

PATIENT HEARING EVALUATION

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name _____ Date of Birth _____
(Last Name) (First Name) (Middle Initial)
Address _____
(Street Number) (City) (State) (Zip)
Phone _____ Spouse/Relative _____
Family Physician _____
E-mail Address _____ Date _____

ASSESSMENT OF COMMUNICATION PROBLEMS

Do you hear people speaking but have difficulty in understanding their words? _____
Do you notice that people tend to mumble? _____
Do you seem to hear some people better than others? _____
Do you have difficulty understanding in situations with a lot of background noise? _____
Do you have difficulty understanding in small group situations? _____
Do you have more difficulty understanding when you cannot see the speaker's face? _____
Do you have problems understanding a sermon in church or a lecture in a large hall? _____
Do you like to have the television or radio turned up louder than normal? _____
Do people ever have to raise their voice or repeat themselves? _____
Do you have difficulty understanding on the telephone? _____ Which ear do you use? _____
Do you always hear the phone when it rings? _____
Where does your hearing difficulty give you the most trouble? _____
How often are you avoiding social situations you enjoy because of not hearing clearly? _____
Do you feel you need to wear hearing instruments? _____
Would you like an instrument that was easy to hide? _____
Where would you receive the greatest benefit if we found hearing instruments to be helpful? _____

MEDICAL HISTORY OF HEARING IMPAIRMENT

*Visible congenital or traumatic deformity of the ear Yes No Make _____
*Visible evidence of significant cerumen accumulation or a foreign body in the ear canal.... Yes No Serial # _____
*Have you experienced any acute or chronic dizziness? Yes No Date Ordered _____
*Have you experienced any pain or discomfort in your ears? Yes No Date Fit _____
*Any history of active drainage from the ear within the previous 90 days? Yes No Date Closed _____
*Any history of sudden or rapidly progressing hearing loss within the previous 90 days? Yes No Warranty Exp. _____
*Is there a unilateral hearing loss of sudden or recent onset within the previous 90 days? .. Yes No Payment Method _____
If answer is "YES" to any of these questions (*) client must be referred to a physician or ear specialist prior to a hearing aid fitting.

Do you have any ringing or noises in your ears? Yes No
Have you ever seen a physician/ear specialist regarding your hearing? Yes No
Would you like a report of our findings sent to your doctor for his records? Yes No
When was your hearing last tested? _____
What were the results? _____
What do you feel caused any hearing loss you may have? _____
Which ear do you feel you hear the best with? _____
Is there a history of hearing loss in your family? _____
What kind of work have you done for most of your life? _____
What difficulties is your hearing loss causing you in your occupation? _____