

Traumatic Life Events Questionnaire ©

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Please check off the appropriate boxes below, and then give this form to your therapist.

Did you or people close to you

experience or witness any of these
events as a child or adult?

Were you bothered
by this at the time?

Are you bothered
by this now?

Natural Disaster

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| ☐ Flood | ☐ yes ☐ no | ☐ yes ☐ no |
| ☐ Hurricane/tornado | ☐ yes ☐ no | ☐ yes ☐ no |
| ☐ Fire | ☐ yes ☐ no | ☐ yes ☐ no |
| ☐ Earthquake | ☐ yes ☐ no | ☐ yes ☐ no |

Accidents

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|---|--|--|
| ☐ Medical/surgical error | ☐ yes ☐ no | ☐ yes ☐ no |
| ☐ Motor vehicle accident | ☐ yes ☐ no | ☐ yes ☐ no |
| ☐ Plane crash | ☐ yes ☐ no | ☐ yes ☐ no |
| ☐ Drowning | ☐ yes ☐ no | ☐ yes ☐ no |
| ☐ Explosion | ☐ yes ☐ no | ☐ yes ☐ no |
| ☐ Chemical/gas leak | ☐ yes ☐ no | ☐ yes ☐ no |
| ☐ Building collapse | ☐ yes ☐ no | ☐ yes ☐ no |

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Illness

☐ Unexpected death of loved one

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ Serious medical illness

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ Serious mental illness

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

Neglect/humiliation

☐ Being denied food or water

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ Left alone for long periods

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ Put in dangerous situations

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ Verbally humiliated or ignored

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ Forced to perform

humiliating actions

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ Insulted/treated as worthless

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ Teased/bullied

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

Control

☐ Being locked in a room/closet

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ Controlled your use of phone

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ Being stalked

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ Controlled your contact

with others

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ Controlled your possessions

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ Forced to take drugs or alcohol

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

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Physical punishment

☐ Being hit, kicked, thrown,

dragged, or tied up

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ Being bruised, burned, cut,

or given broken bones

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ Witness violence on other

family members

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

Unwanted sexual contact

☐ Forced intercourse (oral,

anal, or vaginal)

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ Forced masturbation

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ Forced to watch pornography

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ Being fondled against your will

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ Forced to perform sexual

acts in front of others

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ Being filmed or videotaped

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ Being prostituted

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

Assault and robbery

☐ Victim of robbery

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ Assaulted with a weapon

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ Threatened to be killed

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

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☐ Beaten up

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ Kidnapped/held hostage

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ Witnessed a murder/assault

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

Stigma and Prejudice

(Harm due to your:)

☐ Race

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ Gender

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ Age

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ Ethnic or National Identity

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ Income

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ Sexual Orientation

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ Religion

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ Non-conventional family

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

War

☐ Served in a combat zone

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ Treated the wounded

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ Being fired upon

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ Close-hand combat

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ Prisoner of war

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ Friendly fire

☐ yes ☐ no

☐ yes ☐ no

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Other events

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| ☐ Miscarriage/stillbirth | ☐ yes ☐ no | ☐ yes ☐ no |
| ☐ Abortion | ☐ yes ☐ no | ☐ yes ☐ no |
| ☐ Foster or residential care | ☐ yes ☐ no | ☐ yes ☐ no |
| ☐ Removed from home
by the State | ☐ yes ☐ no | ☐ yes ☐ no |
| ☐ Homeless/lived on streets | ☐ yes ☐ no | ☐ yes ☐ no |
| ☐ Subject of lawsuit | ☐ yes ☐ no | ☐ yes ☐ no |
| ☐ Being falsely accused | ☐ yes ☐ no | ☐ yes ☐ no |
| ☐ Arrest/imprisonment | ☐ yes ☐ no | ☐ yes ☐ no |
| ☐ Hospitalized against your will | ☐ yes ☐ no | ☐ yes ☐ no |
| ☐ Being embezzled/blackmailed | ☐ yes ☐ no | ☐ yes ☐ no |
| ☐ Spouse/partner had an affair | ☐ yes ☐ no | ☐ yes ☐ no |
| ☐ Unexpected demotion or
loss of job | ☐ yes ☐ no | ☐ yes ☐ no |
| ☐ Identity theft | ☐ yes ☐ no | ☐ yes ☐ no |

Thank you.