

HEALTH ASSESSMENT QUESTIONNAIRE (HAQ)

Name	PHN	Date (yyyy / mm / dd)		

1. For each category, please check the **one** response that best describes your abilities over the **past week**.

Dressing and Grooming	NO DIFFICULTY	SOME DIFFICULTY	MUCH DIFFICULTY	UNABLE TO DO
Dress yourself, including tying shoelaces and doing buttons				
Shampoo your hair				
Rising				
Stand up from an armless chair				
Get in and out of bed				
Eating				
Cut your meat				
Lift a full cup or glass to your mouth				
Open a new carton of milk				
Walking				
Walk outdoors on flat ground				
Climb up five stairs				
Hygiene				
Wash and dry your entire body				
Take a bath				
Get on and off the toilet				
Reach				
Reach and get down a 5 lb object (for example, a bag of sugar from just above your head)				
Bend down to pick up clothing from the floor				
Grip				
Open car doors				
Open jars which have been previously opened				
Turn taps on and off				
Activities				
Run errands and shop				
Get in and out of a car				
Do chores such as vacuuming, housework or light gardening				

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- 2. Do you **usually** (more than 50% of the time) use the following aids or devices for any of the activities listed on page 1? *Check all that apply.*
 - Canes
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 Crutches
 - U Wheelchair/scooter
 - Raised toilet seat
 - Bath seat
 - □ Jar opener (for jars previously opened)
 - Special or built-up utensils
 - Special or built-up chair
 - 🗌 Bath rail
 - □ Long-handled applicance for reach
 - Other (specify)
- 3. Do you **usually** (more than 50% of the time) need help from another person for any of the following? *Check all that apply*.

	Errands and housework
	Reaching
	Dressing and grooming
Ľ	Gripping and opening things
] Eating
] Walking
] Hygiene
Ple	ase circle the number, from 0 to 10, which indicates how much pain you have had in the past week because of your

arthritis, with 0 being "no pain" and 10 being "pain as bad as it could be".

PAIN SCALE RATING:	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

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