



## Medicare Wellness: Health Risk Assessment

Patient Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

1. In general, would you say your health is: \_\_\_\_\_ Excellent \_\_\_\_\_ Very Good \_\_\_\_\_ Good \_\_\_\_\_ Fair \_\_\_\_\_ Poor

2. How have things been going for you during the past 4 weeks?

\_\_\_\_ Very well; could hardly be better

\_\_\_\_ Pretty well

\_\_\_\_ Good and bad parts about equal

\_\_\_\_ Pretty bad

\_\_\_\_ Very bad; could hardly be worse

3. How confident are you that you can control and manage most of your health problems/issues?

\_\_\_\_ Very confident

\_\_\_\_ Somewhat confident

\_\_\_\_ Not very confident

\_\_\_\_ I do not have any health problems

4. How often in the last 4 weeks have you been bothered by any of the following problems?

	Never	Seldom	Sometimes	Often	Always
Falling or dizzy when standing up					
Sexual problems or concerns					
Trouble eating/swallowing					
Teeth or denture problems					
Problems using the telephone					
Tiredness or fatigue					
Problems sleeping					

5. Have you fallen two or more times in the past year? \_\_\_\_\_ YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO

6. Are you afraid of falling? Do you feel unsteady? \_\_\_\_\_ YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO

### 7. HOME SAFETY CHECKLIST

	Yes	No
Are entrance ways well lit?		
Are sidewalks/entrance ways maintained?		
Is a carbon monoxide detector installed?		
Are smoke detectors installed?		
Are all medicines kept in original containers with original labels intact?		
Do you throw out all unidentified or out-of-date medications?		

8. How often do you have trouble taking medicines the way you have been told to take them?

\_\_\_\_ I do not have to take medicine

\_\_\_\_ I always take them as directed

\_\_\_\_ Sometimes I take them as directed

\_\_\_\_ I seldom take them as directed

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9. Are you having difficulties driving your car?  Yes, often  Sometimes  No  I do not use a car

10. Do you always fasten your seat belt when you are in a car?

- Yes, always/usually  
 Yes, sometimes  
 No

11. How often in the last four weeks have you experienced the following?

Hearing loss screening	Never	Seldom	Sometimes	Often	Always
Straining to understand conversation					
Trouble hearing in a noisy background					
Misunderstanding what others are saying					

12. During the past 4 weeks how much have you been bothered by feelings of anxiety, depression, irritability, or sadness?  Not at all  Quite a bit  Slightly  Moderately  Extremely

13. During the past 4 weeks, has your physical or emotional health limited your social activities with family and friends?

- Not at all  Quite a bit  Slightly  Moderately  Extremely

14. During the past 4 weeks, how much bodily pains have you generally had?

- No Pain  Very Mild Pain  Mild Pain  Moderate Pain  Severe Pain

15. Do you have someone who is available to help you if you needed or wanted help?

- Yes, as much as I want / need  
 Yes, some  
 No, not at all

16. Because of any health problems, do you need the help of another person with shopping, preparation of meals, or housework?  Yes  No

17. Because of any health problems, do you need the help of another person with your personal care needs, such as eating, bathing, dressing, or getting around the house?  Yes  No

18. Can you handle your own money without help?  Yes  No

19. During the past 4 weeks, did you exercise for about 20 minutes, 3 or more days a week?

- Yes, most of the time  
 Yes, some of the time  
 No, I usually do not exercise this much  
 No, I am not currently exercising

20. When you exercise, how intensely to you typically exercise?

- Light (stretching/slow walking)  
 Moderate (brisk walking)  
 Heavy (jogging/swimming)  
 Very Heavy (running/stair climbing)

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21. Are you a smoker/tobacco user?

- No – never  
 No – former; when did you quit? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Yes, and I am interested in quitting. How many packs/day on average? \_\_\_\_\_ For how many years? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Yes, but I'm not ready to quit. How many packs/day on average? \_\_\_\_\_ For how many years? \_\_\_\_\_

22. Alcohol History. Did you have a drink with alcohol in the past year?  Yes  No

**If yes, continue. If no, skip to next section**

How often did you have a drink containing alcohol in the past year?

- Monthly  2-4x/month  2-3x/week  4 or more times/week

How many drinks did you have on a typical day when you were drinking in the past year?

- 1-2 drinks  3-4 drinks  5-6 drinks  7-9 drinks  10 or more drinks

How often did you have 6 more drinks on one occasion in the past year?

