



# PERINATAL DIET QUESTIONNAIRE



Participant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

Pregnancy Due Date: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

1. How are you feeling about this pregnancy? \_\_\_\_\_

2. When was your first prenatal visit for this pregnancy? \_\_\_\_\_

3. What was your weight before you became pregnant? \_\_\_\_\_

4. How much weight have you been advised to gain? \_\_\_\_\_

5. Have you ever had, or do you now have, a health or medical condition such as asthma, diabetes, depression, epilepsy, etc.?

No

Yes\* If yes, please describe: \_\_\_\_\_

6. Do you take any of the following? (check all that apply)

Prenatal Vitamin

Children's Vitamin

Multi-vitamin

Iron

Herbs or herbal remedies

Medication: \_\_\_\_\_

None of these

7. What are your thoughts about breastfeeding?

Good idea, I plan to exclusively breastfeed my baby

Not sure, I would like more information

I plan to both breastfeed and formula feed my baby

I plan to feed my baby formula

8. Do you ever drink wine, beer or liquor?

No

Yes\* date of last alcoholic drink \_\_\_\_\_

I would like to quit\*

9. What best describes your smoking history?

Never smoked

Smoked, but I quit on \_\_\_\_\_ (month and year)

Currently smoke: \_\_\_\_\_ (# of cigarettes per day)\*

I would like to quit\*

10. Does anyone else living in your household smoke inside the home?

No

Yes\*

11. Since you have been pregnant, have you taken any other drug(s) such as meth, crack, cocaine or marijuana?

No

Yes\*

I would like to quit\*

12. Have you seen a dentist during this pregnancy?

Yes

No, I would like to find a dentist\*

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13. Do you have a cavity to be filled or tooth to be pulled?

- No
- Yes\*

14. Check any of the following that you are experiencing:

- Feeling sick to my stomach
- Throwing up
- Heartburn
- Constipation
- Food cravings
- Diarrhea
- Eating all the time
- No appetite
- Cravings for non-food items\*
- None of the above

15. Are you following a prescribed special diet, weight control diet, vegan or macrobiotic way of eating?

- No
- Yes\* If yes, please describe: \_\_\_\_\_

16. How many times a day do you usually eat? \_\_\_\_\_ # meals per day \_\_\_\_\_ # snacks per day

17. How would you describe your appetite?     Good     Fair     Poor

18. Do you ever drink raw/un-pasteurized milk or juice?

- No
- Yes\*

19. Do you eat fish more than 2 times a week?

- No
- Yes\*

20. Do you eat soft cheeses, such as feta, or raw cheeses?

- No
- Yes\*

21. Which group of foods below do you find most challenging to eat enough of?

- Milk, yogurt, cheese
- Fruits
- Bread, cereal, rice, pasta
- Protein foods like: meat, fish, eggs, beans
- Vegetables
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

22. How would you describe your daily activity? (check one)

- Very active (cardio, weights, Yoga, Pilates)
- Somewhat active (easy walking, light housework)
- Moderately active (brisk walking, biking, hiking)
- Not active (sit most of the day)

Comments: (Explain starred responses and note if the client has been referred to a Registered Dietitian, or other nutrition referral, or an outside agency)

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Participant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Staff Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_