

**AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY  
CANCER PREVENTION STUDY II  
QUESTIONNAIRE FOR WOMEN**



Division No.	Unit No.	Group No.
Researcher No.	Family No.	Person No.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

- Name: \_\_\_\_\_
- Date of birth: Month \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_
- How old are you now? \_\_\_\_\_
- Current weight with indoor clothing: \_\_\_\_\_ lbs.
- Weight 1 year ago: \_\_\_\_\_ lbs.
- Height (without shoes): \_\_\_\_\_ ft. \_\_\_\_\_ in.
- White  Black  Hispanic  
 Oriental  Other \_\_\_\_\_ (specify)
- Marital status:  
 Single  Separated  Widowed  
 Married  Divorced
- If ever married, age at first marriage: \_\_\_\_\_
- Number of times married: \_\_\_\_\_
- Social Security No.: \_\_\_\_\_ (optional)

**FAMILY HISTORY (IN RELATION TO CANCER):**

1. Fill in the following table as completely as possible for parents, brothers and sisters.

LIST ONE BLOOD RELATIVE PER LINE: (Circle Brother or Sister)	IS THIS PERSON? (Circle One)	IF ALIVE, GIVE AGE	IF DEAD, GIVE AGE AT DEATH	DID THIS PERSON EVER HAVE CANCER? (Circle One)	IF "YES," SPECIFY TYPE OF CANCER	AT WHAT AGE?
Father	Alive Dead			Yes No		
Mother	Alive Dead			Yes No		
Brother or Sister	Alive Dead			Yes No		
Brother or Sister	Alive Dead			Yes No		
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Brother or Sister	Alive Dead			Yes No		

2. When you were born, a) How old was your mother? \_\_\_\_\_ b) How old was your father? \_\_\_\_\_

**HISTORY OF DISEASES:**

- Have you ever had cancer?  Yes  No. If "yes,"  
a) What type? \_\_\_\_\_  
b) Date of first treatment: \_\_\_\_\_
- Place a check-mark by the following diseases or conditions for which you have ever been diagnosed by a doctor:
 

<input type="checkbox"/> High Blood Pressure	<input type="checkbox"/> Hay Fever
<input type="checkbox"/> Heart Disease	<input type="checkbox"/> Asthma
<input type="checkbox"/> Stroke	<input type="checkbox"/> Stomach Ulcer
<input type="checkbox"/> Diabetes	<input type="checkbox"/> Duodenal Ulcer
<input type="checkbox"/> Gall Stones	<input type="checkbox"/> Diverticulosis
<input type="checkbox"/> Chronic Indigestion	<input type="checkbox"/> Rectal Polyps
<input type="checkbox"/> Kidney Disease	<input type="checkbox"/> Colon Polyps
<input type="checkbox"/> Kidney Stones	<input type="checkbox"/> Thyroid Condition
<input type="checkbox"/> Bladder Disease	<input type="checkbox"/> Arthritis
<input type="checkbox"/> Cirrhosis of the Liver	<input type="checkbox"/> Breast Cysts
<input type="checkbox"/> Tuberculosis	<input type="checkbox"/> Gynecological Problems
<input type="checkbox"/> Chronic Bronchitis	<input type="checkbox"/> Hepatitis
<input type="checkbox"/> Emphysema	<input type="checkbox"/> Any other serious disease (specify) _____
- Have you ever had an operation?  Yes  No  
If "yes," specify type and date(s) of operation(s):  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
- How many x-ray or fluoroscopic examinations (GI series, barium enema, etc.) have you ever had of:
 

	6 or		6 or
	0 1-5 More		0 1-5 More
Stomach	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	Chest	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
Intestine	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	Breast	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
Back	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	Head/Neck	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
- Have you ever been treated with radium, x-rays, or radioactive isotopes?  Yes  No  
If "yes," when? \_\_\_\_\_  
For what disease? \_\_\_\_\_  
What part of your body? \_\_\_\_\_
- How many times have you had colds or flu in the past twelve months? \_\_\_\_\_

**CURRENT PHYSICAL CONDITION:**

- How much exercise do you get (work or play)?  
 None  Slight  Moderate  Heavy
- On the average, how many hours do you sleep each night? \_\_\_\_\_
- On the average, how many times a month do you have insomnia? \_\_\_\_\_  None
- Within the last twelve months, have you noticed:
  - A lump or thickening in your breast?  
 Yes  No
  - An unusual discharge from your breast?  
 Yes  No
- Do you notice pains in your legs when you walk which go away when you rest?  Yes  No  
 If "yes," how many years have you had these pains? \_\_\_\_\_
- Are you sick at the present time?  Yes  No  
 If "yes," with what disease or condition? \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

