

HISTORY OF PRESENTING PROBLEM

1. Please describe the reason or events that led up to this problem: _____

2. Approximately how long has this problem existed for you? _____

3. How frequently does this problem interfere with your life? _____

4. Have you received treatment for this problem? If yes, when, where and with whom? _____

5. How have you tried to resolve, improve or cope with this issue? _____

FAMILY OF ORIGIN INFORMATION

1. Please provide the following information (as applicable):

	NAME	AGE	EDUCATION	OCCUPATION
FATHER	_____	_____	_____	_____
STEPFATHER	_____	_____	_____	_____
FOSTER FATHER	_____	_____	_____	_____
MOTHER	_____	_____	_____	_____
STEPMOTHER	_____	_____	_____	_____
FOSTER MOTHER	_____	_____	_____	_____
GUARDIAN	_____	_____	_____	_____
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2. Please provide, in birth order, the following information about your brothers and sisters (living or deceased). Include yourself within the list where appropriate.

NAME	AGE	OCCUPATION	ADDRESS(CITY,STATE)
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

3. Who were your adult, primary caregivers? (Circle all that apply)

- a. Both parents
- b. Father (___ alone ___ with step-mother)
- c. Mother (___ alone ___ with step-father)
- d. Relatives (Specify _____)
- e. Adoptive parents
- f. Foster parents
- g. Other (Specify _____)

4. With whom did you live while you were growing up?

5. What words best describe your mother or the primary female, adult caregiver?
(Circle all that apply.)

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|-------------|-------------------|------------------|
| a. Warm | b. Rejecting | c. Understanding |
| d. Distant | e. Overprotective | f. Perfect |
| g. Uncaring | h. Domineering | i. Affectionate |
| j. Strict | k. Abusive | l. Other _____ |

6. What words best describe your father or the primary, male adult caregiver?
(Circle all that apply.)

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|-------------|-------------------|------------------|
| a. Warm | b. Rejecting | c. Understanding |
| d. Distant | e. Overprotective | f. Perfect |
| g. Uncaring | h. Domineering | i. Affectionate |
| j. Strict | k. Abusive | l. Other _____ |

7. How would you describe the relationship between your parents? If someone other than both parents raised you, please answer based upon the individuals you believe were the most significant in raising you. (Circle all that apply)

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| a. Close | b. Full of conflict | c. Domineering |
| d. Cold | e. Hot and cold | f. Loving |
| g. Ideal | h. Reserved | i. Hostile |
| j. Strict | k. Distant | l. Other: _____ |

8. What did your parents (or the individuals who raised you) argue about? (Circle all that apply).

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|---------------------------|-------------|--------------------------|
| a. Money | b. Drinking | c. Neglecting the home |
| d. Discipline of children | e. Sex. | f. Being a poor provider |
| g. Relatives, in-laws | h. Jealousy | i. Other: _____ |

9. How would you describe your childhood? (Circle all that apply.)

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|----------------|---------------------|-----------------|
| a. Happy | b. Dull | c. Painful |
| d. Frightening | e. Hard to remember | f. Regimented |
| g. Unhappy | h. Secure | i. Other: _____ |

10. How would you describe yourself as a child? (Circle all that apply.)

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|---------------|------------------|-------------------|
| a. Outgoing | b. Friendly | c. Stubborn |
| d. Shy | e. Emotional | f. Unhappy |
| g. Active | h. Irresponsible | i. Calm |
| j. Aggressive | k. Nervous | l. Temperamental |
| m. Awkward | n. Rebellious | o. Self-Confident |
| p. Happy | q. Serious | r. Other: _____ |

11. How would you describe the method of discipline used by your mother (or the woman most responsible for discipline)? (Circle the closest answer.)

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| a. Strict | b. Fairly strict | c. Fair |
| d. Lenient | e. Inconsistent | |

12. How would you describe the method of discipline used by your father (or the man most responsible for discipline)? (Circle the closest answer.)

