

Weight Loss Survey

PATIENT INFORMATION PROFILE



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Surname: _____

Given Names: _____

Address: _____

_____ Postcode: _____

Telephone No: (Home) _____

(Bus) _____

Mobile No: _____

Date Of Birth: _____ Age: _____

Occupation: _____

Health Insurance Fund: _____

Membership No: _____

Veterans Affairs No: _____

Pensioner: Yes ☐ NO ☐

CONTACT PERSONS:

This information often vitall to us if we need to contact you urgently and helps with achieving good follow-up. Occasionally people move or have new phone numbers and do not let us know. Please select some contacts who can inform us if you have moved and forgotten to let us know your new address.

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Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Address: _____

Telephone No: (Home) _____ (Bus) _____

2. ADDITIONAL CONTACT

Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Address: _____

Telephone No: (Home) _____ (Bus) _____

3. ADDITIONAL CONTACT

Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Address: _____

Telephone No: (Home) _____ (Bus) _____



Referring Doctor: _____ Date of Referral: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Contact: _____

Local Doctor: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Contact: _____

Specialist Physician/Surgeon: _____

Other: _____

SOCIAL PROFILE

FAMILY STRUCTURE:

Married: ☐ Single: ☐ Divorced: ☐ Partner/Relationship: ☐

Children/Ages: _____

Support persons/friends: _____

Do you have a pet? If so, give details: _____



PERSONAL MEDICAL HISTORY

Have you ever suffered with any of the following health problems:

■ Diabetes:	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Details: _____
■ Diabetes with pregnant:	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Details: _____
■ Asthma:	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Details: _____
■ Respiratory/Breathing problems:	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Details: _____
■ Sleep apnoea:	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Details: _____
■ Pains in the: Hips	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Details: _____
Feet	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Details: _____
Knees	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Details: _____
Back	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Details: _____
■ Kidney or urinary disorder:	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Details: _____
■ Incontinence of urine:	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Details: _____
■ Stroke or nerve loss:	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Details: _____
■ Depression or other psychological /nervous disorder:	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Details: _____
■ Gallstones:	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Details: _____
■ Heartburn or reflux	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Details: _____
■ Peptic ulcer:	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Details: _____
■ Hepatitis or other liver disease:	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Details: _____
■ High blood pressure:	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Details: _____
■ Heart disease:	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Details: _____
■ High cholesterol or lipids	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Details: _____



PERSONAL MEDICAL HISTORY

<input type="checkbox"/> Infertility:	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Details: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Anaemia or bleeding disorder	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Details: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Thrombosis or clotting disorder	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Details: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Varicose veins or leg swelling	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Details: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Skin conditions, especially under skin folds:	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Details: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Hayfever or Rhinitis	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>	Details: _____

Please give details of any major illnesses/problems:

SURGICAL HISTROY

Please give details of any past operations:



● Do you have regular periods (26-33 days) Yes ☐ No ☐

If not, please describe _____

● Do have problems with excessively heavy periods Yes ☐ No ☐

If Yes, please described _____

● Have you had difficulty in conceiving in the past? Yes ☐ No ☐

● Do you currently have problems with infertility? Yes ☐ No ☐

● Have you suffered from excess body hair or acne? Yes ☐ No ☐

● Have you every been told by a doctor that you have polycystic ovaries? Yes ☐ No ☐

● Have you had problems with pregnancy and/or childbirth? Yes ☐ No ☐

● If so, in what way _____

● Have you had a caesarean section? Yes ☐ No ☐

● If so, why? _____



■ How many hours sleep do you get a night? _____

■ Is there any thing else that keeps you awake at night? Yes ☐ No ☐

Details: _____

■ Would you consider the quality of your sleep is Good ☐ Fair ☐ Poor ☐

■ If your sleep is a major problem to you or your partner, Yes ☐ No ☐
would you be prepared to have a sleep study performed
now and after you lose weight?

SYMPTOMS OF SLEEP APNOEA

To answer each question, mark the horizontal line with a | in the position that best indicates your answer.

1 Do you snore?

NEVER _____ ALWAYS

2 Do you wake during the night with a choking feeling?

NEVER _____ FREQUENTLY

3 Would you sleep more than 8 hours in total in a 24 hour period?

NEVER _____ ALWAYS

4 Do you wake up more than once during the night?

NEVER _____ ALWAYS

5 Do you have a headache when you wake up in the morning?

NEVER _____ ALWAYS



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Have you noticed a reduction in your libido or sex drive?

