

## MEDICARE WELLNESS CHECKUP

Please complete this checklist before seeing your doctor or nurse. Your responses will help you receive the best health and health care possible.

1. What is your age?

- 18-64     65-69     70-79     80 or older

2. Are you a male or a female?

- Male     Female

3. During the **past four weeks**, how much have you been bothered by emotional problems such as feeling anxious, depressed, irritable, sad, or downhearted and blue?

- Not at all  
 Slightly  
 Moderately  
 Quite a bit  
 Extremely

4. During the **past four weeks**, has your physical and emotional health limited your social activities with family friends, neighbors, or groups?

- Not at all.  
 Slightly.  
 Moderately.  
 Quite a bit.  
 Extremely.

5. During the **past four weeks**, how much bodily pain have you generally had?

- No pain.  
 Very mild pain.  
 Mild pain.  
 Moderate pain.  
 Severe pain.

6. During the **past four weeks**, was someone available to help you if you needed and wanted help? (For example, if you felt very nervous, lonely, or blue; got sick and had to stay in bed; needed someone to talk to; needed help with daily chores; or needed help just taking care of yourself.)

- Yes, as much as I wanted.  
 Yes, quite a bit.  
 Yes, some.  
 Yes, a little.  
 No, not at all.

Your name: \_\_\_\_\_

Today's date: \_\_\_\_\_

Your date of birth: \_\_\_\_\_

7. During the **past four weeks**, what was the hardest physical activity you could do for at least two minutes?

- Very heavy.  
 Heavy.  
 Moderate.  
 Light.  
 Very light.

8. Can you get to places out of walking distance without help? (For example, can you travel alone on buses or taxis, or drive your own car?)

- Yes     No.

9. Can you go shopping for groceries or clothes without someone's help?

- Yes     No.

10. Can you prepare your own meals?

- Yes     No.

11. Can you do your housework without help?

- Yes     No.

12. Because of any health problems, do you need the help of another person with your personal care needs such as eating, bathing, dressing, or getting around the house?

- Yes     No.

13. Can you handle your own money without help?

- Yes     No.

14. During the **past four weeks**, how would you rate your health in general?

- Excellent.  
 Very good.  
 Good.  
 Fair.  
 Poor.

15. How have things been going for you during the **past four weeks**?

- Very well; could hardly be better.
- Pretty well.
- Good and bad parts about equal.
- Pretty bad.
- Very bad; could hardly be worse.

16. Are you having difficulties driving your car?

- Yes, often.
- Sometimes.
- No.
- Not applicable, I do not use a car.

17. Do you always fasten your seat belt when you are in a car?

- Yes, usually.
- Yes, sometimes.
- No.

18. How often during the **past four weeks** have you been *bothered* by any of the following problems?

	Never	Seldom	Sometimes	Often	Always
Falling or dizzy when standing up.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sexual problems.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Trouble eating well.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Teeth or denture problems.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Problems using the telephone.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Tiredness or fatigue.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

19. Have you fallen two or more times in **the past year**?

- Yes  No.

20. Are you afraid of falling?

- Yes  No.

21. Are you a smoker?

- No.  Former: Year quit \_\_\_\_\_
- Yes, and I might quit.
- Yes, but I'm not ready to quit.

22. Do you sometimes drink beer, wine, or other alcoholic beverages?

- Yes.  No

If you answered yes, consider the standard sizes of drinks:

Beer: 12 oz

Wine: 5 oz

Liquor: 1.5 oz



(5% alcohol)



(12% alcohol)



(80-proof, 40% alcohol)

**Women:** How many times in the last 12 months have you had 4 or more standard drinks in one day?

- Zero  One or more times

**Men:** How many times in the last 12 months have you had 5 or more standard drinks in one day?

- Zero  One or more times

23. Have you been given any information to help you with the following:

Hazards in your house that might hurt you?

- Yes  No.

Keeping track of your medications?

- Yes  No.

24. How often do you have trouble taking medicines the way you have been told to take them?

- I do not have to take medicine.
- I always take them as prescribed.
- Sometimes I take them as prescribed.
- I seldom take them as prescribed.

25. How confident are you that you can control and manage most of your health problems?

- Very confident.
- Somewhat confident.
- Not very confident.
- I do not have any health problems.

26. What is your race? (**Check all that apply.**)

- White.
- Black or African American.
- Asian.
- Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander.
- American Indian or Alaskan Native.
- Hispanic or Latino origin or descent.
- Other.

Thank you very much for completing your Medicare Wellness Checkup. Please give the completed checkup to your provider.