For healthcare professionals Input example Input your most typical daily schedule by referring to the input example. 0:00 18:00 6:00 12:00 Usual Other times



## Is there anything troubling you about the medicine that you are taking right now?

Medicine comes in different shapes, sizes, and intake methods.

Consult with your physician about what medicine will be most suited to your lifestyle.



I need to take a large quantity at one time



It is hard for me to take medicine twice a day



I have difficulty because I need to have a meal before taking medicine



I'm worried about its effects with other medicines or foods

The medicine is large and I have difficulty swallowing it

- Which medicine to prescribe is determined comprehensively, not just by looking at the patient's lifestyle, but also by the condition of the patient and whether there is ongoing treatment for other illnesses, etc.
- Even if the medicine is changed in order to reduce side effects or to improve
  ease of intake, it does not mean that you will have fewer choices of medicines
  as long as the change is made in accordance with the procedures designated
  by the physician (if the new medicine does not agree with you, you can also go
  back to what you took before).
- Medicines are advancing every year. New medicines may now be available that better suit your needs.

## Ask if there are any medicines that are better suited to you

It is important to choose a medicine that suits you in order to be able to take it on a continuous basis.

Inform the following to your physician, pharmacist, and nurse:

- Issues that you are troubled by with regard to the medicine that you are taking now
- Your daily routine and lifestyle
- All of the medicine that you have been prescribed at other medical institutions (show your medical record handbook)

## About your lifestyle overall

1	My daily routine is irregular.	Yes	No
2	I feel a lot of stress from work, household chores, school, etc.	Yes	No
3	I drink alcohol regularly (3 days a week or more).	Yes	No
4	Recently I have had trouble sleeping, or I wake up in the middle of the night.	Yes	No
5	Recently, I haven't had much of an appetite.	Yes	No
6	Recently, I gained or lost weight.	Yes	No
7	Recently, I eat more than before.	Yes	No
8	I know I need to exercise more.	Yes	No

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