**MENSTRUAL AND REPRODUCTIVE HISTORY:**

- How old were you when menstruation began? \_\_\_\_\_
- What is your current menopausal status?  
 Still regularly menstruating  
 In menopause  Past menopause
- During your menstrual history:
  - Are (were) your periods:  Regular  Irregular
  - What is (was) the usual number of days of flow? \_\_\_\_\_
- If past menopause:**
  - Was your menopause:  Natural  Artificial
  - Age when periods stopped completely? \_\_\_\_\_
  - Did you have excessive bleeding during menopause?  Yes  No
- Have you ever had or tried to have children?  
 Yes  No  
 If "no," skip to question 9.
- Have you ever had difficulty becoming pregnant?  
 Yes  No  
 If "yes," what was the reason? \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_
- How many times have you been pregnant? \_\_\_\_\_
  - Your age at your first pregnancy? \_\_\_\_\_
  - Your age at your first live birth? \_\_\_\_\_
  - Number of children born alive? \_\_\_\_\_
  - Number of stillbirths (carried 5 months or more)? \_\_\_\_\_
  - Number of miscarriages (carried less than 5 months)? \_\_\_\_\_
- Were you ever given DES (Diethylstilbestrol) to prevent miscarriage?  Yes  No  
 If "yes,"
  - At what age did you take it? \_\_\_\_\_
  - For how many months did you take it? \_\_\_\_\_

9. Birth control methods: Indicate your age when **first used** and number of years of use.

Method Used	Age	Years
Rhythm		
Diaphragm		
Cream/Foam/Jelly		
Tubal Ligation		
Intrauterine Device (IUD)		
Condom (partner)		
Vasectomy (partner)		
NONE OF THE ABOVE <input type="checkbox"/>		

- Have you **ever** taken oral contraceptives (birth control pills)?  Yes  No  
 If "no," skip to question 11.
  - Age when you first took them? \_\_\_\_\_
  - How many years did you take them? \_\_\_\_\_
  - What brand(s) do (did) you take? \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_
  - If you stopped taking them, what was the reason? \_\_\_\_\_
  - Did you have irregular or painful periods when you stopped?  Yes  No
- Have you **ever** used female hormones (estrogens) other than oral contraceptives?  Yes  No
  - Why do (did) you take estrogens?  
 Menopausal symptoms  Hysterectomy  
 Bone problems  Cancer  
 Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
  - Age first took estrogens? \_\_\_\_\_
  - For how many years did you take them? \_\_\_\_\_
  - How did you take them?  Injection  Cream  
 Pill (brand): \_\_\_\_\_

**HABITS:**

- Whether or not you smoke**, on the average, how many **hours a day** are you exposed to cigarette smoke of others:  
 At home \_\_\_\_\_, At work \_\_\_\_\_, In other areas \_\_\_\_\_.
- Do you now or have you ever smoked cigarettes, at least one a day for one year's time?  Yes  No

Smoking History	Current Smokers	Ex-Smokers
Number smoked a day		
Age began smoking		
Age quit smoking		
Most recent (last) brand		
Years smoked <b>this brand</b>		
Total years smoked <b>filtered</b> cigarettes		
Total years smoked <b>non-filtered</b> cigarettes		
Total years of smoking (filtered + non-filtered)		

3. Current and ex-smokers:

- a) Do (did) you inhale?  No, never  
 Slightly  Moderately  Deeply
- b) Fill in the following information for:  
 1) The **first** brand smoked regularly; and  
 2) The brand of cigarette smoked for the **longest** period of time.

Brand Name	Size	Filter		Menthol		Number Per Day	Years
		Yes	No	Yes	No		
1.							
2.							

**DIET:**

1. On the average, how many days per week do you eat the following foods? (If less than once a week, but at least twice a month, write 1/2.)

Beef _____	Raw vegetables _____
Pork _____	Carrots _____
Chicken _____	Squash/Corn _____
Liver _____	Citrus fruits/Juices _____
Ham _____	Spaghetti/Macaroni/
Fish _____	White rice _____
Smoked meats _____	White bread/Rolls/
Frankfurters/	Biscuits _____
Sausage _____	Brown rice/Whole
Butter _____	wheat/Barley _____
Margarine _____	Bran/Corn muffins _____
Cheese _____	Potatoes _____
Eggs _____	Oatmeal/Shredded
Green leafy	wheat/Bran
vegetables _____	cereals _____
Tomatoes _____	Cold (Dry) cereals _____
Cabbage/Broccoli/	Ice cream _____
Brussels sprouts _____	Chocolate _____

2. How many days a week do you eat the following **fried** foods?

Fried eggs _____	Fried hamburgers
Fried bacon _____	or beef _____
Fried chicken/fish _____	Other fried foods _____
French fries _____	

DO NOT EAT FRIED FOODS

3. Do you eat a vegetarian diet?  Yes  No  
 If "yes," what type and for how many years? \_\_\_\_\_

4. Has there been a major change in your diet in the last 10 years?  Yes  No  
 If "yes," what was the change? \_\_\_\_\_

5. a) Do you now or have you ever added artificial sweeteners (saccharin or cyclamates) to coffee, tea, or other drinks or food?  
 Yes, currently  Formerly  Never

- b) If **ever** used artificial sweeteners, indicate amount per day and for how long.

