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# Patient Questionnaire

## ASTHMA FORM 10.1

TO BE COMPLETED BY PATIENT

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**INSTRUCTIONS:**

This survey asks for your views about your asthma symptoms. This information will be summarized in your medical record and will help your doctors keep track of how you feel and how well you are able to do your usual activities.

Answer each question by circling the appropriate number, or filling in the boxes and spaces. If you are unsure about how to answer a question, please give the best answer you can.

1. How old were you when your asthma began? 1.260

Age (fill in boxes) .....   years old

2. How many times have you ever been hospitalized for asthma? (check one box) 1.261

- Never .....
- 1 time .....
- 2 times .....
- 3–4 times .....
- 5 or more times .....

3. When was the last time you were hospitalized for asthma? (check one box) 104.54

- Within the last week .....
- Within the last month .....
- Within the last 6 months .....
- Within the last 12 months .....
- More than 12 months ago .....
- Never .....

4. When was the **last time** you had a severe flare-up of asthma that needed urgent treatment? (check one box)

- Within the last week .....  104.54
- Within the last month .....
- Within the last 6 months .....
- Within the last 12 months .....
- More than 12 months ago .....
- Never .....

5. Over the last 12 months, how many times have you gone for care to a: 104.56

- a. Hospital emergency room for your asthma? \_\_\_\_\_  
 (if you did not go to an emergency room for your asthma in the last 12 months, enter zero)
- b. Urgent care center for your asthma? \_\_\_\_\_  
 (if you did not go to an urgent care center for your asthma in the last 12 months, enter zero)
- c. Urgent same day office visit for your asthma? \_\_\_\_\_  
 (if you did not have an urgent same day office visit for your asthma in the last 12 months, enter zero)

6. During the **past 4 weeks** how often have you awakened with asthma symptoms? (check one box)
- Never .....  104.57  
 Less than once a week .....   
 One to two nights a week .....   
 Three to seven nights a week .....   
 Usually more than once a night .....
7. During the **past 4 weeks**, how much did **your asthma** cause difficulty for you doing daily work, participating in social activities, both inside and outside the house, or at school? (check one box)
- Not at all .....  104.58  
 A little bit .....   
 Moderately .....   
 Quite a bit .....   
 Could not do daily work .....
8. During the **past 4 weeks**, how much time have you missed from work, school, or your usual activities because of **your asthma**? (check one box)
- None .....  104.59  
 One day to three days .....   
 Four days to seven days .....   
 Eight days to fourteen days .....   
 Fifteen days to twenty-one days .....   
 Twenty-two days to twenty-eight days .....
9. Over the **past 4 weeks**, how often have you had the following symptoms? (check one box in each row)
- | 104.60  | Never                    | Occasionally             | Every day                | Many times a day         | All the time             |
|---|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| a. Cough .....                                  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| b. Sputum (phlegm when coughing) .....          | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| c. Chest tightness (difficulty exhaling) .....  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| d. Wheezy or whistling sound in the chest ..... | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| e. Shortness of breath .....                    | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| f. Indigestion (heartburn) .....                | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| g. Hands that tremble .....                     | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| h. Heart palpitations .....                     | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| i. Difficulty with exercise .....               | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| j. Sinus infections .....                       | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
10. Do you receive regularly scheduled allergy shots (at least once every other month) to decrease your asthma? (check one box)
- Yes .....  1.272  
 No .....

11. Is your physical activity limited by any condition other than asthma? (check one box)

- Yes .....
- No .....

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**The next few questions are about medications.**

12a. During the **past 6 months**, have you taken prednisone, Medrol, or another steroid pill/cortisone to control your asthma? (check one box)

- Yes (continue) .....
- No (skip to question 13a) .....
- Don't know (skip to question 13a).....

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b. Do you take steroids regularly or only for a specific period of time (7–10 days)?

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- Regularly (skip to question 13a) .....
- Short period of time (continue) .....

c. How many times in the last six months have you taken a short course of steroids?

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- Once .....
- Twice .....
- Three or more times .....

13a. Do you take any other pills or liquids for your asthma? (check one box)

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- Yes (continue) .....
- No (skip to question 14) .....
- Don't know (skip to question 14).....

