



### Case History Form for Adults – Audiology

Please describe in your own words, your hearing difficulty:

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Date form completed: \_\_\_\_\_ File # \_\_\_\_\_

#### IDENTIFICATION

Patient Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Mr. Mrs. Miss Ms. Dr.  
Last First Middle (circle one)

Ethnicity (optional): African American  Asian/Pacific Islander  Caucasian   
 Hispanic  Native American  Other  \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender (optional) M or F

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_ Place of Employment: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse's Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse's Occupation \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse's Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Language(s) spoken by patient: \_\_\_\_\_ Primary language spoken in home \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Care Physician: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip

Referred by: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name Address

Reason for referral: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Relation: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Where did you learn about our services? \_\_\_\_\_

Person Completing Questionnaire: \_\_\_\_\_ Relation to Patient \_\_\_\_\_

## HEARING HISTORY

Is there a history of hearing loss in the family? Yes  No  If yes, explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have a history of  Ear Drainage  Ears Ringing  Dizziness  Ear Infections  Earaches  
 Air Bag Deployment  Head Trauma

Describe any associated problems that occur due to your hearing difficulties: \_\_\_\_\_

When and by whom were your hearing difficulties first noticed? \_\_\_\_\_

Was the hearing problem (circle one) sudden, fluctuating, or progressive?

Is your hearing better in one ear? Yes  No  If yes, which ear is the better ear? Right  Left

In your opinion, what is the cause of your hearing difficulties? \_\_\_\_\_

Has your hearing ever been evaluated before? Yes  No

If yes, when? \_\_\_\_\_ Where? \_\_\_\_\_

What were the findings & recommendations? \_\_\_\_\_

## HEARING AID HISTORY

Have you ever worn a hearing aid? Yes  No  If no, proceed to **Noise History** section

If yes, how many years have you worn hearing aids? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you currently wearing hearing aids? Right ear  Left ear  Both ears

Where did you purchase these hearing aids? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you pleased with their performance? Yes  No

If no, explain any problems you have: \_\_\_\_\_

## NOISE HISTORY

Have you ever been in the armed services? Yes  No  How long? \_\_\_\_\_ What branch? \_\_\_\_\_

Duties included: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever been exposed to loud noises (i.e., mechanical noise, gun blasts, firecrackers, etc.)? Y N

If yes, please explain any current or previous hobbies, activities, or occupations that may have exposed you to loud noises: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you bothered by loud noises? Yes  No  If yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

**MEDICAL HISTORY**

Present physical condition (please circle): (Excellent) 1 2 3 4 5 (Poor)

Please describe any significant health problems you have experienced to include:  Stroke  Cancer  
 Heart Attacks  Headaches  Seizures  Mumps  Meningitis  Measles

Kidney Problems  Diabetes  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

List accidents, injuries, or surgeries (include date of occurrence, seriousness, hospitalization, etc.)

Are you under the care of a specialist? Yes  No

If yes, state name (first and last) and specialty : \_\_\_\_\_

Are you taking any prescribed medications? Yes  No

Are you taking over-the-counter medications? Yes  No

If yes, please list (include dosage and reason) \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever taken a medication that was harmful to your hearing? Yes  No

Have you ever taken recreational drugs? Yes  No

If yes, please describe: \_\_\_\_\_

Please include any other information that might help us: \_\_\_\_\_



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## Client/Patient Authorization regarding Research Studies, Mode of Communication and Educational Use of Recorded Sessions

Client/Patient's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Participation in research projects:**

Clients/patients may be asked by researchers in the Department if they would be interested in participating in a research study pertaining to their condition. When contacted, clients will be given an opportunity to review information about the study in order to decide whether or not they wish to participate. **Participation in any research study is always optional and will not affect the clinical care delivered to the client. Clients/patients who do not wish to be contacted regarding opportunities to participate in research may opt out at any time by contacting the clinic or by checking the statement below.**

Initials \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_ Please do NOT contact me with opportunities to participate in research

### **Electronic communication and transmission of service related information:**

Authorization is given to the Speech, Language, Hearing Center of the Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders, University of South Florida, 4202 E. Fowler Ave., Tampa, Florida 33620-8150, to communicate with me via **email, telephone (voice/text) and/or fax**, regarding therapy and/or assessment for the above named client. I acknowledge that the Speech, Language, Hearing Center of the Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders cannot be responsible for non-secured communication.

Initials \_\_\_\_\_

### **Acknowledgement of the recording of sessions (audio and video):**

The University of South Florida Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders operates a clinical facility primarily for the training of future professionals in Speech-Language Pathology, Audiology, and Aural (Re)H habilitation. All clients/patients seen in the clinic for diagnostic and therapeutic services must agree to the recording of sessions. Recordings may be reviewed and used by faculty, staff and students as part of a client/patient's plan of care, as part of a research project and/or to facilitate instructional objectives for students enrolled in the program. Appropriate safeguards related to privacy and confidentiality will be utilized for the use and storage of such recordings and this specific authorization regarding the recordings is attached below and must be signed by each patient.

"I understand the above and hereby release to the University of South Florida Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders, the right to make audio and video recordings or to photograph said person in any and all phases of the educational or remedial process and to put the audio and video recordings or photographs to any legitimate educational or training uses. All recordings, photographs and their reproductions shall remain the property of the Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders of the University of South Florida. It is further agreed that in the event the Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders of the University of South Florida or its assigns shall become a party defendant to litigation by said persons as a result of the legitimate use of said audio and video recordings, photographs, and/or descriptive literature or sound tracks, (I/We) shall hold harmless and indemnify it or its assigns from any judgment which may be entered against it or its assigns."

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

Patient