

# Medical Health History Questionnaire

This form is not a substitute for a thorough physical examination, assessment, and/or diagnosis by your physician. It is designed to identify and understand potential issues that may arise due to an increase in physical activity. The Auburn University Lifetime Wellness & Fitness team strongly recommends that each client undergo a medical examination before beginning any exercise program. All information provided on this form is personal and confidential and will not be released to anyone except your referring physician without your written consent. The information you provide will enable us to better understand you and your health and fitness habits.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_@auburn.edu Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: \_\_\_\_\_ Height: \_\_\_\_\_ Weight: \_\_\_\_\_ Auburn

Affiliation:  Faculty/Staff  Student  Fr  So  Jr  Sr  Grad  Retiree  Spouse/Partner

Physicians Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Home phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

## I. Personal Fitness Goals & Exercise History

1. Please indicate your personal health and fitness goals: (check all that apply)

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|---|--|---|
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reduce Body Fat & Lose Weight                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Weight Gain                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Better Balance & Mobility      |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Increased Confidence & Energy                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Improve Stamina & Flexibility     | <input type="checkbox"/> Improve Nutrition              |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Build Lean Muscle Mass                        | <input type="checkbox"/> Muscular Strength                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Improve Cardiovascular Fitness |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> General Health & Fitness                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Reduce Blood Pressure/Cholesterol | <input type="checkbox"/> Reshape Body                   |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enhance Work, recreation & Sports Performance | Other: <input type="checkbox"/> _____                      |   |

Please tell us more about your specific short and long term goals for exercise, health, and fitness:

## 2. Exercise history

Yes No

Do you currently exercise? If yes, how many times per week? \_\_\_\_\_

If no, have you exercised in the past?

Have you ever worked with a fitness professional before?

If you currently exercise, what exercise activities does your workout program include?

## II. Signs and symptoms

3. Have you ever experienced any of the following: (check all that apply)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Pain, discomfort, tightness or numbness in the chest, neck, jaw or arms | <input type="checkbox"/> Dizziness or Fainting     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Shortness of breath at rest or with mild exertion                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Ankle Swelling            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Difficult, labored or painful breathing during the day or night         | <input type="checkbox"/> Rapid pulse or heart rate |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Unusual shortness of breath or fatigue with usual activities            | <input type="checkbox"/> Claudication (Cramping)   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Heart murmur and/or palpitations  | <input type="checkbox"/> Back Pain                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Severe headaches  | <input type="checkbox"/> Orthopedic problems       |

**If you checked any of the above conditions, you must explain below:**

## III. Medical diagnoses

4. Have you ever been diagnosed with, or suffered from: (check all that apply)

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|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Heart attack/heart disease | <input type="checkbox"/> Other Cardiac Surgery |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Coronary bypass            | <input type="checkbox"/> Pacemaker             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Stroke                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Embolism              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Aneurysm                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Angina Pectoris       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Angioplasty                | <input type="checkbox"/> Phlebitis             |

If you checked any of the above conditions, you must have **medical clearance** prior to exercising. Please give details:

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5. Have you ever been diagnosed with, or do you have any of the following. (check all that apply)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Chronic bronchitis  | <input type="checkbox"/> Peripheral vascular disease   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Diabetes            | <input type="checkbox"/> Osteoporosis                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Osteopenia          | <input type="checkbox"/> Emphysema                     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asthma              | <input type="checkbox"/> Hypertension (>140/90 mmhg)   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Thyroid problems    | <input type="checkbox"/> High cholesterol (>200 mg/dl) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Emotional disorders | <input type="checkbox"/> Eating disorders              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cancer              | <input type="checkbox"/> Swelling of joints            |

If you checked any of the above conditions, please explain below:

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#### IV. Major risk factors

- | 6. Please answer all of the following questions:                           | Yes                      | No                       | Unsure                   |
|--|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| Are you a male over the age of 45 or                                       | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Female over the age of 55 who has had a hysterectomy or is postmenopausal? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Has your father or brother experienced a heart attack before age of 55?    | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Has your mother or sister experience a heart attack before age of 65?      | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Do you have impaired fasting glucose (diabetes)?                           | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| If yes, do you take insulin? What year was the diagnosis? _____            |                          |                          |                          |
| Do you have high cholesterol (>200ml/dl)?                                  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Has your doctor ever told you that you might have high blood pressure?     | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Do you currently smoke or have you smoked in the past 6 months?            | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Do you have a sedentary lifestyle?   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

*If you are a man over the age of 45 or a woman over the age of 55 or if you answered "yes" to two (2) or more of the above major risk factors, it is recommended that you receive a **physician's clearance** before beginning your exercise program.*

#### V. General

- | 7. Please tell us more about you:                    | Yes                      | No                       |
|--|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| Are you currently pregnant?                          | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Are you currently on a special diet?                 | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Have you had a recent surgery in the past 12 months? | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Do you have seasonal allergies and/or hay fever?     | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

ergogenic aids, diet supplements, vitamins, minerals, etc.

8. Please list any medications you are currently taking including but not limited to prescriptions, allergy medications,

Do you have allergies to any foods or medications?

Medication (supplement): \_\_\_\_\_ Reason: \_\_\_\_\_ Dosage: \_\_\_\_\_

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I understand this medical health history questionnaire has been provided for the purpose of helping me better understand any potential risks associated with a workout program. I also understand I should share this information with my physician and seek his or her approval prior to beginning an exercise program. I understand the information I have provided will be maintained in my personal file for use in case of a medical emergency. My signature signifies that all of the above is true, to the best of my knowledge. Any information left unanswered was done so intentionally. If any of the above information changes, i agree to submit these changes in writing to the coordinator, personal training to update my personal training file.

Participant signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Fitness staff signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Staff Use Only**

Classification:  Low Risk  Moderate Risk  High Risk

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

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