Review of Systems (ROS) Assessment Guide
NAME: DOB:
Height/Weight: ☐ recent weight changes
Allergies: ☐ environmental ☐ food ☐ medication What happens when exposed?
Skin, Hair, Nails: □ rashes □ lesions □ wounds □ ulcers □ tumors □ masses □ bruises/ecchymoses □ change in moles □ itching □ acne □ diaper rash □ burns □ temperature changes □ hair growth/loss
Eyes: □ glasses □ contacts □ pain □ excessive tearing □ itching/pruritis □ discharge □ swelling □ double vision □ blurred vision □ intolerance to light □ history of eye infections, cataracts, or glaucoma □ strabismus □ blindness
Ears: ☐ hearing impairments ☐ use of aids ☐ ear pain ☐ ringing/tinnitus ☐ wax/cerumen ☐ history of ear infections ☐ vertigo
Nose, Sinuses, Mouth, Throat: □ nose bleeds □ sinus infections □ sore throat □ tonsillitis □ voice changes □ hoarseness □ difficulty chewing or swallowing □ sores in mouth □ dentures □ cleft lip/palate □ dental history □ change in smell/taste □ mouth breathing/snoring
Neck: ☐ enlarged lymph nodes ☐ pain ☐ stiffness ☐ limited ROM
Breasts: □ lumps, masses □ thickening □ pain □ discomfort □ nipple discharge □ lesions □ rashes □ sores □ history of breast disease □ surgery □ breast self-exam Date and result of last mammogram:
Respiratory: ☐ shortness of breath/dyspnea ☐ cough ☐ sputum production ☐ bloody sputum (hemoptysis) ☐ wheezing ☐ history of COPD, tuberculosis, or lung cancer ☐ asthma ☐ use of home oxygen/equipment ☐ smoking/chewing tobacco history ☐ cystic fibrosis ☐ pneumonia ☐ bronchitis ☐ choking episodes ☐ apnea/sleep apnea
Heart: □ chest pain/angina □ palpitations, shortness of breath/dyspnea □ shortness of breath when lying down or at night □ fainting □ pacemaker □ history of murmurs/defects □ history of MI, CHF, hypertension, or rheumatic heart disease □ use of prophylactic antibiotics
Peripheral Vascular: ☐ swelling ☐ edema ☐ leg pain with walking ☐ numbness ☐ tingling ☐ changes in skin color ☐ history of phlebitis ☐ varicose veins ☐ hypertension

Gastrointestinal: □ normal bowel habits (frequency, color, amt, consistency) □ recent changes in bowel habits

□ abdominal distention □ heartburn □ indigestion □ loose stool □ diarrhea □ constipation □ bloody stools

□ nausea or vomiting (spitting up) □ hemoptysis □ belching □ flatulence □ abdominal pain

□ ostomies □ ulcers □ cirrhosis □ gallbladder history □ jaundice □ liver problems □ hernia

Urinary: □ loss of control □ difficulty starting stream □ pain □ burning/dysuria □ hematuria

Male Genitalia/Reproductive: □ sores □ lesions □ lumps □ masses □ discharge □ scrotal swelling

☐ use of therapies (laxatives, stool softeners, diet, suppositories, enemas, other)

☐ frequency ☐ urgency ☐ oliguria ☐ polyuria ☐ nocturia ☐ urinary tract infection ☐ benign prostate hyperplasia ☐ kidney disease ☐ pediatrics: history of toilet training:

☐ TSE ☐ cancer ☐ congenital anomalies ☐ infertility ☐ contraception ☐ STDs

Female Genitalia/Reproductive: □ breast lesions □ lumps □ masses □ fibroids □ discharge □ menstrual history: age of first menstrual cycle: □ last menstrual cycle: □ last menstrual cycle: □ cancer □ infertility □ contraception □ STD □ pap smear results: □ pap smear results: □ cancer □ infertility □ contraception □ STD
Hematolymphatic: □ bleeding problems □ bruises/ecchymoses □ petechiae □ lymph node swelling □ excessive fatigue □ blood transfusions □ cancer □ HIV □ healing problems □ hemophilia □ blood disorders: anemia, hyperlipidemia, high cholesterol
Endocrine: □ unexplained weight changes □ changes in hair, heat/cold intolerances □ polyuria □ polydipsia □ polyphagia □ thyroid history □ diabetes mellitus history □ adrenal disorders
Musculoskeletal: ☐ muscles (cramping, spasm, pain) ☐ joints (pain, swelling, redness, deformity, grating/crepitation, arthritis) ☐ scoliosis ☐ hip dislocation ☐ club foot ☐ gait ☐ special equipment (cane, walker, wheelchair) ☐ fractures, sprains, amputations, webbing ☐ current motor development (gross motor skills):
Neurological: ☐ fainting/syncope ☐ dizziness/vertigo ☐ balance difficulties/ataxia ☐ tics, tremors, spasms, muscle weakness/paresis ☐ paralysis ☐ memory problems ☐ hallucinations ☐ phobias ☐ disorientation ☐ headaches ☐ strokes ☐ seizures ☐ epilepsy ☐ difficulties with speech or speaking ☐ cerebral palsy ☐ muscular dystrophy
Mental Status: ☐ emotional illness or difficulty with thinking ☐ memory problems ☐ history of psychiatric illness such as anxiety, depression, schizophrenia