HSS Quick Disabilities of the Arm, Shoulder and Hand Score

Name:	Date:
Date of birth :	

Fill in the appropriate square completely. \blacksquare **DO NOT** use a \checkmark or X

PLEASE RATE YOUR ABILITY TO DO THE FOLLOWING ACTIVITIES IN THE LAST WEEK BY INDICATING THE APPROPRIATE RESPONSE.				
1. Open a tight or new	w jar.			
□No difficulty	☐ Mild difficulty	□ Moderate difficulty	□Severe difficulty	□Unable
2. Do heavy househo	old chores (e.g., was	sh walls, floors).		
□No difficulty	☐ Mild difficulty	□ Moderate difficulty	□Severe difficulty	□Unable
3. Carry a shopping I	oag or briefcase.			
□No difficulty	☐ Mild difficulty	□ Moderate difficulty	□Severe difficulty	□Unable
4. Wash your back.				
□No difficulty	☐ Mild difficulty	□ Moderate difficulty	□Severe difficulty	Unable
5. Use a knife to cut	food.			
□No difficulty	☐ Mild difficulty	□ Moderate difficulty	□Severe difficulty	□Unable
6. Recreational activities in which you take some force or impact through your arm, shoulder or hand (e.g., golf,				
hammering, tenni	s, etc.).			
□No difficulty	☐ Mild difficulty	□ Moderate difficulty	□Severe difficulty	□Unable
7. During the past week, to what extent has your arm, shoulder or hand problem interfered with your normal social				
activities with family, friends, neighbours or groups?				
□Not at all	□Slightly	Moderately	□Quite a bit	□Extremely
8. During the past week, were you limited in your work or other regular daily activities as a result of your arm, shoulder				
or hand problem?				
□Not limited at al	I 🗖 Slightly limited	Moderately limited	Very limited	□Unable

PLEASE RATE THE SEVERITY OF THE FOLLOWING SYMPTOMS IN THE LAST WEEK.				
9. Arm, shoulder or hand pain.				
□None	Mild	□Moderate	Severe	□Extreme
10. Tingling (pins and needles) in your arm, shoulder or hand.				
□None	Mild	□Moderate	Severe	□Extreme
11. During the past week, how much difficulty have you had sleeping because of the pain in your arm, shoulder or hand?				
□No difficulty	☐ Mild difficulty	□ Moderate difficulty	□Severe difficulty	\square So much difficulty that I can't sleep

WORK MODULE (OPTIONAL)				
The following questions ask about the impact of your arm, shoulder or hand problem on your ability to work (including homemaking if that is your main work role).				
Do you work?				
🗖 I work 🗖 I	do not work. (You r	nay skip this section)		
Please indicate wh	at your job/work i	s:		
Please indicate the choice that best describes your physical ability in the past week. Did you have any difficulty:				
1. using your usual technique for your work?				
□No difficulty	☐Mild difficulty	□ Moderate difficulty	□Severe difficulty	□Unable
2. doing your usual work because of arm, shoulder or hand pain?				
□No difficulty	□ Mild difficulty	□ Moderate difficulty	□Severe difficulty	□Unable
3. doing your work as well as you would like?				
□No difficulty	□ Mild difficulty	□ Moderate difficulty	□Severe difficulty	□Unable
4. spending your usual amount of time doing your work?				
□No difficulty	□ Mild difficulty	□ Moderate difficulty	□Severe difficulty	□ Unable

SPORTS/PERFORMING ARTS MODULE (OPTIONAL)				
The following questions relate to the impact of your arm, shoulder or hand problem on playing your musical instrument or sport or both. If you play more than one sport or instrument (or play both), please answer with respect to that activity which is most important to you.				
Do you play a sport o	or an instrument?			
□I do play a sport or a	an instrument 🛛 🛛	do not play a sport or an i	nstrument. (You may	skip this section)
Please indicate the sport or instrument which is most important to you:				
Please indicate the choice that best describes your physical ability in the past week. Did you have any difficulty:				
1. Using your usual technique for playing your instrument or sport?				
□No difficulty	☐ Mild difficulty	□ Moderate difficulty	□Severe difficulty	□Unable
2. Playing your musical instrument or sport because of arm, shoulder or hand pain?				
□No difficulty	☐ Mild difficulty	☐ Moderate difficulty	□Severe difficulty	□Unable
3. Playing your musical instrument or sport as well as you would like?				
□No difficulty	☐ Mild difficulty	□ Moderate difficulty	□Severe difficulty	□Unable
4. Spending your usual amount of time practicing or playing your instrument or sport?				
□No difficulty	□ Mild difficulty	□ Moderate difficulty	□Severe difficulty	□Unable