



HEARING LOSS QUESTIONNAIRE

Name: _____ Date: _____

Date of Birth: _____

When did you first begin to experience your hearing loss? _____

I. PLEASE CHECK THE SPACES BELOW THAT APPLY TO YOUR HEARING LOSS:

Did the hearing loss come on

suddenly (over three days) or quickly (weeks and months) or gradually (months or years)?

Is your hearing loss on the right, on the left or on both sides?

If on both sides, is your hearing worse on the right or left?

II. PLEASE INDICATE YOUR ANSWER BY CHECKING "YES" OR "NO."

YES NO

- ___ ___ Does your family have a history of hearing loss?
___ ___ Have you been exposed to loud noises over a long period of time?
___ ___ Do you hunt or shoot recreationally?
___ ___ Have you ever had ear surgery? If so, please describe: _____
___ ___ Do you use large amounts of aspirin?
___ ___ Do you use large amounts of caffeine?
___ ___ Have you ever had to be on IV antibiotics for serious infections?
___ ___ Have you had a cold, allergies or sinus problems shortly before the hearing loss began?
___ ___ Have you had an ear trauma or head injury prior to hearing loss?
___ ___ Is your hearing loss getting worse?

III. DO YOU HAVE ANY OF THE FOLLOWING SYMPTOMS? PUT AN "X" IN EITHER THE FIRST BLANK FOR "YES" OR THE SECOND BLANK FOR "NO" AND CIRCLE THE EAR INVOLVED.

YES NO

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| ___ | ___ | 1. Noise in your ears? | Both ears | Left | Right |
| | | | Describe the noise _____ | | |
| ___ | ___ | 2. Fullness or stuffiness in your ears? | Both ears | Left | Right |
| ___ | ___ | 3. Pain in your ears? | Both ears | Left | Right |
| ___ | ___ | 4. Drainage from your ears? | Both ears | Left | Right |
| ___ | ___ | 5. Distortion of sound? | Both ears | Left | Right |
| ___ | ___ | 6. Sensitivity to sound? | Both ears | Left | Right |
| ___ | ___ | 7. Do you have dizziness? If so, please describe your dizziness: _____ | | | |