



# Duke University Hospital

DUKE UNIVERSITY HEALTH SYSTEM

## NUTRITION SCREENING QUESTIONS

Addressograph

Name  
History number (inpatient)  
Birthdate (clinics and PDC)

You are kindly being asked to provide this information to help us determine whether a nutritional consult is needed. Please be aware that you may request to see a dietitian at any time during your treatment, as they will gladly be available to help. Thank you.

### Patient to complete:

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Time \_\_\_\_\_

Reason for visit \_\_\_\_\_ Current height \_\_\_\_\_ Current weight \_\_\_\_\_

1. Have you lost more than 15 pounds over the past 6 months?  YES  NO
2. Have you experienced a rapid weight gain?  YES  NO
3. Are you receiving tube feeds?  YES  NO
4. Are you having the following problems which have caused you to eat less than normal over the past 2 weeks?
  - Nausea  YES  NO
  - Vomiting  YES  NO
  - Diarrhea  YES  NO
  - Constipation  YES  NO
  - Mouth sores  YES  NO
  - Poor appetite  YES  NO
  - Difficulty swallowing foods or beverages?  YES  NO

### (Scoring area) Nursing to fill out

#### Scoring

- Question 1: yes (3 points)
- Question 2: yes (1 point)
- Question 3 yes (3 points)
- Question 4: each yes (1 point)

**Total number of points:** \_\_\_\_\_

*If total score = 3 (or greater), a nutrition consult is indicated*

Patient has declined nutritional consult at this time

Staff Member completing tool; please sign below

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Pager #: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Time: \_\_\_\_\_



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