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All information that you volunteer will remain confidential unless you authorize its release

What do you hope to accomplish from your visits here

What are the main problems, areas, or challenges for which you wish assistance, and for how long, approximately, have they existed? Briefly list:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

What are the minor problems, areas, and challenges for which you wish assistance, and for how long approximately have they existed? Briefly list:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

How would you describe your general sense of well-being?

What is your stamina or general energy level like?

Does your energy or well-being vary with the time of day, with the weather or seasons, eating, or with any other factor of which you are aware? Describe:

YOUR DIET

Please write down two samples of each meal (what you eat every day or nearly every day). Include what you drink with meals, desserts, and snacks:

Breakfast 1. _____
2. _____
Morning snack _____
Lunch 1. _____
2. _____
Afternoon snack _____
Dinner 1. _____
2. _____
Evening snack 1. _____

Food Intake

For each question fill in the circle that reflects your usage most accurately

- Dairy Products

(milk, cheese, cottage cheese, yogurt, ice cream, goat milk, soy milk, etc.)

more than once a day once a day 2-3 times a week less often

-Eggs

more than once a day once a day 2-3 times a week less often

-Beans

(Pinto, black, red, garbanzo, navy, lentil, split pea, soy, etc.)

more than once a day once a day 2-3 times a week less often

-Grains

(Wheat, rye, corn, barley, triticale, buckwheat, millet, rice, oats, wild rice, amaranth, quinoas)

more than once a day once a day 2-3 times a week less often

-Uses of Grains

(Bread, rolls, muffins, scones, crackers, tortillas, pasta/noodles, cereals, bagels, pretzels, pastries, etc.)

more than once a day once a day 2-3 times a week less often

-Whole Grains (unrefined, unprocessed)

(whole wheat bread, whole wheat pasta, whole wheat rolls, brown rice, whole grain crackers, etc.)

more than once a day once a day 2-3 times a week less often

-Refined or processed grains

(white or French bread, white rolls, white rice, white flour, pasta, etc.)

more than once a day once a day 2-3 times a week less often

-How often do you eat raw vegetables?

more than once a day once a day 2-3 times a week less often

-Starchy Vegetables (Potatoes, yams, winter squash, etc.)

more than once a day once a day 2-3 times a week less often

-Fresh green leafy vegetables

(Lettuce, spinach, kale, collard, chard, parsley, mustard greens, beat greens, etc.)

more than once a day once a day 2-3 times a week less often

-Other fresh vegetables

(Carrots, celery, broccoli, cauliflower, cabbage, cucumber, tomato, etc.)

more than once a day once a day 2-3 times a week less often

-Sprouts

(Alfalfa, clover, mung, sunflower, buckwheat.)

more than once a day once a day 2-3 times a week less often

-Vegetable juices (Carrot, tomato, greens)

more than once a day once a day 2-3 times a week less often

-Fresh fruits

(Apple, orange, banana, grapes, melons, pears, plums, etc.)

more than once a day once a day 2-3 times a week less often

-Dried fruits

(Raisins, dates, figs, etc.)

more than once a day once a day 2-3 times a week less often

-Fruit juices

(Orange, grapefruit, apple, berry)

more than once a day once a day 2-3 times a week less often

-Seeds and Nuts

(Sunflower, sesame, almond, filbert, cashew, walnut, peanut, pecan, etc)

more than once a day once a day 2-3 times a week less often

-Meat of any kind

more than once a day once a day 2-3 times a week less often

-Fermented foods

(Miso, tamari, sauerkraut, pickled vegetables, buttermilk, yogurt, kefir)

more than once a day once a day 2-3 times a week less often

-Meals eaten out at restaurants

more than once a day once a day 2-3 times a week less often

-Meals eaten at "fast food" establishments

more than once a day once a day 2-3 times a week less often

-Pre-prepared, Frozen or TV-type dinners

more than once a day once a day 2-3 times a week less often

-Fried or sautéed foods

more than once a day once a day 2-3 times a week less often

-Soft drinks (Coke, sprite, 7up, etc.)

more than once a day once a day 2-3 times a week less often

-Sweets

(Cookies, cake, pie, ice cream, candy, pastries, soft drinks, sugar cereals, etc.)

more than once a day once a day 2-3 times a week less often

How many teaspoons of sugar daily do you add to foods/beverages? _____

Coffee: Caffeinated/decaf; how many cups a day? _____

Alcoholic beverages

What kind and how many per day or week? _____

Water: Tap, filtered, spring, distilled, well/artesian; how many glasses a day _____

Other fluids not listed above _____

How many glasses a day? _____

Do you salt your food? (heavily, moderately, or not at all) _____

Do you eat highly salted foods like chips, etc.? _____

How many artificially sweetened beverages do you consume? (daily, weekly) _____

How much artificial sweetener do you add to your food/beverages daily? _____

Are you generally relaxed when you eat? _____

What is your appetite like at breakfast time? _____

At lunch time? _____

At dinner time? _____

When does your body/digestive system seem most ready for your main meal of the day?

