

BALANCE HISTORY FORM

Name: _____ DOB: _____ Date: _____

1. Please indicate any symptom or sensation you are experiencing.

- Spinning Lightheadedness Unsteadiness Motion Sensation
 Nausea Other: _____

2. Symptoms came on:

- Gradually Suddenly

3. When did these symptoms begin?

4. How long do symptoms last?

- Seconds Seconds to minutes Minutes to hours Hours to days
 Continuous Other: _____

5. When do symptoms occur?

- Lying down Standing up Straining/sneezing/coughing
 Rolling over in bed Loud sounds Other _____
 Head movement

6. Episodes/attacks occur:

- Daily Weekly Monthly Randomly

7. Are you free from dizziness between attacks?

- Yes No

8. When was your last episode/attack?

9. Symptoms have:

- Improved since onset Worsened since onset Remained the same since onset

10. Please check all that seem to be **related to your symptoms:**

- Falling to the right side Severe headaches Visual disturbances/auras (spots before eyes, flashing lights, etc.)
 Falling to the left side Recurrent headaches
 Trouble walking in the dark Light sensitivity Fainting/loss of consciousness
 Numbness in feet/neuropathy Sound sensitivity Other _____
 Numbness in face Migraines

PLEASE TURN OVER AND COMPLETE THE REVERSE SIDE

11. Check all that apply to your **hearing:**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Difficulty hearing
How Long: _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Currently Wear Hearing Aids
How Long: _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Previous Ear Surgery
When: _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Tinnitus (Ringing/buzzing/hissing in ears) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Change in right ear hearing when dizzy | <input type="checkbox"/> Fullness/Aural pressure |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> Change in left ear hearing when dizzy |

12. How many falls have you had **due to your symptoms** in the past 6 months?

13. Are you concerned about falling in the future?

- Yes No

14. What **other tests** have been completed to look into your symptoms:

- Hearing test CT scan of head MRI of head Blood work EKG

15. Please check all that apply to **your medical history:**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Stroke | <input type="checkbox"/> Migraines | <input type="checkbox"/> Neck problems |
| <input type="checkbox"/> High blood pressure | <input type="checkbox"/> Family history of migraines | <input type="checkbox"/> Back problems |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Low blood pressure | <input type="checkbox"/> Severe headaches | <input type="checkbox"/> Head injury |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Heart problems | <input type="checkbox"/> Depression | <input type="checkbox"/> Carbon monoxide exposure |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Neurological disorders | <input type="checkbox"/> Anxiety | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |

16. Current **medications:**

Name of Medication	Reason for taking (e.g. blood pressure)	Recent change in prescription (Yes or No)	Have you taken this medication in the past 48 hours? (Yes or No)

Patient's Signature

Date