

# Healthy Eating and Living Assessment

## Parent Questionnaire

Child's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Complete Section 1 and 2 if you are a new patient, if you have never filled out this assessment before, or if there have been any changes in Section 1 or 2.

Section 1: Prenatal and birth history: *Please circle all that apply to your child.*

1. Birth weight \_\_\_\_\_
2. Diabetes during pregnancy in the mother? Yes    No
3. Mother overweight at the beginning of pregnancy? Yes    No
4. Mother with more than 35 pounds of weight gain during pregnancy? Yes    No
5. Exposure to tobacco smoke during pregnancy? Yes    No
6. LGA (large for gestational age) or SGA (small for gestational age) at birth?  
LGA      SGA      Neither      Don't know

Section 2: Family and past medical history: *Please check all that apply to either your child or to your family (siblings, parents or grandparents).*

- |                                                                    | <u>Section 2 A</u>                                  | <u>Section 2 B</u>                |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| • Overweight or obese?                                             | <input type="checkbox"/> Family member (list) _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> My child |
| • High blood pressure?                                             | <input type="checkbox"/> Family member (list) _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> My child |
| • High cholesterol?                                                | <input type="checkbox"/> Family member (list) _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> My child |
| • Type 2 diabetes?                                                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Family member (list) _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> My child |
| • Heart disease or stroke in anyone<br>40 years of age or younger? | <input type="checkbox"/> Family member (list) _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> My child |

Section 3: Lifestyle, Eating and Health Behaviors: *Please circle all that apply to your child.*

1. Breast or bottle fed as an infant? Breast      Bottle      Both
2. Introduced to solid foods (baby food, cereal) before  
4 months of age? Yes      No
3. Eats breakfast daily? Yes      No
4. Servings of fruits and vegetables each day? Less than 5      5 or more
5. Drinks sweetened beverages (soda, sweet tea, sports drinks,  
fruit juices, Kool-aid, sweetened coffee)? None      1-2/week      Every day
6. Eats "second helpings" of food? Rarely      Often      Always
7. Portion sizes larger than the size of his or her own fist? Rarely      Often      Always
8. Eats candy, cookies, snack cakes, chips or desserts? Rarely      Often      Every day
9. Fast food restaurants? Almost never      Once/week      Several/week
10. Other dining out? Almost never      Once/week      Several/week
11. Family meals together at the dinner table? Rarely      Often      Always

12. Total hours per day spent watching TV, or playing the computer, I-pad or video games? (Do not count computer time doing homework.)
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|------------------------|----------------|----------------------|
| <b>Less than 2 hrs</b> | <b>2-4 hrs</b> | <b>5 or more hrs</b> |
|------------------------|----------------|----------------------|
13. Have a TV in his or her room? **Yes**      **No**
14. Eats in front of the TV or while playing computer/video games? **Yes**      **No**
15. Time spent each day in physical activity including outside play, exercise or sports?
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|---------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|
| <b>1 hr or more</b> | <b>30 minutes</b> | <b>&lt;30 minutes</b> |
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16. What kind of physical activity does your child do? \_\_\_\_\_

17. What does your child eat for breakfast? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

18. What does your child eat for lunch? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

19. Does your child take his or her lunch to school, or buy it? **Take lunch**      **Buy lunch**

20. What are common foods that your child eats for dinner? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

21. Have you or anyone else (family, friends, teacher, doctor, etc.) ever been concerned that your child is overweight? **Yes**      **No**

***If you answered "yes" to #21, please complete the following questions:***

- On a scale of 1 to 10, with 1 being least concerned, and 10 being most concerned, how concerned are you about your child's weight today?

<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>
<b>Not at all</b>			<b>Somewhat</b>				<b>Very</b>		

- On a scale of 1 to 10, with 1 being least ready, and 10 being most ready, how ready are you to make changes in your child and family's eating and activity behaviors?

<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>
<b>Not at all</b>			<b>Somewhat</b>				<b>Very</b>		

22. ***Please check below any of the specific lifestyle changes that you would like to discuss with your nurse or doctor today:***

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|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Learning to eat less at mealtime                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Improving my child's meals            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Understanding my child's cues of hunger and fullness | <input type="checkbox"/> Goals and ideas for dining out        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Increasing fruits and vegetables                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Changing what my child drinks         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Eating breakfast every day                           | <input type="checkbox"/> Goals for TV, video or computer games |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Improving my child's snacks                          | <input type="checkbox"/> Helping my child be more active       |