NO _____ TOTAL

7

Do you feel sleepy during the day?

NEVER _____ ALWAYS

8

Has anyone noticed that you momentarily stop breathing during your sleep?

NO _____ FREQUENTLY

9

Do you fall asleep while reading?

NEVER _____ FREQUENTLY

10

Do you wake up in the morning feeling confused?

NEVER _____ ALWAYS

11

Do you have a nap during the day?

NEVER _____ ALWAYS

12

Do you feel sleepy in the evenings?

NEVER _____ ALWAYS

13

Have you or anyone else noticed a change in your personality recently?

NO _____ DEFINITELY

14

Do you doze off or fall asleep while driving?

NEVER _____ FREQUENTLY



SLEEP HISTROY

How likely are you to **doze off or fall asleep** in the following situations, in contrast to just feeling tired? This refers to your usual way of life in recent times. Even if you haven't done some of these things recently, try to work out how they would have affected you.

Use the following table to choose the **most appropriate option** for each situation by placing a tick in the boxes below:

Situation	[0] Never doze	[1] Slight chance of dozing	[2] Moderate chance of dozing	[3] High chance of dozing
Sitting and reading				
Watching TV				
Sitting, inactive in a public place (e.g. a theater or a meeting)				
As a passenger in a car for an hour without a break				
Lying down to rest in the afternoon when circumstances permit				
Sitting and talking to someone				
Sitting quietly after a lunch without alcohol				
In a car, while stopped for a few minutes in the traffic				

EMPLOYMENT

Current Employment:

Are you currently employed? _____

Are you full-time, part-time or casual? _____

What type of the work are you doing? _____

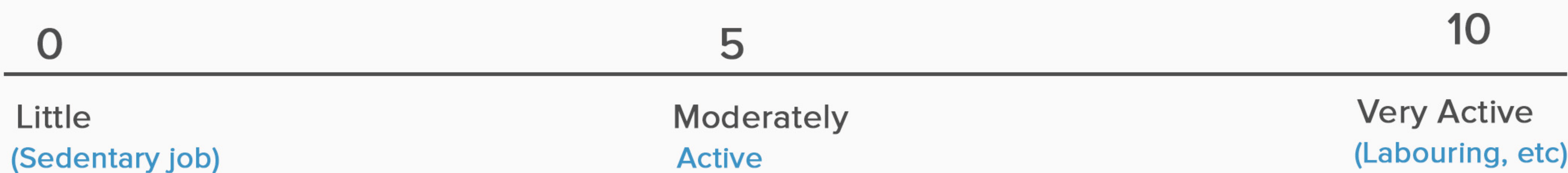
If you are unemployed, what is the reason? _____

Are you actively looking for work? _____

Has your weight made it difficult to find employment? _____

If employed, please state what level of activity your job involves:

(Place a cross at the appropriate point along the line)



SLEEP HISTROY

MEDICATIONS

Please list all the tablets, drops, creams etc. which you are currently taking:-

Please indicate whether you have previously taken any of the following medications.
If yes, please state the name of the medication and how long you have been or were taking it.

Medication for psychiatric disorder

Yes ☐ No ☐ Details:

Migraine medication

Yes ☐ No ☐ Details:

Medications to assist weight loss

Yes ☐ No ☐ Details:

Drugs for epilepsy

Yes ☐ No ☐ Details:

Drugs for asthma or breathing

Yes ☐ No ☐ Details:

Hormones, e.g. The Pill

Yes ☐ No ☐ Details:

HRT

Yes ☐ No ☐ Details:

Cortisone

Yes ☐ No ☐ Details:

WEIGHT HISTORY

Please indicate your weight at the following times. Please indicate whether you consider your weight was **below average**, **average**, **above average** or **very heavy** in the relevant boxes.

	Below Average	Average weight	Above Average	Very Heavy
Birth weight				
Weight at starting school (5-6 years)				
Weight at beginning of high school (10-12 years)				
Weight at end of high school (15-18 years)				
Weight at time of commencing work (21 years)				
Weight at time of marriage (if applicable)				



For how long have you been seriously trying to lose weight?_____ Yrs.

Which of the following have you tried at some time?

