

Name: _____ DOB: _____ Date: _____

Dizziness Handicap Inventory

INSTRUCTIONS: the purpose of this questionnaire is to identify difficulties that you may be experiencing **because of your dizziness**. Please answer every question. Please do not skip any questions.

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| 1. | Does looking up increase your problem? | Yes | Sometimes | No |
| 2. | Because of your problem, do you feel frustrated? | Yes | Sometimes | No |
| 3. | Because of your problem, do you restrict your travel for business or recreation? | Yes | Sometimes | No |
| 4. | Does walking down the aisle of a supermarket increase your problem? | Yes | Sometimes | No |
| 5. | Because of your problem, do you have difficulty getting into or out of bed? | Yes | Sometimes | No |
| 6. | Does your problem significantly restrict your participation in social activities such as going out to dinner, going to a movie, dancing, or to parties? | Yes | Sometimes | No |
| 7. | Because of your problem, do you have difficulty reading? | Yes | Sometimes | No |
| 8. | Does performing more ambitious activities like sports, dancing, household chores such as sweeping or putting dishes away increase your problem? | Yes | Sometimes | No |
| 9. | Because of your problem, are you afraid to leave home without having someone with you? | Yes | Sometimes | No |
| 10. | Because of your problem, have you been embarrassed in front of others? | Yes | Sometimes | No |
| 11. | Do quick movements of your head increase your problem? | Yes | Sometimes | No |
| 12. | Because of your problem, do you avoid heights? | Yes | Sometimes | No |
| 13. | Does turning over in bed increase your problem? | Yes | Sometimes | No |
| 14. | Because of your problem, is it difficult for you to do strenuous house work or yard work? | Yes | Sometimes | No |
| 15. | Because of your problem, are you afraid people may think you are Intoxicated? | Yes | Sometimes | No |
| 16. | Because of your problem, is it difficult for you to go for a walk by yourself? | Yes | Sometimes | No |
| 17. | Does walking down a sidewalk increase your problem? | Yes | Sometimes | No |
| 18. | Because of your problem, is it difficult to concentrate? | Yes | Sometimes | No |
| 19. | Because of your problem, is it difficult for you to go for a walk around your house in the dark? | Yes | Sometimes | No |
| 20. | Because of your problem, are you afraid to stay home alone? | Yes | Sometimes | No |
| 21. | Because of your problem, do you feel handicapped? | Yes | Sometimes | No |
| 22. | Has your problem placed stress on your relationship with members of your family and friends? | Yes | Sometimes | No |
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| 23. | Because of your problem, do you feel depressed? | Yes | Sometimes | No |
| 24. | Does your problem interfere with your job or household responsibilities? | Yes | Sometimes | No |
| 25. | Does bending over increase your problem? | Yes | Sometimes | No |

Clinician Signature: _____ Total: _____