

Scoliosis Research Society's Scoliosis Patient Questionnaire

Patient Name: _____ Age: _____ Date: _____

Medical Record #: _____ SS#: _____

Surgery date: _____ Follow-up: _____

We are carefully evaluating the condition of your back. Please circle the best answer to each question unless otherwise indicated.

1. On a scale of 1 to 9, with 1 meaning "no pain" and 9 meaning "severe pain", Indicate the degree of pain you experience regularly

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

2. Using the same scale, indicate the most severe degree of pain you have experienced over the last month.

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

3. If you had to spend the rest of your life with your back as it is right now, how would you feel about it?

Very happy
Somewhat happy
Neither happy nor unhappy
Somewhat unhappy
Very unhappy

4. What is your current level of activity?

Bedridden/Wheelchair
Primarily no activity
Light labor, such as household chores
Moderate manual labor and moderate sports, such as walking and biking
Full activities without restriction

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5. How do you look in clothes?

- Very good
- Good
- Fair
- Bad
- Very bad

6. Do you experience back pain when at rest?

- Very often
- Often
- Sometimes
- Rarely
- Never

7. What is your current level of work/school activity?

- 100% normal
- 75% normal
- 50% normal
- 25% normal
- 0% normal

8. What medications, if any, are you currently taking for your back? (circle all that apply)

- None
- Non-steroidals (i.e. Motrin)
- Steroids (cortisone)
- Muscle Relaxants (Valium)
- Narcotics (Morphine)

9. Does your back limit your ability to do things around the house?

- Yes
- No

10. Have you taken any sick days from work/school due to back pain?

- Yes
- No

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11. Do you feel your condition affects your personal relationships?

Yes No

12. Are you and/or your family experiencing financial difficulties because of your back?

None Some A lot

13. Do you go out more or less than your friends?

More Same Less

14. Do you feel attractive?

Yes, very
 Yes, somewhat
 Neither attractive nor unattractive
 No, not very much
 No, not at all

15. On a scale of 1 to 9, with one being very low and 9 being extremely high how would you rate your self-image?

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

16. Has your back treatment changed your function or daily activity?

Increased Not changed Decreased

17. Has your back treatment changed your ability to enjoy sports/hobbies?

Increased Not changed Decreased

18. Has your treatment _____ your back pain?

Increased Not changed Decreased

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19. Has your treatment changed your confidence in personal relationships with others?

Increased Not changed Decreased

20. Has your treatment changed the way others view you?

Much better
Better
Same
Worse
Much worse

21. Has your treatment changed your self-image?

Increased Not changed Decreased

22. Are you satisfied with the results of your back treatment?

Extremely satisfied
Somewhat satisfied
Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied
Somewhat dissatisfied
Extremely dissatisfied

23. Compared to before your treatment, how do you feel you now look?

Much better
Better
Same
Worse
Much worse

24. Would you have the same treatment again if you had the same condition?

Definitely yes
Probably yes
Not sure
Probably not
Definitely not

Thank you for completing this questionnaire.

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Scoliosis Research Society's Scoliosis Patient Questionnaire: Score Sheet

Name: _____

Diagnosis: _____

Date: _____ Interval _____

Domain	Score Pt/Possible (Max) a a`	# Question Answered(Poss) b	Mean a÷b
Pain _____ 1* 2 3 6 8 11 18	____/____(35)	____(7)	____.
General self-image _____ 5 14 15	____/____(15)	____(3)	____.
Self-image after surgery _____ 19 20 21	____/____(15)	____(3)	____.
Function after surgery _____ 16 17	____/____(10)	____(2)	____.
General function _____ 7 12 13	____/____(15)	____(3)	____.
Function-activity _____ 4 9 10	____/____(15)	____(3)	____.
Satisfaction with surgery _____ 22 23 24	____/____(15)	____(3)	____.
TOTAL	____/____(120)	____(24)	____.
	a/a` X 100= (%) 100% Best 20% Worst		Mean Score 5 Best 1 Worst

* Question number