Dieting :-	fad diets, something you have read about, etc	<input type="checkbox"/>
Exercise :-	walking, swimming, sporting activities, etc	<input type="checkbox"/>
Surgical Methods:-	Stomach stapling	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Fixed gastric banding	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Small bowel bypass	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Apronectomy	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Liposuction	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Other cosmetic procedures –list :-	

Commercial weight loss groups:-	Jenny Craig	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Weight watchers	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Gloria Marshall	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Lite n’easy	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Nutrisystem	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Town club	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Herbalife	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Gutbusters	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Others – please list:-	



Diet Pills:	Duromine	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Tenuate	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Adifax	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Xenical	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Reductil	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Others – please list:-	<div><div></div><div></div></div>

Professional Advice:-	Local doctor	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Dietician	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Naturopath	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Hypnotherapist	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Psychologist	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Acupuncturist	<input type="checkbox"/>

Very low calorie diets:-	Modifast	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Optifast	<input type="checkbox"/>

Others:-	Injection therapy	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Herbal remedies	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Weight loss devices	<input type="checkbox"/>



FAMILY MEDICAL HISTROY

Do you have a family history of any of the following and if so, please indicate:

	PARENT	SIBLING/ CHILD	OTHER RELATIVES (Cousins, aunts, grandparents etc.)	NO FAMILY HISTROY	DON'T KNOW
Diabetes					
Heart Disease					
Hypertension					
Gout					
Gallstones					
Obesity					
Snoring/sleep apnoea					
Asthma					
Allergies					
Hayfever					
Dermatitis/Eczema					
High Cholesterol					
Osteoporosis					
Hip fractures					

ALLERGIES (including foods, medications, dressings): Yes ☐ No ☐

If yes, please give details: _____

ALCOHOL:

☐ Do you drink alcohol: Never ☐ Rarely ☐ Regularly ☐

☐ How many standard glasses do you drink per day _____

☐ How many days do you drink per week _____

☐ Do you drink Beer ☐ Wine ☐ Spirits ☐



■ Do you smoke? Yes ☐ No ☐ Never ☐ if yes: how many per day? _____

■ Have you smoked in the past? Yes ☐ No ☐ if so: how many per day? _____

■ For how many years _____ when did you stop smoking? _____

Do you suffer any of the following physical limitations because of your weight?

- | | | |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Get short of breath easily | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Always tired and lethargic | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cannot take part in family outdoor activities | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Have difficulty buying clothes | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> What size clothes do you now buy? | <hr/> | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Have difficulty with personal hygiene | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cannot cut your toenails | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Travel, especially in planes, is difficult | Yes <input type="checkbox"/> | No <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> List any other particular difficulties:- | <hr/> | |
| <hr/> | | |

■ Are you embarrassed about your appearance? Yes ☐ No ☐

■ Do you avoid social activities if possible Yes ☐ No ☐

Looking in the mirror, would you describe your appearance as:-
(place a cross at the appropriate point along the line)

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Revolting



FAMILY MEDICAL HISTROY

■ Are you worried about the effect that your weight will have on your future health and your life expectancy? Yes ☐ No ☐

How imporant is your future health in causing you to consider surgery?
place a cross at the appropriate point along the line)

0	5	10
Not much	Quite a lot	The most important factor

COUGH AND SHORTNESS OF BREATH:

- Do you usually have a cough? Yes ☐ No ☐
- Do you usually bring up phlegm from your chest when you cough? Yes ☐ No ☐
- Do you get short of breath on exertion? Yes ☐ No ☐
- Do you get short of breath walking on the flat? Yes ☐ No ☐
- Do you get short of breath walking uphill or doing housework? Yes ☐ No ☐
- In the last 12 months, have you had an attack of shortness of breath that came on when you were not exercising and without obvious cause Yes ☐ No ☐

WHEEZE (a whistling noise that comes from the chest and may cause breathlessness or difficulty in breathing)

- In the last 12 months, have you had wheezing in your chest? Yes ☐ No ☐
- In the last 12 months, have you had an attack of wheezing that Came on after you stopped exercising? Yes ☐ No ☐
- In the last 12 months,have you had feeling of tightness In your chest on walking in the morning? Yes ☐ No ☐



ACTIVITY LEVEL ~ What exercise do you do on a regular basis?

■ How many sessions of exercise (walking, sports, etc) do you do per week for more than 30 minutes at a time. _____

■ What sort of activities: _____

How do you feel when exercising.

