

The Spine &
Scoliosis Center

at
Carolina
Orthopaedic
Specialists

Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

BACK QUIZ

PLEASE FILL OUT THE PAIN DRAWING. MARK THE AREAS OF THE BODY CORRESPONDING WITH WHERE YOU FEEL THE PAIN.

USE THE FOLLOWING SYMBOLS TO DISTINGUISH BETWEEN THE DIFFERENT TYPES OF PAIN.

NUMBNESS: _____

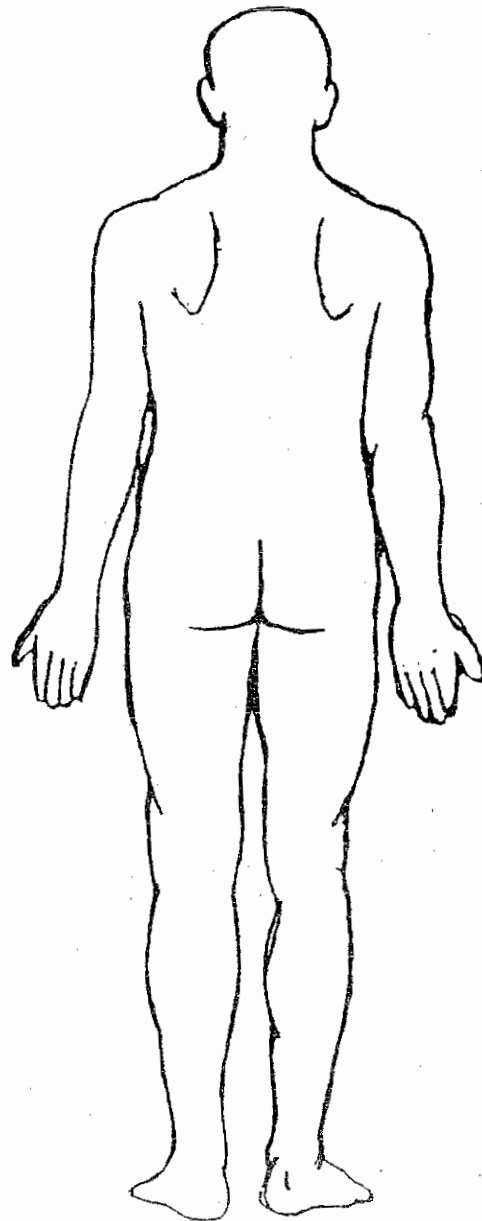
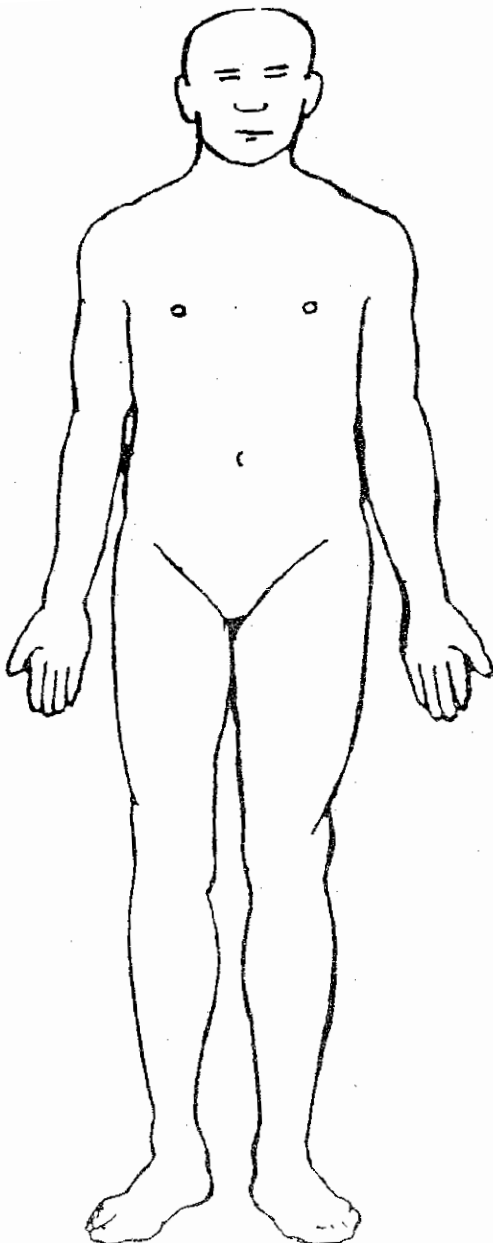
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ACHING: ++++++

PINS AND NEEDLES: O O O O O O O

STABBING: //////////////

OTHER: * * * * * * * * *



Low Back Pain and Leg Pain Database

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Name: _____ Date _____

Age _____ Who referred you to our practice? _____

My main expectation(s) of today's visit is / are:

(Please rank 1st, 2nd, etc. if more than one)

Get a better understanding of what's wrong

Start a new treatment plan

Get reassurance that I'm ok

Establish a relationship with a new doctor

Schedule surgery

Get a 2nd opinion

Also: _____

Please fill in the blanks or circle all that apply

1. Where is the **main** pain you are here about located?

Lower Back

Both

L or R leg

2. About how long ago did it start?

_____ days / weeks / months ago.

3. How did it start?

No clear injury

Hurt on the job Where do you work: _____

Motor vehicle accident

Other injury _____

4. My **back** pain is constant / comes and goes.

5. My **leg** pain is constant / comes and goes.

6. My **back** hurts the **most** when I . . .

walk / sit / bend / twist / stand

7. My **leg(s)** hurts the **most** when I . . .

walk / sit / bend / twist / stand

- 8. I get the **best relief** when I . . .
sit / lay / stand / take medicine / never
- 9. My pain is made **worse** with coughing / sneezing yes / no
- 10. Lately I've had repeated episodes of fever / night sweats
- 11. In the past 6 months, my weight has gone up / down _____ lbs.
- 12. Since my pain began I've had difficulty controlling urine / bowels
- 13. I've been treated with . . .
Tylenol / anti-inflammatory / arthritis med
pain med / muscle relaxants / prednisone / steroids
physical therapy / chiropractic / massage therapy / acupuncture
epidural injections / other injections
surgery (list dates and doctors) _____

- 14. Medicines I'm currently taking for pain _____
- 15. How long have you been out of work because of your pain? _____
- 16. If you have an injury, who is your attorney? _____
- 17. I've had the following tests . . .
MRI / CT Scan / myelogram / nerve test (emg / ncv) / discogram
Where _____

- 18. A great deal of what happens to me is probably just a matter of chance.
1 strongly disagree 2 disagree 3 agree 4 strongly agree
- 19. Everyone knows that luck or chance determines one's future.
1 strongly disagree 2 disagree 3 agree 4 strongly agree
- 20. When I make plans, I am almost certain that I can make them work.
1 strongly disagree 2 disagree 3 agree 4 strongly agree
- 21. I am confident of being able to deal successfully with future problems.
1 strongly disagree 2 disagree 3 agree 4 strongly agree

- 22. Sometimes I feel my case is hopeless true / false
- 23. Things that have dissatisfied me with my care up to this point include . . .

