



Audiology HEARS

# Health History

Patient Name \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

## Medical

Do you have a history of any of the following (circle all that apply):

- |                       |                |             |                  |              |
|-----------------------|----------------|-------------|------------------|--------------|
| High Blood Pressure   | Meningitis     | Vision loss | Diabetes         | Smoking      |
| TMJ                   | Heart Problems | Head injury | Sinusitis        | Bell's Palsy |
| Measles               | Parkinson's    | Stroke/ TIA | Shingles         | HIV/AIDS     |
| Neurological problems | Dementia       | Pacemaker   | Thyroid problems |              |

Cancer --- If yes, what type of cancer? \_\_\_\_\_

Did you receive radiation?  Yes  No Did you receive chemotherapy?  Yes  No

Please list the medications you take: \_\_\_\_\_

## Ear/ Hearing

Do you have a history of any of the following:

- Ear Surgery  Yes  No Please describe: \_\_\_\_\_
- Loud noise exposure  Yes  No Please describe: \_\_\_\_\_
- Ear infections  Yes  No
- Fluid draining from your ears  Yes  No
- Sudden hearing loss  Yes  No If so, when: \_\_\_\_\_ Which Ear?  Right  Left
- Gradual hearing loss  Yes  No Which Ear:  Right  Left
- Born with hearing loss  Yes  No Which Ear:  Right  Left
- Excessive ear wax buildup  Yes  No
- Dizziness or vertigo  Yes  No
- Family member with hearing loss  Yes  No If so, who? \_\_\_\_\_
- Ring in the ear  Yes  No If so, which ear?  Right  Left
- If so, is the ringing constant? \_\_\_\_\_

**Communication Concerns**

Please answer the following questions:

- Do you have difficulty hearing when someone is soft spoken or speaks at a distance?  Yes  No
- Do you have difficulty communicating when you are at social events (i.e. restaurants or large groups)?  Yes  No
- Do you have difficulty understanding the television or radio?  Yes  No
- Do you have difficulty communicating with your family and friends?  Yes  No
- Do your communication concerns cause you to have arguments with family members?  Yes  No

**HEARING AID HISTORY**

Do you currently wear hearing aids?  Yes  No

If so, how long have you worn hearing aids? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you pleased with the performance of your hearing aids?  Yes  No

If not, explain any concerns you have with your hearing aids: \_\_\_\_\_

**Motivation Scale**

On a scale of 1-10, where do you feel that you are regarding doing something about your hearing loss?

(Please circle one):

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
<b>Not Motivated</b>			<b>Somewhat Motivated</b>				<b>Very Motivated</b>		

Please read and sign below.

- I give permission to this practice to release information, verbal and written (contained in my medical record and other related information), to my insurance company, case manager, attorney, related health care providers, and all other related persons.
- I authorize this practice to use and release my contact information for marketing related to hearing care products and services.
- I acknowledge that I have received and reviewed the Health Insurance Portability & Accountability Act (HIPPA) policy of this office.
- I understand and agree that, regardless of my insurance status, I am ultimately responsible for the balance of my account for professional services or purchases rendered.
- I have read all the information on this sheet and certify that this information is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge, and I hereby give my hearing care provider permission to treat my concerns.

**I have read and understand all the above information.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Patient (or Guardian) Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date