

REVISEDOSWESTRYDISABILITYINDEXQUESTIONNAIRE

LAST NAME: FIRST NAME:	MI: Date:
Please select one answer for each question:	
Section1-PainIntensity	Section6-Standing(Remember, standing is NOT walking.):
O The pain comes and goes and is very mild.	O I can stand as long as I want without pain.
O The pain is mild and does not very much.	O I have some pain while standing, but it does not increase with time.
O The pain comes and goes and is moderate.	O I cannot stand for longer than 1 hour without increasing pain.
O The pain is moderate and does not very much.	O I cannot stand for longer than ½ hour without increasing pain.
O The pain comes and goes and is severe.	O I cannot stand for longer than 10 minutes without increasing pain.
O The pain is severe and does not very much.	O I avoid standing, because it increases the pain straight away.
Section2PersonalCare(Washing, Dressing, etc.)	Section7Sleeping
O I would not have to change my way of washing or dressing in order to avoid pain.	O I get no pain in bed.
O I do not normally change my way of washing or dressing even though it causes some pain.	O I get pain in bed, but it does not prevent me from sleeping well.
O Washing and dressing increases the pain, but I manage not to change my way of doing it.	O Because of pain, my normal night's sleep is reduced by less than one quarter.
O Washing and dressing increases the pain and I find it necessary to change my way of doing it.	O Because of pain, my normal night's sleep is reduced by less than one half.
O Because of the pain, I am unable to do some washing and dressing without help.	O Because of pain, my normal night's sleep is reduced by less than one three-quarter.
O Because of the pain, I am unable to do any washing or dressing without help.	O Pain prevents me from sleeping at all.
Section3-Lifting	Section8-SocialLife
O I can lift heavy weights without extra pain.	O My social life is normal and gives me no pain.
O I can lift heavy weights but it gives extra pain.	O My social life is normal but increases the degree of pain.
O Pain prevents me from lifting heavy weights off the floor.	O Pain has no significant effect on my social life apart from
	limiting my more energetic interests, e.g. dancing,etc.
O Pain prevents me from lifting heavy weights off the floor, but I can manage if they are conveniently positioned, for example on a table.	O Pain has restricted my social life and I do not go out as often.
O Pain prevents me from lifting heavy weights, but I can manage light to medium weights if they are conveniently positioned.	O Pain has restricted my social life to my home.
O I can only lift very light weights, at the most.	O I have hardly any social life because of pain.
Section4-Walking	Section9-Traveling
O Pain does not prevent me from walking any distance.	O I get no pain while traveling.
O Pain prevents me from walking more than one mile.	O I get some pain while traveling, but none of my usual forms of travel make it any worse.
O Pain prevents me from walking more than ½ mile.	O I get extra pain while traveling, but it does not compel me to seek alternative forms of travel.
O Pain prevents me from walking more than ¼ mile.	O I get extra pain while traveling which compels me to seek Alternative forms of travel.
O I can only walk using a cane or crutches.	O Pain restricts me for all forms of travel.
O I am in bed most of the time and have to crawl to the toilet.	O Pain prevents all forms of travel except if lying down.
Section5-Sitting("Favorite chair" includes a recliner):	Section10-ChangingDegreeofPain
O I can sit in any chair as long as I like without pain.	O My pain is rapidly getting better.
O I can only sit in my favorite chair as long as I like. O Pain prevents me from sitting more than one hour.	O My pain fluctuates but overall is definitely getting better. O My pain seems to be getting better but improvement is slow at the present.
O Pain provents me from sitting more than 1/ hour	at the present.
O Pain prevents me from sitting more than ½ hour. O Pain prevents me from sitting more than 10 minutes.	O My pain is neither getting better nor worse. O My pain is gradually worsening.
O Pain prevents me from sitting more than 10 minutes.	O My pain is gradually worsening.