What foods or type of meals seem to make you feel or function best?

What foods or beverages do you crave? _____

What kind of cooking or salad oil do you use? _____

Do you use margarine or butter? _____ How much? _____

LIFESTYLE

How much sleep do you normally get? _____ Do you awaken rested and refreshed _____

How much time every day do you spend indoors? _____ Outdoors? _____

How much physical exercise do you get, what kind, and do you feel it is sufficient?

Do you smoke? _____ How much? _____ For how long have you smoked _____

Do you have any interest in quitting? _____

Do you ever fast? _____ For how long, how often, and what kind? _____

Do you meditate or do a skilled relaxation exercise? _____ how often? _____

GASTROINTESTINAL

Does food generally “sit” well in your stomach and digest without any difficulty? _____

How often do you have a bowel movement? _____

Do your bowel movements feel complete? _____

Are your bowel movements generally formed or loose? _____

Do you need to strain to have a bowel movement? _____

Do you have hemorrhoids or any other rectal or bowel problems? _____

ENVIRONMENTAL

What is the age of your current domicile? _____

Do you have a gas or electric kitchen range? _____

What kind of heat do you have? (gas, electric, oil, wood?) _____

Any recent remodeling, painting, staining, refinishing, particle board cabinets, or flooring, new carpets, glues, in the home or office? _____

Any hobbies, activities, work, or locations that expose you to fumes, exhausts, combustion products, cigarette smoke, bad air, marker pens, solvents, paints, bug spray, etc. _____

Do you seem to react adversely to any of these exposures? _____

Any placement of dental metals (fillings, crowns, implants, bridges, etc.) or root canals within 3-6 months before the onset of your symptoms? _____

MORE MEDICAL HISTORY

Please list any present illnesses/conditions not listed above:

Has your weight ever been a difficult issue for you? _____ Weight change in the last six months: _____ / in the last year: _____ Current weight _____

List any drugs or medications you are taking (or have recently taken), include diet pills, birth control, aspirin, sleeping pills, anti-inflammatory pills, etc _____

List any vitamins or food supplements you are taking (amount in milligrams if you know) _____

List any allergies or adverse reactions to inhalants, foods, medicines, perfumes, etc.

Please list all surgeries, hospitalizations, and approximate dates if you can remember:

Please list any past illnesses/conditions not listed above and approximate dates (including; thyroid problems, parasites, worms, travelers diarrhea, mono, hepatitis, chronic fatigue syndrome, ulcers, gastritis, chronic or difficult yeast problems, or any other significant condition.)

Please list any significant injuries with approximate dates (especially head, neck and back trauma):

When was your last general medical exam? _____

When was your last blood test? _____ Stool test? _____ Urine test? _____

Are there any significant health problems in your family?

<u>Mother's side</u>	<u>Father's side</u>	<u>Siblings</u>
Mother _____	Father _____	_____
Aunts _____	Aunts _____	_____
Uncles _____	Uncles _____	_____
Grandmother _____	Grandmother _____	_____
Grandfather _____	Grandfather _____	_____

Current health status of those you live with (other than those listed above):

Children _____

Others _____

FEMALES

How regular are your menstrual periods? _____

Are they painful? _____ If so, please describe and include medications if applicable:

Any premenstrual or ovulatory symptoms? _____ How severe? _____

Date of your last period? _____

How long do your periods last? _____

Is there any spotting or bleeding between periods? _____

Total number of years you have ever been on birth control pills: _____

When were you last taking them? _____

When was your last pelvic/pap test? _____ Results? _____

Have you ever had an abnormal pap smear previous to that last one? _____

Have you ever had a mammogram? _____ Date: _____ Results: _____

How many full term pregnancies have you had? _____

SOCIAL/PERSONAL

How do you relax and how often? _____

How do you feel in your home or living situations? _____

How do you feel in your work situations? _____

What do you love to do and how often do you do these things? _____

Do you have any goals or ambitions you would like to share with me? _____

What emotions/feelings/thoughts do you commonly or repeatedly have? _____

Is there any other information about yourself that you would like to add which would help this evaluation?

