron	0 1 2 3 0 1 2 3	5) More than three bowel movements a day	0 1 2 3 0 1 2 3
	0 1 2 3 0 1 2 3		0 1 2 3 0 1 2 3
9) Vegetarian (no eggs, dairy)		6) Excessive gas and bloating	$ \begin{array}{c} 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \end{array} $
10) Spoon shaped nails	0 1 2 3	7) Painful, difficult, straining during	0123
11) Unintentional weight loss	0 1 2 3	bowel movements	0 1 0 0
12) Partial loss of taste or smell	0 1 2 3	8) Hard, dry or small stools	0 1 2 3
		9) Alternating diarrhea/constipation	0 1 2 3
Total Points		10) Mucus, pus in stool	0 1 2 3
		11) Feeling that bowels do not empty	0 1 2 3
		completely	
Section B		12) Bright red blood following bowel movement	0 1 2 3
1) Indigestion and fullness lasts 2-4 hours	0 1 2 3	13) Anal itching	0 1 2 3
after eating			
2) Pain, tenderness, soreness on left side	0 1 2 3	Total Points	
under rib cage			_
3) Bloated	0 1 2 3	Section D	
4) Excessive passage of gas	0 1 2 3	1) Stomach pain, burning, aching 1-4 hours	0 1 2 3
5) Abdominal cramps, aches	0 1 2 3	after eating	
6) Nausea and/or vomiting	0 1 2 3	2) Feeling hungry an hour or two after eating	0 1 2 3
7) Specific foods/beverages aggravate	0 1 2 3	3) Stomach discomfort, pain in response to	0 1 2 3
indigestion	0123	strong emotions, thoughts, smell	0120
8) Roughage and fiber causes	0 1 2 3	of food	
constipation	0125	4) Heartburn, especially when lying down,	0 1 2 3
9) Three or more large bowel movements	0 1 2 3	bending forward	0123
daily	0123	5) Heartburn due to spicy and fatty foods,	0 1 2 3
10) Alternating constipation and diarrhea	0 1 2 3		0123
	$0 1 2 3 \\ 0 1 2 3$	chocolate, peppers, citrus, alcohol, caffeine	
11) Undigested food in stool			0 1 0 2
12) Mucus in stool	0 1 2 3	6) Difficulty or pain when swallowing	$ \begin{array}{c} 0 & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 2 & 2 \end{array} $
13) Dry, flaky skin, dry brittle hair	0 1 2 3	7) Chest pain or infections, difficulty	0 1 2 3
14) Difficulty gaining weight	0 1 2 3	breathing	0 1 0 0
		8) For relief from carbonated beverages,	0 1 2 3
Total Points		cream/milk/food	
		9) Constipation	0 1 2 3
		10) Black, tarry stool	0 1 2 3
		Total Points	
PART III			
Section A			
1) Moderate to severe pain under	0 1 2 3	11) Feeling of poor health	0 1 2 3
right side of rib cage		12) Fatigue, weakness, exhaustion	0 1 2 3
2) Abdominal pain worsens with deep	0 1 2 3	13) Unable to concentrate, irritable,	0 1 2 3
breathing		confused	
3) Regurgitate bitter fluid	0 1 2 3	14) Swollen feet and/or legs	0 1 2 3
4) Bloated, full feeling	0 1 2 3	15) Easy bruising	0 1 2 3
5) Belching, heartburn, gas	0 1 2 3	16) Feeling of extreme dryness	0 1 2 3
6) Fatty foods cause indigestion	0 1 2 3	17) Reddened skin, especially palms	0 1 2 3
7) Nausea or vomiting	0 1 2 3	18) Dark urine, diminished flow	0 1 2 3
8) Feel restless, agitated	0 1 2 3	19) Dry, flaky skin, hair N	Y (3)
9) Unexplained itchy skin worse at night	0 1 2 3	20) Yellowish cast to skin, eyes N	Y (3)
10) Stool color alternates from clay	0 1 2 3		
colored to normal brown		Total Points	
		Day	5-2-05