

# EarTechAudiology

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## CASE HISTORY QUESTIONNAIRE

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Ph# \_\_\_\_\_ DOB \_\_\_\_\_

Your age \_\_\_\_\_ Referring Physician \_\_\_\_\_

The following questions refer to your feeling of dizziness. Please answer them "yes or no" and fill in all blanks.  
**PLEASE REMEMBER TO BRING THIS COMPLETED FORM BACK ON THE DAY OF YOUR TEST!**

1. Please describe, in your own words, the sensation you feel without using the word "dizzy". \_\_\_\_\_  
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2. **Do you ever have any of the following sensations:**

Spinning in circles?	YES	NO
Falling to one side?	YES	NO
World spinning around you?	YES	NO

3. **The following refer to a typical dizzy spell:**

Do the dizzy spells come in attacks?	YES	NO
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**How often?** \_\_\_\_\_

**How long?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date of first spell?** \_\_\_\_\_

Are you free from dizziness between attacks?	YES	NO
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Does your hearing change with an attack?	YES	NO
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Are you more dizzy in certain positions?	YES	NO
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Which positions? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you nauseated during an attack?	YES	NO
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Are you dizzy even when lying down?	YES	NO
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Had a recent cold or flu preceding recent dizzy spells?	YES	NO
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Fullness, pressure, or ringing in your ears?	YES	NO
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Pain or discharge in your ear or recent onset?	YES	NO
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Trouble walking in the dark?	YES	NO
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Are you better if you sit or lie perfectly still?	YES	NO
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4. **The following refer to other sensations you may have:**

Do you black out or faint when you are dizzy?	YES	NO
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Are you dizzy or unsteady constantly?	YES	NO
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Do you have severe or recurrent headaches?	YES	NO
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Any double or blurry vision?	YES	NO
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Numbness in your face or extremities?	YES	NO
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Weakness or clumsiness in arms, legs?	YES	NO
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Slurred or difficult speech?	YES	NO
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Difficulty swallowing?	YES	NO
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Tingling around your mouth?	YES	NO
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Spots before your eyes?	YES	NO
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Jerking of arms and legs?	YES	NO
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Head injury with loss of consciousness?	YES	NO
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Confusion or memory loss?	YES	NO
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5. **The following refer to your hearing:**

Difficulty hearing in one ear?	L ___ R ___	YES	NO
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Ringing in one ear?	L ___ R ___	YES	NO
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Fullness in one ear?	L ___ R ___	YES	NO
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Change in hearing when dizzy?	L ___ R ___	YES	NO
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How? \_\_\_\_\_

Exposure to loud noises?	YES	NO
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Previous ear infection?		<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>
Previous ear surgery?		<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>
What? _____			
Family history of deafness?		<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>
Pain in ears?	L ___ R ___	<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>
Discharge from ears?	L ___ R ___	<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>
Hearing changing?	L ___ R ___	<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>
Better?	L ___ R ___	<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>
Worse?	L ___ R ___	<b>YES</b>	<b>NO</b>

6. **The following refer to habits and lifestyle:**

Is there added stress in your life recently?

**Is your dizziness related to:**

Moments of stress?

Menstrual period?

Overwork or exertion?

Do you feel lightheaded or have a swimming sensation when you are dizzy?

Do you find yourself breathing faster or deeper when excited or dizzy?

Did you recently change eyeglasses?

Do you drink coffee? How much? \_\_\_\_\_ **YES** **NO**

Do you drink tea? How much? \_\_\_\_\_ **YES** **NO**

Do you drink soft drinks? How much? \_\_\_\_\_ **YES** **NO**

Do you drink alcohol? How much? \_\_\_\_\_ **YES** **NO**

Do you smoke? What & how much? \_\_\_\_\_ **YES** **NO**

7. **Medical history:** Please list your current medical problems and length of illness. \_\_\_\_\_

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8. **Surgery:** Please list all surgery performed and approximate dates. \_\_\_\_\_

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9. **Medicines:** Please list all medicines you currently take (including pain medicines, nonprescription medicines, nerve pill, sleeping and/or birth control pills). \_\_\_\_\_

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10. What studies have been done previously (ex: hearing, radiographs, head scans)? \_\_\_\_\_

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11. **Miscellaneous:**

Are you allergic to any medicines? What? \_\_\_\_\_ **YES** **NO**

Are you allergic to anything? What? \_\_\_\_\_ **YES** **NO**

Ever had weakness or faintness a few hours after eating? **YES** **NO**

Are you dizzy mainly when you sit or stand up quickly? **YES** **NO**

High blood pressure? **YES** **NO**

Low blood pressure? **YES** **NO**

Diabetes? **YES** **NO**

Low blood sugar? **YES** **NO**

Thyroid disease? **YES** **NO**

Asthma? **YES** **NO**

12. Do you have anything else to tell us about your particular problem that we haven't asked you on this questionnaire? \_\_\_\_\_

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Patient Signature

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Date