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VEIN PATIENT HEALTH HISTORY FORM

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Sex  M  F Age \_\_\_\_\_ What type of work do you do? \_\_\_\_\_

PATIENT HISTORY

Please answer the following questions, trying not to leave any blank spaces.

- 1. For what reason are you seeking treatment for your veins?  Medical  Cosmetic
2. What is the main complaint for which you are seeking care?
3. How long has this been a problem?
4. Aggravated by?

Do you experience any of the following symptoms in your legs? Please check yes or no.

- Aching or Pain
Heaviness
Tiredness or Fatigue
Itching or Burning
Swollen Ankles
Leg Cramps
Restless Legs
Throbbing
Leg Ulcers: Clots, Dark Pigmentation, Bleeding
Other

Explain

- Have your veins gotten worse in recent months?
Do you elevate your legs to relieve discomfort?
Do you wear support hose prescribed by a doctor?

If yes, what type?

- Do you wear light support hose (sheer)?
Do they provide relief?
Do you have any problems walking?

If yes, how does it affect you?

- Do you stand much at work?
Do you stand much at home?
Have you ever had your veins evaluated before?

If yes, when & where?

- Have you had any tests done on your veins before?

Patient's Initials

**MEDICAL HISTORY**

Have you ever been in the hospital as a patient? .....  Yes  No

If yes, for what reason? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever had surgery? .....  Yes  No

If yes, please circle and explain.

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|-------------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|
| Heart Bypass      | Valve          | Pace Maker     | Defibrillator |
| Artificial Joints | Prosthetics    | Spinal Surgery | Discs         |
| Arterial Bypass   | Carotid Artery | Aneurysm       | Gall Bladder  |
| Appendix          | Colon          | Stomach        | Hernia        |
| Hysterectomy      | Tubal Ligation | Ovaries        | Other         |

Explain \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever had vein stripping surgery? .....  Yes  No

If yes, when, where and which leg? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever had vein injections? .....  Yes  No

If yes, when, where and which leg? \_\_\_\_\_

Did you ever have a major injury to your leg or thigh? .....  Yes  No

If yes, which leg, what injury and when? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you presently under the care of a physician? .....  Yes  No

If yes, for what illness? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have any of the following?

- Heart Disease .....  Yes  No
- Lung Disease (Asthma/Emphysema) .....  Yes  No
- High Blood Pressure .....  Yes  No
- Hepatitis or Liver Cirrhosis .....  Yes  No
- Arthritis .....  Yes  No
- Kidney Problems .....  Yes  No
- Seizures .....  Yes  No
- Stroke .....  Yes  No
- Cancer .....  Yes  No
- Leg Ulcers .....  Yes  No
- Diabetes Mellitus .....  Yes  No
- Blood Clotting Disease .....  Yes  No

Have you ever had a blood clot? .....  Yes  No

If yes, which leg and when? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever had phlebitis? .....  Yes  No

If yes, which leg and when? \_\_\_\_\_

**CHILD BEARING HISTORY**

Do you think you are presently pregnant? .....  Yes  No

How many children do you have? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you intend to have any more children? .....  Yes  No

Are you presently breast feeding? .....  Yes  No

Does your vein problem get worse around menstruation time? ...  Yes  No

Patient's Initials

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**FAMILY HISTORY**

Does any member of your family suffer from varicose veins, spider veins, leg ulcers or swollen legs? . . . .  Yes  No

If yes, who and what ailment? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you know of any other diseases in your family history? . . . .  Yes  No

If yes, who and what disease? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you know of any common causes of death in your family history? . . . .  Yes  No

If yes, please circle and explain.

Cancer                      Heart Disease                      Stroke                      Blood Clots

Other \_\_\_\_\_

**MEDICAL ALLERGIES**

Are you presently taking any medication, including prescriptions and/or non-prescription (over-the-counter) medicines, pain relievers, vitamins, etc.? . .  Yes  No

If yes, please list them. \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Do you take any blood thinning medications (Coumadin, Plavix, etc.)? . . . .  Yes  No

If yes, please list them \_\_\_\_\_

Do you take aspirin (Ascripting, Ecotrin, etc.)? . . . .  Yes  No

Do you take hormones or birth control pills? . . . .  Yes  No

Do you have any allergies to medicine, pollen, etc.? . . . .  Yes  No

If yes, please list allergy and reaction \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Are you allergic to any foods (shrimp, shellfish, iodine, IVP dye)? . . . .  Yes  No

Are you allergic to latex (rubber gloves, balloons, elastic bandages, etc.)? . . . .  Yes  No

**HABITS**

Do you drink coffee? . . . .  Yes  No

If yes, how many cups per day? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you smoke or chew tobacco? . . . .  Yes  No

If yes, how many packs per day? \_\_\_\_\_ For how many years? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you intend to quit? . . . .  Yes  No

Do you drink alcohol? . . . .  Yes  No

If yes, how often (daily, weekly, occasionally)? \_\_\_\_\_

Patient's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Physician's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_