13b. Which of the following pills or liquids do you take regularly? (check one box in each row)

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	Use	Don't use	Don't know
Slo-phyllin, Theo-24, Quibron, Slo-bids, ..... <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Theodur, Uniphyll, Unidur, or other theophylline or Aminophylline			
Brethine, Bricanyl, Proventil, Ventolin, ..... <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Alupent, Metaprel, terbutaline, albuterol, or Volmax			
Zilueton ..... <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other (please list)..... <input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

14. Do you use any inhalers for your asthma? (check one box)

- Yes (continue) .....
- No (skip to question 18) .....
- Don't know (skip to question 18).....

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15. What is the average number of puffs per day that you use for the following inhalers (check one box in each row). (Please answer the following based on the number of puffs per day, **even** if it is different than what your doctor has prescribed.)

	Don't use	1-2/day	3-8/day	9-15/day	16 or more/day
<b>15a.</b> Alupent, Proventil, Ventolin, ..... Tornalate, Brethair, Maxair, Bronkometer, Metaprel	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
15b. Primatene, Bronkaid .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
15c. Atrovent .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
15d. Serevent .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>15e.</b> Intal, (Cromolyn), Nedocromil, (Tilade) .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>15f.</b> Azmacort, Vanceril, Beclovent ..... Aerobid, or other inhaled steroid	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
15g. Other (please list) .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

15h. If you use any medication listed in **Question 15a** above, do you use it on an as needed basis (e.g. prn)?

- Yes .....
- No .....
- Not applicable .....

15i. If you use any medication listed in **Question 15e or 15f** above, are you supposed to take it every day?

- Yes (continue) .....
- No (skip to question 17) .....
- Not applicable (skip to question 17) .....
- Don't know (skip to question 17) .....

15j. How consistently do you take it? (check one box)

- Some of the time .....
- Half of the time .....
- Most of the time .....
- All of the time .....

16. Do you not take your medication sometimes because: (please answer **Yes** or **No** for each question by checking the appropriate box on each line)

- |   | Yes                      | No                       |
|---|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| a. It does not help .....   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| b. Of its side effects, such as bad taste .....                   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| c. Of inconvenience .....   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| d. It costs too much .....  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| e. You're worried about becoming dependent<br>on medication ..... | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

17. Do you use an extender or spacer with your inhalers? (check one box)
- Yes .....  104.68  
 No .....   
 Don't know .....

18. **As a result of taking any of your asthma medicines**, how often do you experience the following?  
 (check one box in each row)

	Never	Occasionally	All the time	104.69
a. Bad taste .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
b. Difficulty sleeping .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
c. Shakiness (tremors) .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
d. Heart palpitations (skipped or extra beats) .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
e. Headaches .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
f. Nervousness, moodiness, irritability .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
g. Hoarseness .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
h. Thrush or yeast infections .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

- 19a. Do you have a peak flow meter? (check one box) 104.70
- Yes (continue) .....   
 No (skip to Question 20a) .....

- 19b. When do you use your peak flow meter? (check one box) 104.71
- Never (skip to Question 20a) .....   
 Daily .....   
 As needed .....

- 19c. What do you do with your peak flow meter results? (check all that apply) 104.72
- Adjust my medications .....   
 Alter my activities .....   
 Notify my physician .....   
 Other .....

- 20a. Have you ever smoked cigarettes regularly? (check one box) 104.437.1-104.437.3
- Yes (continue) .....   
 No (skip to Question 21) .....

- 20b. If yes, do you smoke now? (circle one response)
- NO: How many years has it been since you smoked cigarettes regularly? \_\_\_\_\_
- YES: On average, about how many cigarettes a day do you smoke? \_\_\_\_\_

21. How much information have you been given by your doctor or nurse about the following: (check one box in each row)

Nothing                      Some information                      Everything I need to know

- a. What to do when you have a severe flare-up of your asthma? .....
- b. How to adjust your medication when your asthma gets worse? .....
- c. What things can make your asthma worse and how to avoid them? .....

22. How would you rate your knowledge about what to do if you had a severe asthma attack? (check one)

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

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23. Do things like cats, dogs, or other pets, house dust, pollens, aspirin, or certain food additives such as sulfites make your asthma worse? (check one box)

- Yes .....
- No .....

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