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ADULT CASE HISTORY

Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____ Date: _____
 Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
 Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____
 SSN: _____ Occupation: _____ Spouse: _____
 Physician: _____ Clinic address, if known: _____
 E-mail Address: _____
 How did you hear about us? _____

**** All contact information, including e-mail address, will be used strictly for issues related to today's visit and any necessary future contact. It will not be disclosed to outside sources beyond the scope of our patient privacy policy. Your initials: _____**

What is your goal for today's appointment?? _____
Insurance: _____

- Ear, Hearing & Noise Exposure History -

(Please circle appropriate answer and provide more information where necessary.)

Known Hearing Loss? Yes No
Right Left Both
How long? _____
Gradual? Sudden? Fluctuating?

Past Ear Surgery? Yes No
Right Left Both
Describe: _____

Recent Ear Pain? Yes No
Right Left Both
Describe: _____

Recent Ear Drainage? Yes No
Right Left Both
Describe: _____

Full/plugged sensation? Yes No
Right Left Both
How long? _____

Tinnitus (ringing/other noises in ears)? Yes No
*If yes, please answer more questions on reverse.

Dizziness/Balance problems? Yes No
Does the room spin? Yes No
How long have you had problem? _____
How frequently does it occur? _____
Duration of an episode? _____

Family History of Hearing Loss? Yes No
Who? _____

Have you ever worked in noise? Yes No
Military? Yes No
Describe: _____

Noisy Hobbies:
Firearm use? Yes No
Loud music/concerts? Yes No
Other: _____

(Please circle if you have or have had any of the following)

Allergies
Cancer
Cerebral Palsy
Diabetes
Head Injury
Heart Attack
High Blood Pressure

HIV/AIDS
Kidney Disease
Meningitis
Multiple Sclerosis
Mumps
Stroke
Other communicable disease

Other Significant Health Issues: _____
Medications: _____

**** PLEASE TURN OVER ****

HEARING LOSS ASSESSMENT

Hearing Handicap Inventory

Yes Sometimes No

1. Does your hearing problem cause you to feel embarrassed?
2. Does your hearing problem cause you to feel frustrated when talking to family?
3. Do you have difficulty hearing when someone speaks in a whisper?
4. Do you believe your hearing problem has affected work or similar situations?
5. Does your hearing problem cause you difficulty when visiting friends or family?
6. Does your hearing problem cause you to avoid large group situations?
7. Does your hearing problem cause you to have arguments with friends or family?
8. Does your hearing problem cause you difficulty when listening to TV or radio?
9. Does your hearing problem hamper your personal or social life?
10. Does your hearing problem cause you difficulty when in a noisy situation like a restaurant or party?

Please list four specific goals for improving your hearing:

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

If you have worn hearing aids before, please answer the following:

HEARING AID HISTORY

How long have you worn hearing aids? _____

Where did you purchase them? _____

Were they purchased through Private Insurance, Self-Pay, or Medicaid? _____

How satisfied are you with your hearing aid(s) in the following situations?

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|--|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| At home, one-on-one conversations | <input type="checkbox"/> Good | <input type="checkbox"/> OK | <input type="checkbox"/> Poor |
| In background noise (i.e. restaurants) | <input type="checkbox"/> Good | <input type="checkbox"/> OK | <input type="checkbox"/> Poor |
| On the Telephone | <input type="checkbox"/> Good | <input type="checkbox"/> OK | <input type="checkbox"/> Poor |
| On a cellular telephone | <input type="checkbox"/> Good | <input type="checkbox"/> OK | <input type="checkbox"/> Poor |
| Riding in the car | <input type="checkbox"/> Good | <input type="checkbox"/> OK | <input type="checkbox"/> Poor |
| At Work | <input type="checkbox"/> Good | <input type="checkbox"/> OK | <input type="checkbox"/> Poor |
| Television | <input type="checkbox"/> Good | <input type="checkbox"/> OK | <input type="checkbox"/> Poor |
| In a large room | <input type="checkbox"/> Good | <input type="checkbox"/> OK | <input type="checkbox"/> Poor |

Are you here to replace your hearing aids if something better is available? Yes Maybe No

If you answered "yes" that you have tinnitus (ringing or other sounds in your ears), please answer the following:

TINNITUS ASSESSMENT

Description of your tinnitus

What does it sound like?

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|----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ringing | <input type="checkbox"/> Roaring | <input type="checkbox"/> Rushing |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hissing | <input type="checkbox"/> Pulsating | <input type="checkbox"/> Warbling |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Musical | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ | |

How often do you hear it?:

- | | | |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Rarely | <input type="checkbox"/> Occasionally | <input type="checkbox"/> Constantly |
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Duration:

- | | | |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Rare | <input type="checkbox"/> Occasional | <input type="checkbox"/> Constant |
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Loudness:

- | | | |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Very Loud | <input type="checkbox"/> Loud | <input type="checkbox"/> Present |
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How Does Your Tinnitus Affect You?

- | | | |
|-----------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Make you irritable or nervous? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Make you tired or stressed? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Affect your sleep habits? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Make it difficult to relax? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Make it difficult to concentrate? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Interfere with your work? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Interfere with social activities? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Make you depressed? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Affected you otherwise? | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |

Describe: _____