Please mark level on scale:

0		10
Awful	Average	Excellent

There is inceasing evidence that alcohol consumption may help some of the risk factors that lead to heart disease and stroke. Indeed it may even decrease the mortality associated with these serious conditions.

We wish to look at these risk factors in people who are obese. To assist us we would like you to answer these few simple questions about your alcohol consumption and a few questions about any folate or multivitamins you may take.

Please circle your answers where appropriate.

PART A

Do you drink any alcohol?

Yes ☐ No ☐ (go to part B)

How often do you have a drink containing alcohol?

Every Day ☐ Most days ☐ Most weeks ☐ Most months ☐
Rarely(once or twice a year) ☐

What is the main type of beverage you drink?

(Please circle one only.)

Beer ☐ wine ☐ Spirits ☐



FAMILY MEDICAL HISTROY

From the list below please **circle** the **main** alcoholic beverage you drink and **tick** any others you would drink at times.

Beer Light Beer Red wine White Wine Sparkling Wine
Fortified Wine Spirits (specify)

When do you usually drink? Please circle the main one. Tick any others that are relevent .

Social occasions Parties With meals Before/after meals weekend seesion/s

If you indicated above that you drank every day, most days or most weeks, **please circle** how many standard drinks you would have in a **typical week**.
(1 standard drink= 1 small glass of wine, 1 glass of full strength beer or a nip of spirits).

1-2 3-10 11-20 21-40 40+

PART B For non-drinkers only.

Is there a reason you don't drink any alcohol?

PART C

1 Do you take multivitamin tablets or other dietary supplements? Yes ☐ No ☐ (go to 2)

If yes, how often do you take them?

Rarely ☐ Monthly ☐ Weekly ☐ Most days ☐ Every day ☐

Please the name of multivitamin or other dietary supplements you usually take.



2

Do you take folate tablets? Yes ☐ No ☐

If yes, how often do you take them?

Rarely ☐ Monthly ☐ Weekly ☐ Most days ☐ Every day ☐

What dose do you take?

200mcg ☐ 400mg ☐

GASTRO OESOPHAGEAL REFLUX / INDIGESTION

■ Do you have a history of heartburn or indigestion

Yes ☐ No ☐ Details: _____

■ If yes, how often do you have reflux during the day?

Many times a day ☐ everyday ☐ most days ☐ most weeks ☐ occasionally ☐

■ Do you suffer heart burn / indigestion during the night ? If so how often

Many times a night ☐ everynight ☐ most nights ☐ most weeks ☐ occasionally ☐

■ What aggravates or causes your reflux?

Details: _____

■ Do you have difficulty swallowing?

Yes ☐ No ☐ Details: _____

■ Does food ever get stuck?

Yes ☐ No ☐ Details: _____

■ Does food or fluid reflux into the mouth?

Yes ☐ No ☐ Details: _____

■ Do you vomit with reflux?

Yes ☐ No ☐ Details: _____

■ Do you suffer from recurrent sore throats?

Yes ☐ No ☐ Details: _____

■ Do you suffer from a hoarse voice?

Yes ☐ No ☐ Details: _____

■ Do you suffer from a regular cough at night?

Yes ☐ No ☐ Details: _____

■ Please list any treatments you may use for reflux / heartburn or indigestion.



■ Does being at work ever make your chest tight or wheezy?

Yes ☐ No ☐ Details: _____
[2] [1]

■ Have you ever had to change your job because it affected your breathing?

Yes ☐ No ☐ Details: _____
[2] [1]

■ Have you ever worked in a job, which exposed you to vapours, gas dust or fumes?

Yes ☐ No ☐ Details: _____
[2] [1]

ASTHMA

■ Have you ever had asthma? (tick one of the following)

Never ☐ Current ☐ In the past ☐ Don't know ☐

■ Have you ever had to spend a night in hospital because of asthma / breathing problems?

Yes ☐ No ☐

■ If yes, was it in the last 12 months Yes ☐ No ☐

■ In the last 12 months, have you visited a hospital casualty department or seen a doctor urgently because you had asthma or breathing problems

Yes ☐ No ☐ Details: _____

■ In the last 12 months, have you taken a course of prednisolone because of asthma or breathing problems

Yes ☐ No ☐ Details: _____

■ In the last 12 months, have you missed work or school because of asthma or breathing problems?

Yes ☐ No ☐ Details: _____