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| a. Strict | b. Fairly strict | c. Fair |
| d. Lenient | e. Inconsistent | |

13. What were problems for you as a child? (Circle all that apply.)

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| a. None | b. Getting along with mother |
| c. Getting along with father | d. Getting along with siblings |
| e. Getting along with peers | f. Getting along with teachers |
| g. Bedwetting | h. Nightmares |
| i. Academics/Schoolwork | j. Physical or medical problems |
| k. Nerves | l. Feeling like a burden to parents |
| m. Overweight | n. Underweight |
| o. Over sensitivity (feelings easily hurt) | |
| p. Fear of failure | q. Other: _____ |

13.a) If desired or necessary, please provide additional explanation of the problems you experienced as a child.

14. What fears did you have as a child? (Circle all that apply.)

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| a. No significant fears | b. Death | c. Might fail |
| d. Might get seriously ill | e. Might be laughed at | f. Might be abandoned |
| g. Animals | h. Other children | i. Might lose parents |
| j. Other: _____ | | |

14.a) If desired or necessary, please provide additional explanation of the fears you had as a child.

15. Did you witness or experience any type of abuse (physical, sexual, emotional, etc.) in your family? If yes, please describe the circumstances.

16. Were there any other significant events and/or traumas in your family? If yes, please describe the circumstances.

CURRENT FAMILY INFORMATION

1. What is your marital status? (Circle one).

a. Married

b. Divorced

c. Separated

d. Widowed

e. Single (relationship)

f. Single (no relationship)

2. Have you ever been married before? Yes No

If yes, date of marriage _____ Date of divorce _____

3. How long have you been with your current partner? _____ Years _____ months

4. Please provide the following information about your children (as applicable)

NAME	AGE	EDUCATION	OCCUPATION	LIVING WITH YOU	
				YES	NO
_____	_____	_____	_____	YES	NO
_____	_____	_____	_____	YES	NO
_____	_____	_____	_____	YES	NO
_____	_____	_____	_____	YES	NO

5. Are you having problems with your children's behaviors? Yes No

If yes, please explain. _____

6. How would you describe your partner? (Circle all that apply.)

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|---------------|------------------|-------------------|
| a. Warm | b. Abusive | c. Boring |
| d. Unhappy | e. Faultfinding | f. Stimulating |
| g. Distant | h. Understanding | i. Unforgiving |
| j. Uncaring | k. Perfect | l. Tense |
| m. Happy | n. Indifferent | o. Affectionate |
| p. Unpleasant | q. Argumentative | r. Does not apply |
| | | s. Enjoyable |

7. How often do you and your partner argue? (Circle one.)

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| a. Never | b. Once a week | c. Several times a day |
| d. Rarely | e. Several times a week | f. Does not apply |

8. Has your relationship ever been threatened by an affair? (Circle all that apply.)

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| a. No | b. Yes, my affair | c. Yes, my partner's affair |
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9. Are you having any sexual problems? Yes No

If yes, please describe. _____

10a. Your current alcohol and/or drug use (amount, type, frequency): _____

10b. Spouse or partner's current alcohol &/or drug use (amt, type, frequency): _____

11. Have your children or your spouse ever been abused (physically, sexually, or emotionally)? If yes, please describe the circumstances. _____

12. Have your children or your spouse ever experienced a psychological problem? If yes, please describe the circumstances. _____

13. Are there any past or present legal issues? Yes / No

a. Nature of alleged complaint(s): _____

b. Do you have or plan to obtain legal representation?: _____

c. Court date? _____

PSYCHIATRIC/MEDICAL HISTORY

1. Have you had any previous psychological treatment or hospitalizations for any other problems?
If yes, when, where, and with whom?

2. Has anyone in your family (immediate family, family of origin, or extended family) suffered from psychological problems?

- Suicide
- Attempted suicide
- Depression (mild, moderate, or severe)
- Manic-depression/bipolar
- Anxiety
- Schizophrenia
- Delusions
- Hallucinations
- Illegal or prescription drug abuse or dependency

If yes, who, what, when, and how treated? Please note any hospitalizations for treatment.

3. Does anyone in your family have an alcohol or drug (illegal or prescription) abuse or dependency Problem? If yes, who, what, and when? Please include any treatment and hospitalization information.

