

Pelvic Floor Disability Index (PFDI-20)

Please answer all of the questions in the following survey. These questions will ask you if you have certain bowel, bladder, or pelvic symptoms and, if you do, **how much they bother you**. Answer these by circling the appropriate number. While answering these questions, please consider your symptoms over the last 3 months. The PFDI-20 has 20 items and 3 scales of your symptoms. All items use the following format with a response scale from 0 to 4.

Symptom scale: 0 = not present 1= not at all 2 = somewhat 3 = moderately 4 = quite a bit

Pelvic Organ prolapse Distress Inventory 6 (POPDI-6) Do You...	NO	YES
Usually experience pressure in the lower abdomen?	0	1 2 3 4
Usually experience heaviness or dullness in the pelvic area?	0	1 2 3 4
Usually have a bulge or something falling out that you can see or feel in your vaginal area?	0	1 2 3 4
Ever have to push on the vagina or around the rectum to have or complete a bowel movement?	0	1 2 3 4
Usually experience a feeling of incomplete bladder emptying?	0	1 2 3 4
Ever have to push up on a bulge in the vaginal area with your fingers to start or complete urination?	0	1 2 3 4

Colorectal-Anal distress Inventory 8 (CRAD-8) Do You...	NO	YES
Feel you need to strain too hard to have a bowel movement?	0	1 2 3 4
Feel you have not completely emptied your bowels at the end of a bowel movement?	0	1 2 3 4
Usually lose stool beyond your control if your stool is well formed?	0	1 2 3 4
Usually lose stool beyond your control if your stool is loose?	0	1 2 3 4
Usually lose gas from the rectum beyond your control?	0	1 2 3 4
Usually have pain when you pass your stool?	0	1 2 3 4
Experience a strong sense of urgency and have to rush to the bathroom to have a bowel movement?	0	1 2 3 4
Does part of your bowel ever pass through the rectum and bulge outside during or after a bowel movement?	0	1 2 3 4

Urinary distress Inventory 6 (UDI-6) Do You...	NO	YES
Usually experience frequent urination?	0	1 2 3 4
Usually experience urine leakage associated with a feeling of urgency, that is, a strong sensation of needing to go to the bathroom?	0	1 2 3 4
Usually experience urine leakage related to coughing, sneezing or laughing?	0	1 2 3 4
Usually experience small amounts of urine leakage (that is, drops)?	0	1 2 3 4
Usually experience difficulty emptying your bladder?	0	1 2 3 4
Usually experience pain or discomfort in the lower abdomen or genital region?	0	1 2 3 4

Scoring the PFDI-20

Scale Scores: Obtain the mean value of all of the answered items within the corresponding scale (possible value 0 to 4) and then multiply by 25 to obtain the scale score (range 0 to 100). Missing items are dealt with by using the mean from answered items only.

PFSI-20 Summary Score: Add the scores from the 3 scales together to obtain the summary score (range 0 to 300).