

PATIENT OR FAMILY: PLEASE COMPLETE THE SHADED AREAS (TOP and LEFT)

Name \_\_\_\_\_ DOB \_\_\_\_\_ Medications (Rescue) \_\_\_\_\_ (Control) \_\_\_\_\_  
Provider \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ Asthma Triggers: Infections/colds  Allergies  Weather  Activity  Other \_\_\_\_\_

During the **past 4 weeks** how often was your child bothered by breathing problems, such as wheezing, coughing or shortness of breath?

Not at all    Once or twice    Once every week    2 or 3 times per week    4 or more times a week

During the **past 4 weeks** how often did your child's breathing problems (wheezing, coughing, shortness of breath) wake him or her up at night?

Not at all    Once or twice    Once every week    2 or 3 times per week    4 or more times a week

During the **past 4 weeks** to what extent did your child's breathing problems such as wheezing, coughing, or shortness of breath, interfere with his or her ability to play, go to school, or engage in activities that a child should be doing at his or her age?

Not at all    Slightly    Moderately    Quite a lot    Extremely

During the **past three months** how often did you need to treat your child's breathing problems (wheezing, coughing, shortness of breath) with quick relief medication? (Albuterol, Ventolin, Proventil, ProAir or Xopenex).

Not at all    Once or twice    Once every week    2 or 3 times per week    4 or more times a week

During the **past twelve months** how often did your child need corticosteroids (Prednisone, Prednisolone, Orapred, Prelone, or Decadron) for breathing problems not controlled by other medications?

Never    Once    Twice    3 times    4 or more times

(20)   (15)   (10)   (5)   (0)

**Score < 80, review control medications**

Severity:  Intermittent  Mild Per.  Mod. Per.  Severe Per.

**PROVIDER COMPLETE AND GIVE TO PATIENT/FAMILY:**

**Updated asthma assessment:**

\_\_\_ Under Control                      \_\_\_ Not Controlled  
\_\_\_ Maintain                              \_\_\_ Step Up  
\_\_\_ Step down                              \_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Medication or other changes today:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Referrals/other:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Follow-up visit:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Recommended Flu shot:** YES NO

**What is "good control" of asthma?**

No asthma symptoms with activity, daytime symptoms less than 2 times per week, night symptoms less than 2 nights a month and no need for steroids, ER or Hospital visits.

**How do you know when to use rescue medication, such as albuterol?**

**Safe Zone** Breathing is good, no cough or wheeze, can work/play without breathing problems. No rescue medicine needed except if before exercise. **Plan:** Use controller medication every day (if prescribed).

**Instructions:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Caution Zone** Having some problems, cough or wheeze, tight chest, waking at night. **Plan:** Start rescue medication and continue controller. If no improvement call our office.

**Instructions:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Danger Zone** Having a lot of problems breathing, breathing hard and fast, can't walk or talk. **Plan:** Give rescue medicine immediately and call the office now (day or night) or go to the Emergency Room if unable to reach us.

**Instructions:** \_\_\_\_\_