Packets: No. per day _____	Years _____
Drops: No. per day _____	Years _____
Tablets: No. per day _____	Years _____

6. Do you get your drinking water from:  City supply  
 Private well  Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_
7. Do you add any substances to soften your drinking water?  Yes  No
8. How many cups, glasses, or drinks of these beverages do you usually drink a day, and for how many years? (If you no longer drink a listed beverage, or your pattern has changed in the last ten years, indicate previous and current amounts. If less than once a day, but at least three times a week, write 1/2).

Beverages	Currently		Previously	
	Amount	Years	Amount	Years
Whole milk (not skim milk)				
Caffeinated coffee				
Decaffeinated coffee				
Tea				
Diet soda or diet iced tea				
Non-diet colas				
Other non-diet soft drinks				
Beer				
Wine				
Hard liquor				

**MEDICATIONS AND VITAMINS:**

1. How many times in the last month have you used the following and how long have you used them? (If none, write 0; if used only occasionally, write 1/2.)

Medications and Vitamins	Times	Years
Aspirin, Bufferin, Anacin		
Tylenol		
Vitamin A		
Vitamin C		
Vitamin E		
Multi-Vitamins		
Blood Pressure pills		
Diuretics (water pills)		
Thyroid medications		
Heart medications		
Anti-Acid medications		
Valium		
Librium		
Prescription sleeping pills		
Tagamet (for ulcers)		
Other: _____		

## OCCUPATIONS:

1. What is your current occupation and what are your duties? \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ How many years: \_\_\_\_\_
2. If retired, what was your last occupation? \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Year retired: \_\_\_\_\_
3. What other job have you held for the longest period of time? \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ How many years: \_\_\_\_\_
4. What time of day do you start working? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Do you work rotating shifts?  Yes  No
5. How many hours a week do you work on:  
 paid jobs \_\_\_\_\_, volunteer work \_\_\_\_\_,  
 housework \_\_\_\_\_
6. In your work or daily life, are (were) you **regularly** exposed to any of the following? If "yes," indicate the number of years exposed.

Exposure to:	Check One		Number of Years
	Yes	No	
Asbestos			
Chemicals/Acids/Solvents			
Coal or Stone Dusts			
Coal Tar/Pitch/Asphalt			
Diesel Engine Exhaust			
Dyes			
Formaldehyde			
Gasoline Exhaust			
Pesticides/Herbicides			
Textile Fibers/Dusts			
Wood Dust			
X-rays/Radioactive Materials			

## REMARKS:

## MISCELLANEOUS:

1. Where were you born? \_\_\_\_\_  
city state/country
2. Where were your parents born?  
 Father: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mother: \_\_\_\_\_
3. Religion:  Protestant  Catholic  Jewish  
 LDS  Other \_\_\_\_\_  None  
 If Protestant, what denomination? \_\_\_\_\_
4. Education:  
 8th Grade or Less  Some College  
 Some High School  College Graduate  
 High School Graduate  Graduate School  
 Vocational/Trade School
5. How many years have you lived in your present neighborhood? \_\_\_\_\_
6. How many friends or relatives do you feel close to? \_\_\_\_\_
7. How many times a month do you:  
 a) Go to church or temple? \_\_\_\_\_  
 b) Attend club meetings? \_\_\_\_\_  
 c) Participate in group activities? \_\_\_\_\_
8. What is the most upsetting event that happened to you in about the last five years? \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  None
9. How many people do you take care of in your household? (Include yourself) \_\_\_\_\_
10. Do you now or have you ever used a **permanent** hair dye?  Yes  No  
 If "yes,"  
 a) What brand? \_\_\_\_\_  
 b) What color? \_\_\_\_\_  
 c) How often applied? \_\_\_\_\_  
 d) How many years have you used it? \_\_\_\_\_
11. Do you now or have you ever used mouthwash?  Yes  No  
 If "yes,"  
 a) What brand? \_\_\_\_\_  
 b) How many times a week is it used? \_\_\_\_\_  
 c) For how many years have you used it? \_\_\_\_\_