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Headache Patient Questionnaire

1. How often do you get headaches bad enough to interfere with your daily activities & how long do they last?
2. How often do you get milder headaches and how long do they last?
3. How old were you when you **first recall** having any kind of headache?
4. Has there been a **significant change** in your headaches recently?
5. How often do you **miss work or social activities** due to headaches?
6. How **often** do you take headache **relievers or pain pills**?
7. Are your headaches sometimes accompanied by (circle all that apply):
 - a. Nausea
 - b. Vomiting
 - c. Sensitivity to light
 - d. Sensitivity to sound
 - e. Sensitivity to odor
6. Are your headaches sometimes associated with (circle all that apply):
 - a. Seeing zig-zag lines
 - b. Having a blind spot
 - c. Losing vision to one side
 - d. Sensation of room spinning
 - e. Things look too big or too small
 - f. You pass out or come close to it
 - g. You go numb on one side
 - h. You get weak on one side
7. Is your headache pain sometimes (circle all that apply):
 - a. Made worse with movement/activity
 - b. One-sided
 - c. Pounding
 - d. Stabbing
 - e. Throbbing
 - f. Pressure

8. Do you have any of the following with your headaches?
- c. Ringing ears
 - e. Neck pain
 - f. Tender scalp
11. Have you noticed any **mental status changes**? (circle all that apply):
- a. Confusion
 - b. Disorientation
 - c. Sudden forgetfulness
 - d. Easily agitated
12. Have you had any **walking problems** or clumsiness?
- a. Yes
 - b. No
13. Are your headaches **accompanied by**? (circle all that apply):
- a. Nasal stuffiness
 - b. Redness of eye(s)
 - c. Drooping eyelid(s)
 - d. Easily agitated
14. Is your headache onset after **strenuous physical exercise or sex**?
- a. Yes
 - b. No
15. Are your headaches **produced** (not just worsened) by **straining**, such as with a bowel movement?
- a. Yes
 - b. No
16. Have your headaches had a recent **change in pattern**?
- a. Yes
 - b. No
17. Have your headaches **worsened** over the past 4 weeks **despite medications** that previously worked?
- a. Yes
 - b. No
18. Do your headaches occur with a **sudden onset**?
- a. Yes
 - b. No
19. Do you have a history **of brain swelling** (Pseudotumor Cerebri or other)?
- a. Yes
 - b. No
20. Do you have a history of **head trauma** within the past year?
- a. Yes
 - b. No
21. Do your headaches **frequently awaken** you at night?
- a. Yes
 - b. No