SYMPTOM SURVEY

Instructions: Grade the symptoms which apply to you with a (1) for mild or occasional; (2) for moderate or more than occasional; or (3) for severe or frequent. Some symptoms are repeated in several groupings. Although it will be repetitive, grade your in every grouping they appear.
Leave blank if a symptom does not apply to you.

GROUP 1

If delayed or missed meals
__ shaky or faint feeling
__ fatigued or sleepy
__ headaches
__ depression
__ anxious/nervous
__ irritable or moody
__ foggy/fuzzy brain
__ can't work under pressure
__ heart palpitations
Unrelated to meals
__ insomnia
__ caffeine or sugar cravings
__ alcoholic or recovered alcoholic.

GROUP 4

__ fatigue, physical
__ fatigue, mental
__ reduced initiative
__ poor memory
__ depression
__ weight gain
__ difficulty losing weight
__ sensitive to cold
__ cold hands and feet
__ constipation
__ dry or course skin
__ menstrual cramps
__ too heavy or too light menstrual periods
__ premenstrual syndrome
__ recurrent or prolonged respiratory infections
__ impotence

__ depression
__ irritability/anxiety
__ hyperactivity
__ behavioral abnormalities
__ learning disability
__ bad memory/concentration
__ high blood pressure
__ fatigue

GROUP 2

__ fatigue
__ frequent infections
__ depression
__ headache
__ foggy headed
__ poor memory
__ hyperactivity/ learning disorder.
__ diarrhea or constipation?
__ gas/bloating
__ arthritis/joint pain
__ muscle pains
__ frequent urination
__ heart palpitations
__ sore throat
__ sinus trouble
__ dark circles under eyes
__ seizures
__ ringing in the ears
__ seizures
__ less interest in sex
__ hair loss
__ infertility
__ multiple miscarriages
__ slow pulse
__ water retention or edema
__ carpel tunnel syndrome
__ decreased sweating
__ headaches often upon arising, later wear off.
__ family member with low thyroid condition or who takes thyroid medication.
__ dizziness
__ high blood cholesterol

GROUP 3

__ persistent sinus problems
__ persistent throat irritations
__ gas or bloating
__ diarrhea or constipation
__ vaginal yeast infections
__ bladder infections
__ premenstrual syndrome
__ menstrual cramps
__ fatigue
__ recurrent colds, flus, etc.
__ arthritis or joint pains
__ muscle pains
__ headaches
__ depression
__ chemical intolerance: can't handle fumes, exhausts, perfumes, smoke, etc.
__ multiple food allergies
__ lots of antibiotic
__ more tan 2 years of birth control, past or now.
__ cortisone or prednisone use
__ chemotherapy
__ rash or itching, anywhere
__ fungal infections of the skin or nails.
__ asthma
__ coated tongue or thrush
__ intolerance to alcoholic beverages.
__ recurrent prostatitis

GROUP 5

__ poor intellectual or academic performance
__ abdominal pain
__ anemia
__ neuropathy/neuritis/
numbness/burning
__ tremor/twitches/seizures
__ heart palpitations

__ recurrent infections
__ miscarriages?stillbirths
__ weakness
__ headache
__ rash
__ recurrent infections

GROUP 7

fatigue
 depression
 bad memory/concentration
 nervous/irritable
 awoken tired, unrefreshed
 feel exhausted at night, but too wired to sleep
 any sleep disturbance
 slow recovery from any stress: a late night, physical workout, argument, etc.
 low or no reserve
 easily overwhelmed
 easy injuries, slow healing
 allergies: inhalants, foods, chemicals
 recurrent infections
 headaches
 low blood pressure
 lightheaded on standing up
 diminished perspiration
 low body temperature
 hypoglycemia
 history of extreme or prolonged stress
 history of trauma, prolonged pain or inflammation
 history of chronic infection
 premenstrual syndrome
 hair loss
 osteoporosis

GROUP 10

diarrhea
 constipation
 nausea
 poor appetite
 vomiting
 excessive gas
 bloating
 abnormally smelly stools
 bloody stools
 abdominal cramps or pain
 weight loss or difficulty gaining weight
 food allergies/intolerance
 asthma
 hives
 autoimmune disease
 irritable bowel
 difficulty overcoming yeast growth
 difficulty overcoming food allergies and intolerance