- Never  Less than monthly  Monthly  Weekly  Daily or almost daily

23. Do you have any urinary accidents (or are you scared you are going to have one)?  Yes  No

24. Vaccination Record

	Last Infection Date	Date received	Circle One	Given by
COVID-19?	_____ N/A	Dose 1 _____	Moderna Pfizer J&J	_____
		Dose 2 _____	Moderna Pfizer J&J	_____
		Dose 3 _____	Moderna Pfizer J&J	_____
		Dose 4 _____	Moderna Pfizer	_____
Flu	_____ N/A			
Pneumonia	_____ N/A			
Tetanus	_____ N/A		Tdap Td	
Shingles	_____ N/A		1 shot shingles 2 shot Shingrix	

25. Health Record

Test	Date of test/procedure (most recent)	Result	Treatment
Cholesterol/lipid levels			
DEXA Scan (bone density)		<input type="checkbox"/> Normal <input type="checkbox"/> Abnormal	
Rectal exam		<input type="checkbox"/> Normal <input type="checkbox"/> Abnormal	
Colonoscopy		<input type="checkbox"/> Normal <input type="checkbox"/> Abnormal	
Next colonoscopy?			

26. Do you have a cardiologist?  Yes  No Last echo? \_\_\_\_\_



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27. Are you having memory issues, foggy brain or dizziness? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

28. Are you having pain, burning, numbness or tingling in your arms or legs? \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No

29. Diabetics History. **Skip if this does not apply**

Diagnosis date? \_\_\_\_\_ Type I                      Type II Mixed

HbA1c last checked? \_\_\_\_\_ What was the value? \_\_\_\_\_

Last diabetic eye exam? \_\_\_\_\_ Last diabetic foot exam? \_\_\_\_\_

30. Women

Are you doing monthly self-breast exams? Yes/No

Last mammogram? \_\_\_\_\_ Normal/Abnormal                      Next mammogram? \_\_\_\_\_

Last pap smear? \_\_\_\_\_ Normal/Abnormal                      Next pap smear? \_\_\_\_\_

Men

Are you doing monthly self-breast exams? Yes/No

Are you doing monthly self-testicular exams?      Yes/No

Clinical Checklist:

- Height, weight, BMI
- Blood pressure
- Visual acuity screen (eye chart)
- Advanced directive and end-of-life planning
- Counseling/education aimed at preventing chronic diseases, reducing risk factors, promoting wellness, and improving self-management of health
- Screening schedule for the next 5-10 years



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**Patient Health Questionnaire (PHQ –9)**

**Over the last 2 weeks, how often have you been bothered by any of the following problems?**

	Not at all	Several days	More than half the days	Nearly everyday
1. Little interest or pleasure in doing things	0	1	2	3
2. Feeling down, depressed, or hopeless	0	1	2	3
3. Trouble falling or staying asleep, or sleeping too much	0	1	2	3
4. Feeling tired or having little energy	0	1	2	3
5. Poor appetite or overeating	0	1	2	3
6. Feeling bad about yourself—or that you are a failure or have let yourself or your family down	0	1	2	3
7. Trouble concentrating on things, such as reading the newspaper or watching television	0	1	2	3
8. Moving or speaking so slowly that other people could have noticed. Or the opposite—being so fidgety or restless that you have been moving around a lot more than usual	0	1	2	3
9. Thoughts that you would be better off dead or hurting yourself	0	1	2	3
Add columns		+	+	
Total				

*(Healthcare professional: For interpretation of TOTAL please refer to accompanying scoring card)*

10. If you checked off any problems, how difficult have these problems made it for you to do your work, take care of things at home, or get along with other people?

- \_\_\_\_\_ Not difficult at all
- \_\_\_\_\_ Somewhat difficult
- \_\_\_\_\_ Very Difficult
- \_\_\_\_\_ Extremely Difficult

Provider Initials \_\_\_\_\_



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## List of Providers & Suppliers of Healthcare

*Please list all your current providers and suppliers of healthcare*

Primary Care Physician/provider(s):

Clinic/Provider Name	Location

Specialist(s):

Clinic/Provider Name	Specialty	Phone number

Alternative medicine providers (i.e., chiropractors, acupuncturists, etc.):

Clinic/Provider Name	Specialty	Phone number

Preferred pharmacy(s): Name & Location

Pharmacy Name	Location	Phone

Dentist:

Clinic/Dentist Name	Location

Other:




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## Medicare Wellness: Patient Packet

\_\_\_\_\_ Medicare's **"Welcome to Medicare" Visit (a.k.a IPPE)** \*Medicare Wellness\* (Benefit available 1 time in your first 12 months of enrollment with Medicare Part B)

\_\_\_\_\_ Medicare's **Annual Wellness Visit** \*Medicare Wellness\*  
(For beneficiaries past their first 12 months of Medicare Part B enrollment and 12 months after a Welcome to Medicare exam, if that was received)

### \_\_\_\_\_ **Regular Adult CPX ("physical exam")**

- Medicare Part B primary: This service continues to be **non-covered** by original Medicare Part B. Medicare will deny this service and payment will be your responsibility. If you qualify and would prefer to receive one of Medicare's covered Wellness services (i.e., Welcome to Medicare or Annual Wellness Visit), complete the attached forms & questionnaires and present them at the time of your appointment.)
- Medicare Advantage primary (i.e. Medicare Part C / Replacement Plan): Please check with your insurance plan to verify your benefits and coverage for this routine annual physical exam service.

