

# DETOXIFICATION QUESTIONNAIRE

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

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Rate each of the following symptoms based on your typical health profile for the specified duration:

Past month                   Past week                   Past 48 hours

**Point Scale:** **0**—Never or almost never have the symptom    **1**—Occasionally have it, effect is not severe    **2**—Occasionally have it, effect is severe  
**3**—Frequently have it, effect is not severe    **4**—Frequently have it, effect is severe

## I. Medical Symptoms Questionnaire (MSQ)

<b>HEAD</b>	_____ Headaches	
	_____ Faintness	
	_____ Dizziness	
	_____ Insomnia	<b>TOTAL</b> _____
<b>EYES</b>	_____ Watery or itchy eyes	
	_____ Swollen, reddened or sticky eyelids	
	_____ Bags or dark circles under eyes	
	_____ Blurred or tunnel vision	<b>TOTAL</b> _____
<b>EARS</b>	_____ Itchy ears	
	_____ Earaches, ear infections	
	_____ Drainage from ear	
	_____ Ringing in ears, hearing loss	<b>TOTAL</b> _____
<b>NOSE</b>	_____ Stuffy nose	
	_____ Sinus problems	
	_____ Hay fever	
	_____ Sneezing attacks	
	_____ Excessive mucus formation	<b>TOTAL</b> _____
<b>MOUTH/ THROAT</b>	_____ Chronic coughing	
	_____ Gagging, frequent need to clear throat	
	_____ Sore throat, hoarseness, loss of voice	
	_____ Swollen or discolored tongue, gums, lips	
	_____ Canker sores	<b>TOTAL</b> _____
<b>SKIN</b>	_____ Acne	
	_____ Hives, rashes, dry skin	
	_____ Hair loss	
	_____ Flushing, hot flashes	
	_____ Excessive sweating	<b>TOTAL</b> _____
<b>HEART</b>	_____ Chest pain	
	_____ Irregular or skipped heartbeat	
	_____ Rapid or pounding heartbeat	<b>TOTAL</b> _____
<b>LUNGS</b>	_____ Chest congestion	
	_____ Asthma, bronchitis	
	_____ Shortness of breath	
	_____ Difficulty breathing	<b>TOTAL</b> _____
<b>DIGESTIVE TRACT</b>	_____ Nausea, vomiting	
	_____ Diarrhea	
	_____ Constipation	
	_____ Bloating feeling	
	_____ Belching, passing gas	
	_____ Heartburn	
	_____ Intestinal/stomach pain	<b>TOTAL</b> _____
<b>JOINTS/ MUSCLE</b>	_____ Pain or aches in joints	
	_____ Arthritis	
	_____ Stiffness or limitation of movement	
	_____ Feeling of weakness or tiredness	
	_____ Pain or aches in muscles	<b>TOTAL</b> _____
<b>WEIGHT</b>	_____ Binge eating/drinking	
	_____ Craving certain foods	
	_____ Excessive weight	
	_____ Water retention	
	_____ Underweight	
	_____ Compulsive eating	<b>TOTAL</b> _____
<b>ENERGY/ ACTIVITY</b>	_____ Fatigue, sluggishness	
	_____ Apathy, lethargy	
	_____ Hyperactivity	
	_____ Restlessness	<b>TOTAL</b> _____
<b>MIND</b>	_____ Poor memory	
	_____ Confusion, poor comprehension	
	_____ Difficulty in making decisions	
	_____ Stuttering or stammering	
	_____ Slurred speech	
	_____ Learning disabilities	
	_____ Poor concentration	
	_____ Poor physical coordination	<b>TOTAL</b> _____
<b>EMOTIONS</b>	_____ Mood swings	
	_____ Anxiety, fear, nervousness	
	_____ Anger, irritability, aggressiveness	
	_____ Depression	<b>TOTAL</b> _____
<b>OTHER</b>	_____ Frequent illness	
	_____ Frequent or urgent urination	
	_____ Genital itch or discharge	<b>TOTAL</b> _____
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>		<b>TOTAL</b> _____

## II. Xenobiotic Tolerability Test (XTT)

1. Are you presently using prescription drugs?

Yes (1 pt.)

If yes, how many are you currently taking? \_\_\_\_\_ (1 pt. each)

No (0 pt.)

2. Are you presently taking one or more of the following over-the-counter drugs?

Cimetidine (2 pts.)

Acetaminophen (2 pts.)

Estradiol (2 pts.)

3. If you have used or currently use prescription drugs, which of the following scenarios best represents your response to them:

Experience side effects, drug(s) is (are) efficacious at lowered dose(s) (3 pts.)

Experience side effects, drug(s) is (are) efficacious at usual dose(s) (2 pts.)

Experience no side effects, drug(s) is (are) usually not efficacious (2 pts.)

Experience *no* side effects, drug(s) is (are) usually efficacious (0 pt.)

4. Do you currently use or within the last 6 months had you regularly used tobacco products?

Yes (2 pts.)  No (0 pt.)

5. Do you have strong negative reactions to caffeine or caffeine containing products?

Yes (1 pt.)  No (0 pt.)  Don't know (0 pt.)

6. Do you commonly experience "brain fog," fatigue, or drowsiness?

Yes (1 pt.)  No (0 pt.)

7. Do you develop symptoms on exposure to fragrances, exhaust fumes, or strong odors?

Yes (1 pt.)  No (0 pt.)  Don't know (0 pt.)

8. Do you feel ill after you consume even small amounts of alcohol?

Yes (1 pt.)  No (0 pt.)  Don't know (0 pt.)

10. Do you have a personal history of

Environmental and/or chemical sensitivities (5 pts.)

Chronic fatigue syndrome (5 pts.)

Multiple chemical sensitivity (5 pts.)

Fibromyalgia (3 pts.)

Parkinson's type symptoms (3 pts.)

Alcohol or chemical dependence (2 pts.)

Asthma (1 pt.)

11. Do you have a history of significant exposure to harmful chemicals such as herbicides, insecticides, pesticides, or organic solvents?

Yes (1 pt.)  No (0 pt.)

12. Do you have an adverse or allergic reaction when you consume sulfite containing foods such as wine, dried fruit, salad bar vegetables, etc?

Yes (1 pt.)  No (0 pt.)  Don't know (0 pt.)

**GRAND TOTAL:** \_\_\_\_\_

## III. Alkalizing Assessment

1. Do you have a history or currently have kidney dysfunction?

Yes  No

2. Have you ever been diagnosed with a condition known as hyperkalemia?

Yes  No

3. Are you currently on diuretics or blood pressure medication?

Yes  No

**Note:** Prescribe non-alkalizing nutrients if patient answered yes to any part of this section.

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## OVERALL SCORE TABULATION

See doctor brochure for protocol suggestions.

MSQ SCORE \_\_\_\_\_ (High >50; moderate 15-49; Low <14)

XTT SCORE \_\_\_\_\_ (High >10; moderate 5-9; Low <4)

URINARY pH \_\_\_\_\_

**Note:** Patients with high MSQ but low XTT may be exhibiting pathology that is not related to toxic load. Other mechanisms should be considered such as inflammation/immune/allergic gastrointestinal dysfunction, oxidative stress, hormonal/neuro-transmitter dysfunction, nutritional depletion, and/or mind body. Individualize support with specific medical foods, diet, and/or nutraceuticals.