

# AUTOMOBILE CRASH QUESTIONNAIRE

Dear Patient:

This questionnaire will allow you to describe your automobile accident in detail. Please complete it carefully as the information provided will assist the doctor in evaluating and documenting your condition. THANK YOU.

Use a **No. 2 pencil** to mark your answers. When marking in an **Other** bubble please explain in the space allowed. Fill in bubbles **completely** as indicated here: . Erase changes cleanly. Do not fold form.

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

MO	DAY	YEAR	DR#	PATIENT NUMBER															
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4	5	6	7	8	9	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0	1	2	3
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	86	87	88	89	90	91	92	93	94	95	96	97	98	99	00	01	02	03	04

## A. VEHICLE YOU WERE IN

**1. Vehicle type?**

Car  Pickup  Subcompact  Full-Size

Van  Truck  Compact  Mini

Station Wagon  Bus  Mid-Size  Light

Other \_\_\_\_\_

**2. What was your location in the vehicle?**

Driver  Front Passenger  Rear Passenger

Passenger Location:  Left  Middle  Right

Other \_\_\_\_\_

**3. What was the vehicle you were in doing?**

Mark only **ONE** bubble below to answer this question

**a. Vehicle stopped for**

Traffic Light  Intersection  Stop Sign  Traffic

Pedestrian  Parked

Other \_\_\_\_\_

**b. Vehicle slowing down for**

Traffic Light  Intersection  Stop Sign  Traffic

Pedestrian  Turning  Parking

Other \_\_\_\_\_

**c. Vehicle moving**

Slowly  Moderately  Fast

\_\_\_\_\_ MPH  Accelerating

Other \_\_\_\_\_

**d. Vehicle doing other**

Other \_\_\_\_\_

**4. What damage did the vehicle you were in sustain?**

Minimal  Moderate  Extensive  Totaled

Unsure  Other \_\_\_\_\_

## B. IF OTHER VEHICLES INVOLVED IN ACCIDENT

**1. First Vehicle To Strike Vehicle You Were In**

**a. Vehicle type?**

Car  Pickup  Subcompact  Full-Size

Van  Truck  Compact  Mini

Station Wagon  Bus  Mid-Size  Light

Other \_\_\_\_\_

**b. Vehicle size?**

Subcompact  Full-Size

Compact  Mini

Mid-Size  Light

Other \_\_\_\_\_

**c. How did this vehicle strike the vehicle you were in?**

Head On  From Right  From Left  Rear Ended

Sideswiped On Right  Sideswiped On Left

Other \_\_\_\_\_

**d. What damage did this vehicle sustain?**

Minimal  Moderate  Extensive  Totaled

Unsure  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**2. Second Vehicle To Strike Vehicle You Were In**

**a. Vehicle type?**

Car  Pickup  Subcompact  Full-Size

Van  Truck  Compact  Mini

Station Wagon  Bus  Mid-Size  Light

Other \_\_\_\_\_

**b. Vehicle size?**

Subcompact  Full-Size

Compact  Mini

Mid-Size  Light

Other \_\_\_\_\_

**c. How did this vehicle strike the vehicle you were in?**

Head On  From Right  From Left  Rear Ended

Sideswiped On Right  Sideswiped On Left

Other \_\_\_\_\_

**d. What damage did this vehicle sustain?**

Minimal  Moderate  Extensive  Totaled

Unsure  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**3. Describe Other Vehicles To Strike Vehicle You Were In**

Vehicle Type: \_\_\_\_\_ How it struck: \_\_\_\_\_

Vehicle Size: \_\_\_\_\_ Damage: \_\_\_\_\_

## C. CONDITIONS AT TIME OF ACCIDENT

**1. What time of day did the accident occur?**

Daylight  Dawn  Dusk  Night

Other \_\_\_\_\_

**2. What was the condition of the road?**

Dry  Damp  Wet  Snow Covered

Icy  Other \_\_\_\_\_

**3. Visibility**

**a. What was the visibility at impact?**

Good  Fair  Poor

Other \_\_\_\_\_

**b. If visibility was poor, why?**

Sun Light  Darkness  Rain  Snow

Fog  Traffic

Other \_\_\_\_\_

**D. AT MOMENT OF IMPACT**

**1. Were you prepared for the accident?**

- Accident A Complete Surprise
- Aware Of Impending Collision
- And Braced For Impact

