

Patient ID: \_\_\_\_\_

Patient Name: \_\_\_\_\_

# OUCH!

## Pain Sensitivity Test

### Patient Consent

I understand that this test is to compare my opinion of pain tolerance with what I experience when a small lead weight is dropped upon my fingernail and the body part to be evaluated. I may stop the test at any time just by saying I do not wish to finish.

I understand my participation in this test will help the doctor evaluate my problem.

I understand that the information collected for this study will be confidential and kept separate from my medical records. There will be no personal identification or information published that would compromise my privacy.

I am willing to participate in this test to evaluate my sensitivity to pain.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Patient signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Witness

\_\_\_\_\_  
Examiner

1. AGE: \_\_\_\_\_ years

2. GENDER:

- male
- female

3. RACE OR GENETIC HERITAGE:

- African (black)
- Asian or Pacific Islander
- Caucasian (white)
- Hispanic
- Native American Indian
- other: \_\_\_\_\_

4. DOMINANT HAND:

- right
- left
- truly ambidextrous

5. EMPLOYMENT:

- yes, I am presently employed
- no
- retired
- unemployed
- off on physical disability for \_\_\_\_\_  
% disability: \_\_\_\_\_  
reason for disability: \_\_\_\_\_

6. ARE YOUR INDEX FINGERS NORMAL?

- yes
- no If no, describe: \_\_\_\_\_

7. ARTIFICIAL NAILS?

- yes
- no

8. LONG NAILS?

- yes
- no

9. NAIL POLISH?

- yes
- no

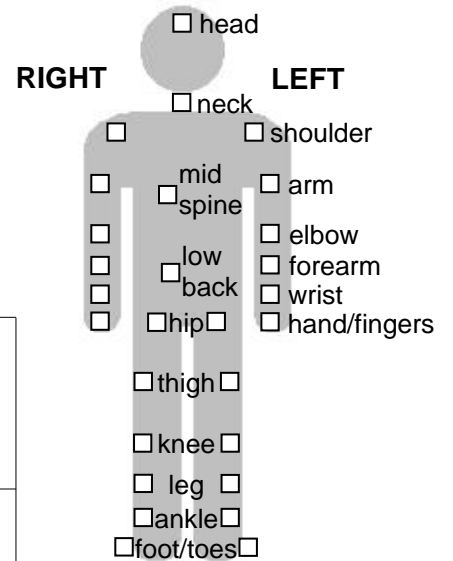
**10. DO YOU HAVE ANY BLEEDING TENDENCY?**

- yes If yes, describe: \_\_\_\_\_
- no

**11. DO YOU HAVE ANY PAIN ANYWHERE IN YOUR BODY NOW?**

- yes
  - no
- If yes, how much bodily pain do you have?**  
(choose one answer)
- none
  - very mild
  - mild
  - moderate
  - severe
  - very severe

**If yes, where?**



**12. HAVE YOU TAKEN ANY MEDICATION THAT COULD AFFECT PAIN IN THE LAST 24 HOURS?**

- yes
- no

**13. WHAT HAS CAUSED YOU THE MOST PHYSICAL PAIN YOU EVER HAD?**

(choose one answer)

Injury:

- laceration (cut)
- fracture (broken bone)
- dislocation (of joint)
- other injury: \_\_\_\_\_
- childbirth
- kidney stone
- surgery: \_\_\_\_\_
- other: \_\_\_\_\_

**14. PATIENT'S RESPONSE TO QUESTION ESTIMATING THEIR PAIN TOLERANCE?** (choose only one number)  
           (the most pain tolerance I can  
 (no pain tolerance) 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 imagine anyone would have)

**15. FINGER OUCH TESTING:**

**Finger tested:** (Listed in order of preference. Use same finger on both hands.)

**Right:**  index  little  ring  middle  thumb

**Left:**  index  little  ring  middle  thumb

Level	Right	Left	
top	___	___	0 (no pain) – 10 (the most pain I can imagine anyone having)
5	___	___	
4	___	___	Perform tests on right side then left side.
3	___	___	Start with level 1 and move up.
2	___	___	Verify that ball does not land on cuticle, or beyond finger tip.
1	___	___	

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

**16. AFFECTED BODY PART OUCH TESTING:**

**Body part:**  hip  knee  ankle  shoulder  elbow  wrist other: \_\_\_\_\_

**Symptomatic:** **Right** **Left**  
 yes  yes  
 no  no

Drop	Right	Left	
3 feet	___	___	0 (no pain) – 10 (the most pain I can imagine anyone having)
2 feet	___	___	Perform tests on asymptomatic side first, then the symptomatic side.
1 foot	___	___	Start with 1 foot and move up.

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

**17. PATIENT'S POST TEST RATING:**  I liked the test.  I disliked the test.

Any suggestions? \_\_\_\_\_

**18. THE FOLLOWING POST TEST WARNING WAS GIVEN:**  yes  no

*If your fingernail bleeds or gets black, please let us know, you might have a bleeding tendency.*

**19. EXAMINER'S ESTIMATION OF PATIENT'S PAIN TOLERANCE AFTER TESTING:** (choose only one number)  
           (the most pain tolerance I can  
 (no pain tolerance) 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 imagine anyone would have)

**20. NOTES:**