GROUP 8

fatigue
 weakness
 depression
 apathy/lethargy
 hyperactivity
 headache
 insomnia
 poor memory
 confusion
 difficulty making decisions
 dizziness
 tinnitus/ear ringing
 diarrhea/constipation
 bloating
 achy muscles or joints
 acne
 itching
 hives or other rashes
 frequent urination
 water retention
 allergies
 frequent infections

GROUP 11

diarrhea
 greasy or floating stools
 unsettled stomachs
 irritable bowel
 undigested food in stool
 weight loss or hard to gain
 hypoglycemia
 acne
 food intolerance

GROUP 10 CONTINUED....

history of foreign travel
 traveler's diarrhea
 drinking untreated water
camping, swimming, traveling
 history of parasites; treated or untreated
 unexplained fever
rheumatoid or other "immunological" arthritis
 low white blood cell count
 elevated eosinophil count
 household member or sex partner with parasite or bowel symptoms

FOR MEN

difficult urination
 excess dribbling

GROUP 9

heartburn or acid indigestion
 food just sits there in stomach
 get full too easily
 food feels heavy in stomach
 bloated after meals
 excessive gas
 constipations or IBS
 coated tongue
 bad breath
 stool abnormality, smelly
 weak, thin, cracked or peeling finger nails
 muscle cramps or spasms
 food allergies
 intestinal yeast
 osteoporosis
 hypoglycemia

FOR WOMEN *menstrual or premenstrual*

depression
 feeling fragile
 weight gain
 water retention
 headaches
 cravings: sugar, salt chocolate, etc.
 cystic breasts
 constipation or diarrhea
 uterine cramps
 irritable, moody
 bloating
 breast pain
 acne
 insomnia
 fatigue
 back pain
MENOPAUSAL
 hot flashes
 mood swings
 dry or irritated vagina
 sleep disturbance
 poor memory
 low libido
 difficulty concentrating
 osteoporosis
 headaches
 urinary frequency

FOR MEN CONTINUED....

frequent nighttime urination
 less desire for sex
 rectal, pubic or scrotal pain
 erection problems

OFFICE POLICY ON FEES, PAYMENT AND INSURANCE

Dr. Golan's initial comprehensive evaluation usually requires from one to two hours and his hourly rate is \$450.00. Follow up visits (usually 30 minutes) are \$225.00. For longer initial or follow up visits, there will be an additional charge prorated at Dr. Golan's hourly rate. (Please see our cancellation policy below.)

Any laboratory fees, vitamin injections, and nutritional supplements will be in addition to the visit fees.

We ask that your payment be made at the time of each visit (cash, check, Visa, Mastercard). We will provide you with a statement of services and payments which you may submit to your insurance carrier.

The fees for phone consultations will be based on time, prorated at Dr. Golan's hourly rate and handled at the time by credit card. The fee for any reports or paperwork done on your behalf by Dr. Golan will be based similarly.

Dr. Golan is not a participant with any managed care or HMO organizations and is not a participating provider with any insurance companies. Those companies which restrict coverage only to participating physicians will not likely reimburse you for any of Dr. Golan's services. Some insurance carriers, however, will cover services from non-participating physicians, but at a lower percentage rate. Check with your insurance carrier for coverage details. Insurance carriers without a restrictive physician list will reimburse Dr. Golan's services at their customary out of network rate.

REGARDING MEDICARE

Any services, laboratory costs or nutritional therapies for individuals whose primary insurance is Medicare will not be able to seek reimbursement whatsoever from Medicare. This office does not bill Medicare, nor can patients bill Medicare themselves. Medicare patients and Dr. Golan are, by law, required to sign a "Private Contract" which we will provide. If you have private primary insurance and Medicare is secondary, you may be able to seek reimbursement depending on your particular primary coverage (see above paragraph). Whether Medicare is primary or secondary, we ask that payment for all services be made at the time of each visit.

Our labs may be able to bill your insurance company directly for lab tests depending on the test in question. However, a \$20.00 blood draw fee would be incurred if applicable. We recommend that some tests be prepaid along with submitted samples and that you submit the charges to your insurance.

CANCELLATION POLICY

If you need to cancel a new patient appointment, please give us at least 48 hours or more notice so that we may be able to offer your time to someone else. If you have a new patient appointment on a Monday that you need to change or cancel, and as we are not in the office on Fridays, we would ask that you call before 5:00 pm on the Thursday before your Monday appointment. For follow up appointments, please give us at least 24 hours notice of cancellation. If you do not give us this adequate notice of cancellation, we reserve the right to bill you for Dr. Golan's lost time.