Enclosed you will find the Patient Questionnaire packet required for the covered \*Medicare Wellness\* services. Please make sure your name and date of birth are on each page.

It includes:

- Materials explaining the \*Medicare Wellness\* benefits & what to expect
- Health Risk Assessment (HRA) form
- Depression Screening Questionnaire (PHQ-9)
- List of Providers & Suppliers of Healthcare form

Please complete all the enclosed questionnaires ***prior to your appointment***. Please bring all of the completed questionnaires with you to your appointment and give them to your provider. Your provider will go over these documents as part of your service.

Thank you! We are looking forward to seeing you.



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## **\*Medicare Wellness” Visits**

**IMPORTANT:** The three Medicare-created \*wellness visits\* are focused on wellness, risk-factor reduction, and prevention. They are **not the same** as a “routine physical checkup” or “routine annual exam”. There continues to be **no coverage from Medicare for traditional, age-specific physicals.**

These 3 Medicare-created \*wellness visits\* are covered by Medicare at 100%, without deductible or coinsurance, as long as the frequency limits are not exceeded.

1. **“Welcome to Medicare” or IPPE:** once per lifetime in the first 12 months of Part B enrollment
2. **Annual Wellness Visit, initial:** once per lifetime after the first 12 months of Part B enrollment and at least 12 months after a “Welcome to Medicare” visit (if applicable).
3. **Annual Wellness Visit, subsequent:** once every 12 months; the first one is at least 12 months after the initial Annual Wellness Visit

These \*wellness visits\* **do not include** any clinical laboratory tests, but the provider may separately order such tests during one of these visits. All laboratory tests are subject to Medicare’s applicable coverage guidelines and frequency limits. Deductible and coinsurance may be applied.

The \*wellness visits\* **do not include** other routine preventive services that Medicare covers (i.e., Pelvic/Breast exam, Pap smear, Influenza and pneumonia vaccines, smoking cessation counseling, etc.). These services can be provided alongside one of the \*wellness visits\* and billed separately to Medicare. These services are subject to their own Medicare coverage guidelines and frequency limits. Deductible and coinsurance may be applied.

An additional office visit (E&M) service can be provided alongside one of the \*wellness visits\* and billed separately to Medicare if it is significant, separate and medically necessary to treat a new or established health problem. This service is subject to its own Medicare coverage guidelines and limitation. Deductible and coinsurance will be applied.

For additional information about any of Medicare’s service you can go to Medicare’s beneficiary website at [www.medicare.gov](http://www.medicare.gov).





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### What to expect from your Medicare Wellness Visit:

Elements	What to expect
History	Review of your medical and social history Past medical and surgical history Current medications and supplements Family medical history History of alcohol, tobacco and/or drug use Diet and exercise Anything else the provider deems appropriate
Identifying Risk Factors	You complete standardized screening questions for: Depression Hearing impairment Activities of daily living Fall risk/home safety Provider reviews results to identify possible risk factors
Health Risk Assessment (HRA)	In written form, self-report information including screening questions in Risk Factor categories, self-assessment of health status, psychosocial risks, behavioral risks, et.
Problem list/interventions	Establish a list of your risk factors and condition for which you are being treated or treatment is recommended
Current Providers/Suppliers	Establish a list of your current providers and suppliers of healthcare
Detection of Cognitive Impairment	Through direct observation and discussion with you and/or your family/caregivers, provider will assess if there is any cognitive impairment
Exam	Obtain the following: Height and weight & calculate BMI Blood pressure Visual acuity screen (eye chart) Anything else the provider deems appropriate
Voluntary Advance Care (end-of-life) Planning	Upon your consent, gather/provide information on advanced directive and end-of-life planning. You can decline to discuss.
Personalized Health Advice	Counseling/education and/or referral for counseling/education aimed at preventing chronic diseases, reducing your identified risk factors, promoting wellness, and improving self-management of your health
Screening/Preventive services schedule	Establish a written screening schedule, covering the next 5-10 years (checklist) of recommended/appropriate covered preventive services. Receive a brief written plan (checklist) of recommended/appropriate screening and preventive services that are covered benefits under Medicare.