



# BEALS INSTITUTE, P.C.

ARTHRITIS, OSTEOPOROSIS AND AUTOIMMUNE DISEASES

## HOW DOES YOUR CONDITION AFFECT YOUR ABILITY TO ENGAGE IN EVERYDAY ACTIVITIES?

Fill out this simple form to assess how your condition may be affecting your daily life, and share the answers with your Rheumatologist. He or She may find the information useful when evaluating your condition and discussing treatment options.

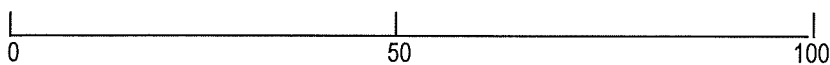
Patient Name:	DOB:	Date:
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Please check the response that best describes  
Your usual abilities over the past week:

	Without ANY Difficulty (0)	With SOME difficulty (1)	With MUCH difficulty (2)	Unable to do (3)	<b>OFFICE USE Highest Score</b>
<b>DRESSING &amp; GROOMING- Are you able to:</b> Dress yourself, including shoelaces and buttons? Shampoo your hair?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>ARISING – Are you able to:</b> Stand up from a straight chair? Get in and out of bed?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>EATING – Are you able to:</b> Cut your meat? Lift and full cup or glass to your mouth? Open a new milk carton?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>WALKING – Are you able to:</b> Walk outdoors on flat ground? Climb up five (5) steps?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>HYGIENE – Are you able to:</b> Wash and dry your body? Get on and off the toilet?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>REACH – Are you able to:</b> Reach and get a 5-pound object (bag of sugar) from above your head? Bend down and pick up clothing from the floor?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>GRIP – Are you able to:</b> Open car doors? Open previously opened jars? Turn faucets on and off?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>ACTIVITIES – Are you able to:</b> Run errands and shop? Get in and out of the car? Do chores like vacuuming and yardwork?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

**How much pain have you had because of your condition in the past week:**

(Place a single vertical mark ( | ) on the line to indicate the severity of pain)



Pain Score

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**TOTAL**

Number of  
Answered groups

Total HAQ  
Disability  
Index score

Does your pain medication help control your pain?  YES  NO

After taking your pain medication, does your pain level change?  YES  NO