

# TEXAS WOMAN'S UNIVERSITY

Department of Communication Sciences & Disorders  
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## VOICE CASE HISTORY FOR ADULTS

Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

### General Information

Name:	
Date of Birth:	
Address:	
Phone:	
Occupation:	
Referred by:	
Primary Care Physician	
Marital status: Single ____ Widowed ____ Divorced ____ Married ____	

Who lives in the home? \_\_\_\_\_

What languages do you speak? \_\_\_\_\_

If more than one language, which one is your dominant language? \_\_\_\_\_

If married, do we have permission to discuss your care with your spouse?  Yes  No

### Referral Information

Referred by: \_\_\_\_\_

*Please attach reports from physicians(s), if applicable*

## Medical/Health History

Please check all that apply and provide additional information under comments.

CONDITION	CHECK (✓)	COMMENTS
Allergies		
Recurrent cold/sore throat		
Sinus infection		
Asthma		
Dizziness		
Dental problems		
Frequent laryngitis		
Epilepsy/seizure disorder		
Attention Deficit Hypertension Disorder (ADHD)		
Vision problems		
High fevers		
Influenza (Flu)		
Kidney problem		
Swallowing		
Reflux		
Other digestive disorders		
Respiratory difficulties		
Heart or circulatory problems		
Stroke		
Neurologic disorders		
Cancer		
Thyroid problems		
Adenoidectomy		
Tonsillectomy		
Draining ear		

Hearing issues		
Tinnitus		
Sleeping difficulties		
Other		

Do you have any eating or swallowing difficulties?  Yes  No If yes, please explain:

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List all medications you are currently taking: \_\_\_\_\_

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List all vitamins and herbal supplements you are currently taking: \_\_\_\_\_

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Are you experiencing any negative reactions/side effects to these medications?  Yes  No

If yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

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Have you had any serious illnesses?  Yes  No If yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

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Have you had any surgeries?  Yes  No If yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

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Do you smoke?  Yes  No If yes, how much? \_\_\_\_\_ for how many years? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you frequently around cigarette smoke?  Yes  No

How much water do you drink each day? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you drink alcoholic beverages?  Yes  No If yes, how many of these per day? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you drink coffee?  Yes  No If yes, how many cups per day? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you do any weight training or heavy lifting?  Yes  No If so, how often? \_\_\_\_\_

How are you required to use your voice at work? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever lost your voice?  Yes  No If yes, how many times? \_\_\_\_\_

Please describe your general health. \_\_\_\_\_

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### Voice Issues

Please describe your voice problem. \_\_\_\_\_

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When did you first notice a change in your voice? \_\_\_\_\_

How did the problem develop?  Gradually  Suddenly

Since it began, has the voice problem:

gotten worse  gotten better  remained unchanged  fluctuated

Describe if or how your changes:

When you talk a lot: \_\_\_\_\_

When the weather changes: \_\_\_\_\_

With the time of day: \_\_\_\_\_

Does your voice change when you're feeling excitement, anger, anxiety?  Yes  No If yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Have people around you (family members, friends, and/or coworkers) noticed the voice issues?

What is your goal for speech therapy? \_\_\_\_\_

In the case of an emergency, please notify:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name and Relationship

\_\_\_\_\_  
Contact Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Client Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Please complete the additional authorization forms that are attached. Once we have received this packet in our office, you will be contacted to schedule an evaluation and/or therapy.

If you have any questions, please contact the clinic at 940-898-2285. You may mail this packet to the address below, or you may fax it to 940-898-2276.

Mail to:  
Texas Woman's University  
Speech & Hearing Clinic – MCL 601  
P.O. Box 425737  
Denton, Texas 76204  
Attn: D. Michele Stapleford

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## Authorization for Evaluation/Treatment

I hereby authorize the following evaluations and/or treatments of \_\_\_\_\_  
(Please print clients' name)  
in the Speech & Hearing Clinic at Texas Woman's University.

