

Brain Tissue Donation Questionnaire

› This form must be completed by the family and sent to the Brain Bank ahead of time.

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Date of completion: _____

Name of patient: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State/Province: _____ ZIP code: _____ Country: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Name of next of kin: _____

Relationship to patient: _____

Address of next of kin: _____

City: _____ State/Province: _____ ZIP code: _____ Country: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Patient's date of birth: _____

Sex assigned at birth: Female Male Preferred gender pronoun(s) to use: _____

Race: Asian Black or African American Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander

Native American, Indigenous, or Alaska Native White Other

Ethnicity: Of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish Origin Not of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish Origin

Current neurological diagnosis:

Progressive supranuclear palsy (PSP)

Corticobasal degeneration/syndrome (CBD/CBS)

Multiple system atrophy (MSA)

Frontotemporal dementia with parkinsonism (FTDP)

Other: _____

Year of diagnosis: _____

Year of symptoms onset: _____

What were the patient's early symptoms, in the first year before/of diagnosis?

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What symptoms has the patient experienced since the initial onset (*check all that apply*):

Movement symptoms:

- Tremors
- Imbalance/frequent falls
- Difficulty with walking
- Difficulty with general coordination
- Difficulty moving/using hands
- Stiffness/rigidity of muscles
- Painful muscle contractions (“dystonia”)

Other: _____

Cognitive changes:

- Short-term memory loss
- Long-term memory loss
- Loss of orientation (e.g., not knowing the year, familiar locations, familiar people)
- Difficulty with word finding
- Poor judgment
- Disinhibited behavior
- Impulsivity
- Delusions (e.g., paranoia)
- Hallucinations
- Uncontrolled laughing or crying
- Personality changes

Other: _____

Autonomic symptoms:

- Dizziness
- Difficulty with blood pressure regulation/fainting
- Excessive sweating
- Changes to breathing (e.g., shortness of breath, labored breathing, sudden large breaths)
- Changes to bladder or bowel function
- Sexual dysfunction
- Changes to circulation (e.g., discoloration in hands or feet)

Other: _____

Vision changes:

- Double vision
- Blurry vision
- Dry eyes
- Difficulty moving eyes
- Difficulty opening and/or closing eyelids

Other: _____

Sleep changes:

- Development of sleep apnea
- Acting out dreams
- Restless leg syndrome
- Difficulty falling or staying asleep at night
- Daytime fatigue/sleepiness

Other: _____

Other symptoms:

- Changes to speech/voice
- Difficulty with swallowing
- Weight loss
- Anxiety
- Depression
- Apathy

Other: _____

Does the patient have a known history of:

Alcoholism: Yes No

Drug use: Yes No

High blood pressure: Yes No

Other known medical conditions or primary symptoms: _____

Is the patient left- or right-handed?

Which side of the body have the movement symptoms mainly affected? _____

What medications has the patient taken to manage the symptoms since the neurological diagnosis?

What kind of professional work did/does the patient do? _____

Does the patient have a history of brain injury or possible brain injury? Yes No

For example, a history of trauma or repeated concussions related to combat, work activities, or sports.

Please provide details here: _____

Is there a family history of movement or memory disorders or other neurological diseases? Yes No

Please list diagnoses and the relationship of the person to the patient (*e.g., Alzheimer's disease – father*)

Most recent physician who managed the patient's neurological diagnosis and care:

Name of physician: _____

Specialty (*neurology, primary care, etc.*): _____

Facility/Hospital: _____

Facility address: _____

City: _____ State/Province: _____ ZIP code: _____

Phone: _____ Fax: _____

Email (*if available*): _____

If patient is under care of hospice:

Name of hospice agency: _____

Facility address (*if person is residing in inpatient hospice*): _____

Contact person: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

If patient resides in a skilled nursing or assisted living facility:

Name of facility: _____

Facility address: _____

Contact person: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____