

LATEX ALLERGY ASSESSMENT

Do you have a latex allergy? Y or N

Have you ever had an anaphylactic reaction to a latex product? Y or N

Explain yes answers _____

A latex allergy can develop at anytime. This reaction may worsen with repeated exposure. This is why you need to contact Employee / Occupational Health if you feel you are reactive to latex product.

Symptoms of latex allergy include: skin rashes, hives, tingling, difficulty breathing, abdominal cramping, watery eyes, itching, swelling of the hands, light headedness, rapid heart rate, runny nose, facial swelling, wheezing, nausea, chest pain and or tightness.

Have you had any of these symptoms when exposed to or handling the following latex items? **Please circle those that apply to you.** *Hospital gloves, iv tubing, syringes, O2 tubing, NG tubes, ambu gabs, tape, balloons, poinsettia plants, hot water bottles, rubber bands, belts, bras, suspenders, condoms, ACE bandages, ostomy bags, latex products, rubber products, problems during dental exams or repairs.*

Please describe symptoms you experienced.

Do you have a history of any of the following? **Please circle those that apply to you.** *Contact dermatitis, dry cracked skin on your hands, dry sensitive skin, asthma, hay fever, eczema, auto-immune disease, numerous surgeries, spina bifida.*

Are you allergic to any of the following foods? **Please circle those that apply to you.** *Bananas, avocados, potatoes, kiwi, chestnuts, peaches, papayas, other*

Associate Signature _____ Date _____

Reviewing Nurses Signature _____ Date _____