

CYSTIC FIBROSIS READINESS TO 'GRADUATE' TO ADULT CF CLINIC QUESTIONNAIRE

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This questionnaire should be administered to a CF youth before their actual transfer to the adult CF clinic. It may be administered at their final pediatric clinic appt. with a copy given to the adult CF clinic, and/or in a patient's 17th year (as a means of evaluating what further transition work still needs to be done).

1.	I am comfortable meeting with health care providers on my own?	Yes	No Í	Somewhat (
2.	I am able to answer basic questions about CF, if asked (eg. by an employer or friend)	YesÍ	NoΪ	Somewhat
3.	I can tell you which germs (if any) usually grow in my lungs?	Yes 1	No Î	Somewhat
4.	I can provide basic information about my health history (eg. how often I come to CF clinic; how often I am admitted to hospital, and for what main reason)?	YesÍ	NoÎ	Somewhat 1
5.	I am able to ask questions of clinic staff, and seek information about my health condition and/or treatment options?	YesÍ	No Î	Somewhat
6.	I know the names & proper dosages of all of my medications?	Yes 1	No Î	Somewhat Í
7.	I am able to discuss CF with a friend?	Yes Í	No Î	Somewhat
8.	I have a basic understanding of how to fill a prescription?	Yes 1	No Î	Somewhat ¹

I understand why tests are done at clinic (eg. pulmonary function tests; sputum specimen)?	YesÎ	NoÎ	Somewhat
10.1 understand how CF may affect my ability to have children?	YesÍ	No Î	Somewhat 1
11.1 know about my options for birth control, or where to access this information?	Yes Î	NoÎ	Somewhat ⁽
12.1 have set goals for when I finish high school?	Yes 1	No Î	Somewhat
13.1 understand how CF might affect my choice of careers?	Yes 1	No Î	Somewhat 1
14.1 have thought about future medical insurance benefits?	Yes 1	No Î	Somewhat 1
15.1 am fully independent in my physio.?	Yes「	NoÎ	Somewhatí
16.1 can plan a healthy CF meal?	Yes「	Noĺ	Somewhatí
17.1 know which adult CF clinic I will attend, and when this transfer will happen?	YesÍ	No ^ĵ	Somewhat ¹
Date questionnaire completed:			
Age of youth: years			
Date/Expected Date of Final pediatric clinic	appoint	ment: _	