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**TMJ PROBLEM QUESTIONNAIRE**

**PLEASE ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS**

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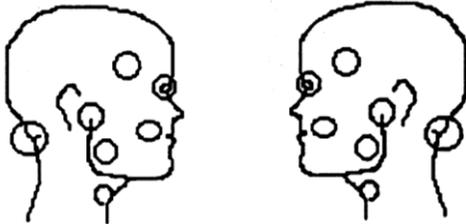
**I.** Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
 DOB: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

**II.** Do you have headaches? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Neck pain? \_\_\_\_\_ Jaw pain? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Ear pain? \_\_\_\_\_ Facial pain? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other? \_\_\_\_\_

Which side hurts?

Right \_\_\_\_\_ Left \_\_\_\_\_ Both \_\_\_\_\_

**III.** Place an ( X ) in the circle where you hurt.



RIGHT SIDE

LEFT SIDE

**IV.** How long have you had this pain? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Is the pain constant? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Would you describe the pain as:  
 Aching? \_\_\_\_\_ Burning? \_\_\_\_\_ Stabbing? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other? \_\_\_\_\_

**V.** Is the pain worse in the:  
 Morning? \_\_\_\_\_ Afternoon? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Awake? \_\_\_\_\_ Sleeping? \_\_\_\_\_

**VI.** Have you ever injured or sustained any form of trauma or whiplash to your:  
 Jaw? \_\_\_\_\_ Head? \_\_\_\_\_ Neck? \_\_\_\_\_  
 (If so, please complete the trauma questionnaire)

**VII.** What makes the pain worse? \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 What makes the pain better? \_\_\_\_\_  
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What medication do you take or have you taken previously for your pain?

<b>Medication</b>	<b>Dose</b>	<b>Frequency</b>
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

**VIII.** Does it hurt to chew? \_\_\_\_\_ Open wide? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Which side of jaw makes a popping noise? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Clicking? \_\_\_\_\_ Grinding? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other noise? \_\_\_\_\_  
 When did you first notice jaw joint sounds? \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

**IX.** Has your jaw ever locked? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Open position? \_\_\_\_\_ Closed position? \_\_\_\_\_  
 When did this first happen? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Last happen? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Has your jaw ever slipped out of place? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Which side? \_\_\_\_\_

**X.** Have you noticed a change in your bite? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Front teeth? \_\_\_\_\_ Back teeth? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Has your profile changed? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Have you noticed any crookedness or asymmetry of your face or jaw? \_\_\_\_\_ When? \_\_\_\_\_

**XI.** Are your teeth sore or sensitive? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Do you clench your teeth? \_\_\_\_\_ Grind? \_\_\_\_\_  
 During the day? \_\_\_\_\_ At night? \_\_\_\_\_  
 When did you start doing this? \_\_\_\_\_

**XII.** Do you have problems with your ears? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Dizziness? \_\_\_\_\_ Ringing? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hearing? \_\_\_\_\_ Other? \_\_\_\_\_

**XIII.** Is it difficult to swallow? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Painful to swallow? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Have you noticed any lumps in your:  
 Face? \_\_\_\_\_ Throat? \_\_\_\_\_ Neck? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other? \_\_\_\_\_

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XIV. Have you had any prior treatment for this problem? \_\_\_\_\_

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Splint? \_\_\_\_\_ When? \_\_\_\_\_ Did it help? \_\_\_\_\_

Nightguard? \_\_\_\_\_ When? \_\_\_\_\_ Did it help? \_\_\_\_\_

Bite adjustment? \_\_\_\_\_ When? \_\_\_\_\_ Did it help? \_\_\_\_\_

Orthodontics? \_\_\_\_\_ When? \_\_\_\_\_ Did it help? \_\_\_\_\_

Other? \_\_\_\_\_

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XV. Describe the problems in your own words as you understand them.

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XVI. Reports may be sent to my: (Name)  
Medical Doctor \_\_\_\_\_

Dentist \_\_\_\_\_

XVII. I have completed the above to the best of my knowledge and I personally have filled out each blank in my own handwriting. I consent to the use of my x-rays, records, and photos for scientific publication or teaching providing my name remains anonymous.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date