### PHYSIOTHERAPY - INITIAL BLADDER DIARY

To enable a complete assessment of your current symptoms, it is important for your physiotherapist to gain a thorough understanding of how your bladder is currently functioning. Therefore, it would be appreciated if you could complete the following <u>Bladder Diary for 48hours</u>.

#### **INSTRUCTIONS:**

Try to choose two days where you feel that you would most easily be able to complete the diary.

- Aim to start at 7am the first day and continue for 48hours.
- Each time you go to the toilet to pass urine write down:

#### **BLADDER FUNCTION SECTION:**

1. Time eg. 9.30am

**2. Interval** Write how long it has been since the last time

you went to the toilet. eg. 2hrs, 45min

- 3. Rate How Strong Your Urge to Pass Urine was from 0-4
  - 0 = No Sensation of urine in bladder at all

Sensation of some urine but no desire to void eg. could delay 1hour

2 = Mild-Moderate Desire to void

eg. could delay 30min

■ **3** = Strong Desire to Void

eg. couldn't delay >15min

4 = Urgent Desire to Void

eg. unable to delay 5min

- 4. Did You Leak on Way to Toilet?
  - No

Yes − S/A

eg a few drops, 20c piece

Yes - M/A

eg underwear quite damp

■ Yes – L/A

eg wet outer clothes

5. Volume of Urine Passed / Bowels Opened

Urine: Measure the amount of urine in mls ("cc" on specipan measure)

Bowels: Write "BO" (bowels opened).

NB: When you go to the toilet to open your bowels you are not expected to measure the amount of urine you pass at the same time.

#### **FLUID INTAKE SECTION**

**1. Time** eg. 9.45am, 3.30pm

**2. Type** eg coffee, water, juice, tea.

3. **Amount:** eg. 1 cup, 200mls.

## **BLADDER DIARY**

Day 1:			
From 7am on		to 7am on	
	(day / date)		(day / date)
Time Woke Un:		Time Went to Red	

BLADDER FUNCTION				FLUID INTAKE			
TIME	INTERVAL	URGE (0-4)	Leakage	Urine Vol / BO	TIME	Туре	Volume
1.							
2.							
3.							
4.							
5.							
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7.							
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11.							
12.							
13.							
14.							
15.							

Day 2:			
From 7am on		to 7am on	
	(day / date)	(day / d	late)
Time Woke Up:		Time Went to Bed at Night:	

BLADDER FUNCTION				FLUID INTAKE			
TIME	INTERVAL	URGE (0-4)	Leakage	Urine Vol / BO	TIME	Туре	Volume
1.							
2.							
3.							
4.							
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9.							
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12.							
13.							
14.							

Office Use:					
Day 1 Frequency:	D a	y:	Night:	(24hr:	)
Day 2 Frequency:	D a		Night:	(24hr: _	)
Average Bladder Vo	olume per urge	grade:	(Day voids only	)	
1 =	_	_			mls
2 =					mls
3 =					mls
4 =					mls
Minimum Time b/w			):		
			l:		
500					
450					
400					
350					
300					
200					
150					
100					
50					
	1	2	3		1
<u>Day 1</u>					
Urine Production:	24hr:		Day:	Night:	
Office Froduction.			Index:		
Fluid Intake:				re bed:	. <u></u>
Day 2					
Urine Production:	24hr:		Dav:	Night:	
			Index:		
Fluid Intake:					

# **BLADDER VOLUMES**

