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Sexual Health Inventory for Men (SHIM)

Patient Name: Today's Date:

Patient Instructions:

Sexual health is an important part of an individual's overall physical and emotional well-being. Erectile dysfunction, also known as impotence, is one type of very common medical condition affecting sexual health. Fortunately, there are many different treatment options for erectile dysfunction this questionnaire is designed to help you and Dr. Hogan identify if you may be experiencing erectile dysfunction. If you are, you may choose to discuss treatment options with Dr. Hogan.

Each question has several possible responses. Circle the number of the response that **best describes** your own situation. Please be sure that you select one and only one response for each question.

Over the Past 6 Months:

1. How do you rate your confidence that you could get and keep an erection?					
	Very Low	Low	Moderate	High	Very High
	1	2	3	4	5
2. When you have erections with sexual stimulation, how often were your erections hard enough for					
penetration (entering your partner)?					
No Sexual	Almost Never or	A few Times	Sometimes	Most Times (Mush	Almost Always or
Activity	Never	(Much Less Than	(About Half the	More Than, Half	Always
		Half the Time)	Time)	the Time)	
0	1	2	3	4	5
3. During sexual intercourse, how often were you able to maintain your erection after you had penetrated					
(entered)) your partner?				
Did Not	Almost Never or	A few Times	Sometimes	Most Times (Mush	Almost Always or
Attempt	Never	(Much Less Than	(About Half the	More Than, Half	Always
Intercourse		Half the Time)	Time)	the Time)	
0	1	2	3	4	5
4. During sexual intercourse, how difficult was it to maintain your erection to completion of intercourse?					
Did Not	Extremely	Very Difficult	Difficult	Slightly Difficult	Not Difficult
Attempt	Difficult				
Intercourse					
0	1	2	3	4	5
5. When you attempted sexual intercourse, how often was it satisfactory for you?					
Did Not	Almost Never or	A few Times	Sometimes	Most Times (Mush	Almost Always or
Attempt	Never	(Much Less Than	(About Half the	More Than, Half	Always
Intercourse		Half the Time)	Time)	the Time)	
0	1	2	3	4	5

Add the numbers corresponding to questions 1-5.

Total: _____

The Sexual Health Inventory of Men further classifies ED severity with the following breakpoints:

1-7 Severe ED

8-11 Moderate ED

12-16 Mild to Moderate ED

17-21 Mild ED

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