- 4. Please provide the information of your family doctors and/or specialists:**

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5. Please circle the appropriate answers if you have experienced any of the following within the past Year. If yes, please explain below.

a. YES	NO	Eye disease, injury, and poor vision	b. YES	NO	Liver, gallbladder disease
c. YES	NO	Ear disease, injury, and poor hearing	d. YES	NO	Bowel disease
e. YES	NO	Nose, sinus, mouth, and throat trouble	f. YES	NO	Constipation or diarrhea
g. YES	NO	Hemorrhoids, rectal bleeding	h. YES	NO	Venereal disease
i. YES	NO	Fainting spells	j. YES	NO	Head injury
k. YES	NO	Loss of consciousness	l. YES	NO	Difficulty falling asleep
m. YES	NO	Convulsions or seizures	n. YES	NO	Difficulty staying awake
o. YES	NO	Frequent or severe headaches	p. YES	NO	Marked weight loss
q. YES	NO	Memory problems	r. YES	NO	Marked weight gain
s. YES	NO	Extreme tiredness or weakness	t. YES	NO	Mouth or gum disease
u. YES	NO	Neck stiffness, pain, swelling	v. YES	NO	Swollen glands
w. YES	NO	Enlarged thyroid or goiter	x. YES	NO	Poor appetite
y. YES	NO	Skin disease	z. YES	NO	Circulatory problems
aa. YES	NO	Chronic or frequent cough	bb. YES	NO	Diabetes
cc. YES	NO	Chest pain or angina pectoris	dd. YES	NO	Heart disease
ee. YES	NO	Shortness of breath	ff. YES	NO	Blood disease
gg. YES	NO	Swelling of hands, feet, ankles	hh. YES	NO	Tuberculosis/TB
ii. YES	NO	High blood pressure	jj. YES	NO	Hepatitis
kk. YES	NO	Back, arm, leg, or joint problems	ll. YES	NO	Stomach trouble
mm. YES	NO	Premenstrual syndrome/PMS	nn. YES	NO	Other Chronic Illness

2. Do you eat a balanced diet? Yes No

3. Do you participate in a regular exercise program? Yes No

4. Do you smoke? Yes No

If yes, how much? _____

5. How would you characterize your size? (Circle the closest answer.)

- a. Very thin b. Thin c. About average
d. A little overweight e. Overweight f. Very overweight

6. Please provide information about medications, prescription or over-the-counter which you take regularly.

CURRENT MEDICATIONS

DOSAGE

FREQUENCY

7. Please list any allergies: _____

8. Are you experiencing any difficulties sleeping (i.e. lack of sleep, trouble falling asleep or waking early, dreams)? _____

9. Are you experiencing difficulties with eating (i.e. lack of appetite, increased appetite, restricting food, junk food, etc)? _____

CAREER/EDUCATIONAL HISTORY:

1. Please note all schools you have attended:

Elementary School:	_____	City, State:	_____
	_____	City, State:	_____
Middle School:	_____	City, State:	_____
	_____	City, State:	_____
High School:	_____	City, State:	_____
	_____	City, State:	_____

Describe post-secondary high school training including college or technical training, graduate school, etc:

School:	_____	Major/Focus:	_____	Degree:	_____
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2. How did you perform academically (above average, average, below average)?

3. Please describe any educational or learning-related difficulties you experienced as a child or as an adult: _____

4. EMPLOYMENT/CAREER

Current job/title: _____

Employer: _____

Length of time at present job: _____

Are you satisfied in your current employment? _____

Please describe any current job or career-related concerns: _____

Please describe past employment/history (jobs, approximate duration of employment, lack of employment): _____

OTHER

1. Please describe any current or past financial difficulties for you or your family _____

2. Are you experiencing any social difficulties (i.e. conflicts, lack of friends)?

3a. Please describe your religious or spiritual upbringing and present belief system (if applicable): _____

3b. Please note any past or current spiritual struggles/concerns: _____

COUNSELING/THERAPY GOALS

1. What changes would you like to see as a result of counseling or therapy?
Please list the three to five most important, beginning with the most important.

a. _____

b. _____

c. _____

d. _____

e. _____

2. How will we know when your goals are being met? Please describe the best you can. _____

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR ASSISTANCE AND PATIENCE IN
COMPLETING THIS FORM**

Client Signature: _____

Date: _____