

Patient Screening Questions for Supportive Care



All patients are asked to complete this questionnaire as part of their standard of care. Please take a few minutes to answer the following questions to help us better address your needs.

Over the last 14 days , how often have you been bothered by the following problems? ¹	Not at all	Several Days	More than half the days	Nearly every day
Feeling nervous, anxious or on edge	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Not being able to stop or control worrying	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Little interest or pleasure in doing things	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Feeling down, depressed, or hopeless	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

	YES	NO ¹¹
Do you need someone like a family member, friend, hospital/clinic worker, or caregiver to help you read hospital materials?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Do you need help when filing out medical forms by yourself?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Indicate if any of the below has been a concern for you in the **past 7 days**, please check YES or NO for each.

Practical Concerns ^{2, 9}	Physical and Other Concerns ²
<p>YES NO</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Child care issues</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Issues paying for food</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Issues paying for housing</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Issues with transportation to/from treatment</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Work / school issues</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Insurance coverage issues or no health insurance</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Paying for medication or medical care</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> I live alone</p> <p>Self Care Concerns¹⁰</p> <p>Are you concerned about having someone available to help if:</p> <p>YES NO</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> You cannot get out of bed?</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> You feel sick and cannot do daily chores?</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> You cannot run errands?</p> <p>Family/Caregiver Concerns²</p> <p>YES NO</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Concerns about my children</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Concerns about my partner</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Concerns about caregivers</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Ability to have children</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Concerns about other family members</p> <p>Spiritual / Faith / Religious Concerns⁵</p> <p>YES NO</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Do you struggle with the loss of meaning and joy in your life?</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Do you have religious or spiritual struggles?</p> <p><i>I would like to talk to someone about my "yes" checks above from Practical, Self Care, Family/Caregiver or Spiritual Concerns</i></p> <p>YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/></p>	<p>YES NO</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Breathing</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Constipation</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Diarrhea</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Fevers</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Nausea or vomiting</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Sleep</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Changes in urination</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Difficulty chewing or swallowing</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Cough</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Mouth sores</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Dry mouth</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Swollen arms or legs</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Feeling full quickly or swollen abdomen</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Sexual intimacy or function</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Skin dry/itchy, blister/pain</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Tingling in hands/feet</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Appearance</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Use of alcohol/drugs</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Difficulty concentrating</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Difficulty remembering things</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Difficulty finding the words I want to say</p> <p>Nutrition Concerns^{2, 3}</p> <p>YES NO</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Weight loss or lack of appetite</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Weight gain</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Issues with taste</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Concerns about nutrition and food</p> <p><i>See other side to complete</i></p>

Pain⁶ In the past 7 days, have you been in pain?					
<input type="checkbox"/> NO If NO, skip to “Fatigue/Low Energy”					
<input type="checkbox"/> YES If YES, please mark one box per row below					
	No pain	Mild	Moderate	Severe	Very Severe
In the past 7 days how intense was your pain at its worst?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
In the past 7 days how intense was your average pain?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
What is your level of pain right now?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Fatigue/Low Energy⁷ Please mark one box per row					
	Not at all	A little bit	Somewhat	Quite a bit	Very much
During the past 7 days I feel fatigued (low energy)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
During the past 7 days I have trouble <u>starting</u> things because I am tired	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
In the past 7 days how run-down did you feel on average?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
In the past 7 days how fatigued were you on average?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Physical Activity⁸ Please mark one box per row					
	Without any difficulty	With a little difficulty	With some difficulty	With much difficulty	Unable to do
Are you able to do chores such as vacuuming or yard work?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Are you able to go up and down stairs at a normal pace?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Are you able to run errands and shop?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Are you able to be out of bed most of the day?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Are you able to take care of your personal needs (dress, comb hair, toilet, eat, bathe)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Falls				YES	NO
Have you had 2 or more falls in the past 6 months? ¹				<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Have you been injured by a fall that required medical attention in the last 6 months?				<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Do you feel unsteady when walking? ¹²				<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Treatment or Care Concerns⁴ Please please check Yes or No for each					
YES	NO				
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	I want to better understand my cancer diagnosis or stage.			
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	I want to better understand my prognosis or long term outcome.			
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	I have concerns or questions about my treatment options, medication, or my plan of care.			
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	I want help discussing, with my family and friends, my treatment options and what is important to me.			
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	I want help discussing and deciding on the kinds of medical care I want or don't want with my family, friends or doctor			
Other problems or concerns²:				Office Use Only:	
				Pt alone	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Pt with family	<input type="checkbox"/>
				Pt with clinician/staff	<input type="checkbox"/>

***This tool is adapted from:** (1) the PHQ-4 developed by Drs. Robert L. Spitzer, Janet B.W. Williams, Kurt Kroenke and colleagues; (2) The National Comprehensive Cancer Network, NCCN Guidelines version 2.2014 Distress Management; (3) Kaiser, M.J., et al., Validation of the Mini Nutritional Assessment short-form (MNA-SF): a practical tool for identification of nutritional status. *J Nutr Health Aging*, 2009. 13(9): p. 782-8.; (4) Living Well Cancer Resource Center Distress Tool. (5) King, S. D. W., et al. (2017). Determining best methods to screen for religious/spiritual distress. *Support Care Cancer* (2017) 25:471–479. (6) PROMIS Item Bank v1.0 Pain Intensity Short Form 3a; (7) PROMIS Item Bank v1.0 Fatigue Short Form 4a; (8) PROMIS Item Bank v1.0 Physical Function Short Form 4a; and PROMIS item bank. (9) Live Well At Home Rapid Screen[®]. (10) PROMIS Item Bank Instrumental Support – Short Form 4a. (11) Cornett, S., (Sept. 30, 2009) "Assessing and Addressing Health Literacy" OJIN: The Online Journal of Issues in Nursing Vol. 14, No. 3, Manuscript 2. (12) Phelan, E. A., Mahoney, J. E., Voit, J. C., & Stevens, J. A. (2015). Assessment and Management of Fall Risk in Primary Care Settings. *The Medical Clinics of North America*, 99(2), 281–293. <http://doi.org/10.1016/j.mcna.2014.11.004>