**2. Foot On Brake Pedal**

a. Was your foot on brake pedal at impact?  Yes  No

b. Was it knocked off pedal by impact?  Yes  No

**3. Use Of Restraints**

**a. Restraint Belts**

1. Were you wearing a restraint belt?  Yes  No

2. What type of restraint belt were you wearing?

- Shoulder-Lap Belt
- Shoulder Belt
- Lap Belt

**b. Headrests**

1. Was vehicle equipped with headrests?  Yes  No

2. What position was the headrest in?

- Low
- Middle
- High
- Don't Know

**c. Air Bags**

1. Was vehicle equipped with air bags?

- Yes
- No
- Unsure

2. Did the air bags deploy?  Yes  No

**4. Your Body**

a. What was your body position at impact?

- Straight
- Slouched Forward
- Rotated:  Right  Left
- Don't Recall
- Other

b. What direction was your body thrown?

- Forward\Backward
- Backward\Forward
- Sideways
- Across Vehicle
- Outside Vehicle
- Under Vehicle
- Don't Recall
- Other

**5. Your Head And Neck**

a. What position were your head/neck in at impact?

- Straight
- Tilted Forward
- Rotated:  Right  Left
- Don't Recall
- Other

b. Through what motion were your head/neck pitched?

- Forward\Backward
- Backward\Forward
- Sideways
- Don't Recall
- Other

**E. RESULT OF IMPACT**

1. Which objects in the vehicle did the force of the collision cause your body to strike?

**a. Head**

- Steering Wheel
- Dashboard
- Windshield
- Right Side Door
- Left Side Door
- Armrest
- Right Window
- Left Window
- Headrest
- Ceiling
- Console
- Shift Lever
- Front Seat
- Rear View Mirror
- Other

**b. Right Upper Extremity (Arm)**

- Steering Wheel
- Dashboard
- Windshield
- Right Side Door
- Left Side Door
- Armrest
- Right Window
- Left Window
- Headrest
- Ceiling
- Console
- Shift Lever
- Front Seat
- Rear View Mirror
- Other

**c. Left Upper Extremity (Arm)**

- Steering Wheel
- Dashboard
- Windshield
- Right Side Door
- Left Side Door
- Armrest
- Right Window
- Left Window
- Headrest
- Ceiling
- Console
- Shift Lever
- Front Seat
- Rear View Mirror
- Other

**d. Torso**

- Steering Wheel
- Dashboard
- Windshield
- Right Side Door
- Left Side Door
- Armrest
- Right Window
- Left Window
- Headrest
- Ceiling
- Console
- Shift Lever
- Front Seat
- Rear View Mirror
- Other

**e. Right Lower Extremity (Leg)**

- Steering Wheel
- Dashboard
- Windshield
- Right Side Door
- Left Side Door
- Armrest
- Right Window
- Left Window
- Headrest
- Ceiling
- Console
- Shift Lever
- Front Seat
- Rear View Mirror
- Other

**f. Left Lower Extremity (Leg)**

- Steering Wheel
- Dashboard
- Windshield
- Right Side Door
- Left Side Door
- Armrest
- Right Window
- Left Window
- Headrest
- Ceiling
- Console
- Shift Lever
- Front Seat
- Rear View Mirror
- Other

2. Did your body strike any other objects?

Description Of Other Objects Your Body Hit:

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\_\_\_\_\_  
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**F. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

Additional Information About Your Automobile Accident:

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Patient's Or Guardian Signature:

Date:

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