### Please circle the choice(s) below

Speech/Language

Developmental/Feeding/Oral Motor

Audiological/Hearing

I hold the Speech & Hearing Clinic, Department of Communication Sciences, School of Occupational Therapy and Texas Woman's University harmless and waive any liability for injury, accident or illness to the client, caregivers, siblings, family members, or any other persons accompanying the client or family to the evaluation or therapy which may occur during or as the possible result of the course of evaluation/treatment.

I authorize that the evaluation and/or treatment procedures may be observed, videotaped, photographed, and discussed by students in disciplines related to the Speech & Hearing Clinic for academic, training, and advertising purposes. Furthermore, I authorize that the evaluation and/or treatment data may be used for research purposes as approved by appropriate University authorities.

It is my understanding that the examination findings and therapy reports will be treated as confidential materials and released only to such additional professional persons or agencies as I may authorize.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Please print name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Client or Parent/Guardian Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
City State Zip

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## Disclosure Form

\_\_\_\_\_  
Patient Name  
(Please print)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Birth

\_\_\_\_\_  
File#

Please read and initial in the space provided.

\_\_\_\_\_ I understand that, by federal law, Texas Woman's University may not use or disclose my health information, except as provided in the University's Notice of Privacy Practices, without my authorization. My signature on this disclosure form indicates that I am giving permission for the uses and disclosures of the protected health information described above. I hereby release Texas Woman's University and its employees from any and all liability that may arise from the release of information as I have directed.

\_\_\_\_\_ I understand that I have the right to revoke this authorization at any time. If I want to revoke this authorization, I must do so in writing, and address it to the person or institution named above. I understand that if I revoke this authorization, it will not apply to any information already released as a result of this authorization.

\_\_\_\_\_ I understand that copies of the Speech, Language, and Hearing Clinics HIPPA Privacy Practices are available to me in the clinic office.

\_\_\_\_\_ I understand that I may refuse to sign this disclosure form. I also understand that the institution or individuals named above cannot deny or refuse to provide treatment, payment, enrollment in a health plan, or eligibility for benefits if I refuse to sign this disclosure form.

\_\_\_\_\_ I understand that, once information is disclosed pursuant to this authorization, it is possible that it will no longer be protected by the federal medical privacy law and could be disclosed by the person or agency that receives it.

This disclosure expires automatically upon \_\_\_\_\_  
(Specify date, event, or one year from date of signature)

**I have read and understand the information in this authorization form.**

Signature of Patient or Legal Representative: \_\_\_\_\_

Please print name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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## AUTHORIZATION FOR CONFIDENTIALITY

I authorize that the evaluation and/or treatment procedures and information regarding the same may need to be e-mailed back and forth between Texas Woman's University and the parent/guardians and between the supervisors and students. I authorize that this procedure may be used to further the understanding between clinical personnel and parent/guardian. Should I chose not to authorize this communication, students and supervisors will communicate via an in-house discussion board accessible only to personnel of the clinic, but will not use e-mail to communicate with me.

\_\_\_\_\_initial

I realize that the evaluation and/or treatment procedures might be observed in the room where the T.V. monitors are located or in the Lab room by other parents/guardians. Because of the use of earphones, they should not be able to hear the sessions. I understand that privacy will be observed as much as possible.

\_\_\_\_\_initial

I understand that I may revoke my permission at any time by communicating in writing with the clinical coordinator.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Client's Name



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## AUTHORIZATION FOR RECORDING AND USE OF EVALUATION/TREATMENT PROCEDURES

I hereby authorize that the evaluation/treatment procedures of \_\_\_\_\_  
Clients' Name

may be recorded, videotaped, photographed, audio taped at the Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders at Texas Woman's University.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Initial

I authorize that the recorded evaluation/treatment procedure may be used for educational, research and advertising purpose both within and outside the University.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Initial

I authorize that the evaluation/treatment procedures may be observed and discussed, by student in disciplines related to the Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders for academics purposes.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Initial

Furthermore, I authorize that the evaluation/treatment data may be used for research purposes as approved by the appropriate University authorities.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Initial

I understand that the evaluation/treatment procedures will be treated confidential material and will be released only to additional professional persons or agencies as I may authorize.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Client or Parent/Guardian Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Address

\_\_\_\_\_  
City

\_\_\_\_\_  
State

\_\_\_\_\_  
Zip