

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE DOCUMENTATION**CONSENT FORM TO OBTAIN EVIDENCE** *(Francais au verso)*

To: _____ And to: _____
 (Name of Domestic Violence Nurse) (Name of Hospital)

I, _____ authorize you to:

- (initial choices) _____ Complete Domestic Violence documentation
 _____ Collect articles of my clothing and/or physical samples for potential use as evidence
 _____ Photograph my injuries for potential use as evidence

I understand that I may consent to some, all or none of the above. Should I decline to consent to any of the above, I will not be denied medical treatment. I may withdraw my consent to any of the above at any time during the examination. I also understand that a child protection agency may be notified if there are children under the age of 16 witnessing violence in the home.

Hospitals are also required to release records when subpoenaed through a court order including warrants, in accordance with relevant privacy legislation.

_____	_____	_____
Patient Name (please print)	(Signature of Patient)	(Date/Time)
_____	_____	_____
Witness Name (please print)	(Signature of Witness)	(Date/Time)
_____	_____	_____
Interpreter Name (please print)	(Signature of Interpreter)	(Date/Time)

CONSENT FORM TO RELEASE EVIDENCE

I, _____, authorize you to:

- (Initial choices) _____ Inform _____ police that I have made a complaint of assault.
 (Name of Police Services)
 _____ Release to the police the forensic report of the SA/DV Nurse, with the exception of the safety and discharge planning
 _____ Release any clothing, physical samples, or photographs the SA/DV Nurse has collected

_____	_____
(Signature of Patient)	(Date/Time)
_____	_____
(Signature of Witness)	(Date/Time)
_____	_____
(Signature of Interpreter)	(Date/Time)

DATE: _____ **Signature/Designation** _____

1. ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

NAME:		D.O.B.:	
SEX: <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Male		AGE:	
Do you have children under the age of 16? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes # _____	Name: _____		Age: _____
	Name: _____		Age: _____
	Name: _____		Age: _____
Client referred by: <input type="checkbox"/> Family <input type="checkbox"/> Shelter <input type="checkbox"/> VWAP <input type="checkbox"/> Police <input type="checkbox"/> Victim Services <input type="checkbox"/> Hospital _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Physician _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Self <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____		Accompanied by: <input type="checkbox"/> Alone <input type="checkbox"/> Agency _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Family/Friend <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Partner	
Time Nurse Called:		Arrived:	Left:
Nurse's Name:			
Physician's Name:			Time Seen:
Police Officer's Name:			
Service:	Division:	Badge #:	Occurrence #: _____
			Event #: _____
CAS worker name: <input type="checkbox"/> N/A	Agency:		Date/Time Notified:
Interpreter: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> N/A	Arrived:		Left:
Interpreter Name:	Interpreter Agency:		
Support person called? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes	Support Agency:		

2. CURRENT ASSAULT HISTORY

Date and Time of Assault:			
Location: (check all that apply) <input type="checkbox"/> Patient's home <input type="checkbox"/> Friend's home <input type="checkbox"/> Outside <input type="checkbox"/> Relative's home <input type="checkbox"/> Vehicle <input type="checkbox"/> Assailant's home <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ Address: _____ (if known)		Weapon used: <input type="checkbox"/> None <input type="checkbox"/> Gun <input type="checkbox"/> Knife <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown <input type="checkbox"/> Weapon indicated but not seen <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____	
Assailant Information: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female Name: _____		Relationship to Victim: <input type="checkbox"/> Spouse <input type="checkbox"/> Common Law Partner <input type="checkbox"/> Ex-Spouse <input type="checkbox"/> Ex-Common Law Partner <input type="checkbox"/> Girlfriend <input type="checkbox"/> Boyfriend	
Date of birth: _____ Age: _____			
Use of drugs/alcohol: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know			
Nature of present assault: (as reported by patient) <input type="checkbox"/> Pushing <input type="checkbox"/> Punching <input type="checkbox"/> Slapping <input type="checkbox"/> Kicking <input type="checkbox"/> Biting <input type="checkbox"/> Cutting <input type="checkbox"/> Burning <input type="checkbox"/> Hair pulling <input type="checkbox"/> Strangulation (Complete addendum) <input type="checkbox"/> Objects thrown <input type="checkbox"/> Sexual Assault (Offer SAEK) <input type="checkbox"/> Restraining (method) _____ Other: _____			

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2. CURRENT ASSAULT HISTORY (cont'd)

Loss of Consciousness: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Describe: _____	Alcohol/Drugs Consumed by Patient: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No What/How much: _____ When: _____ Suspected drugging <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No (Use DFSA addendum)
Describe any physical or mental impairment experienced prior to, during, or after the assault. When were these symptoms experienced? _____	
Did _____ threaten to kill you?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Did _____ threaten bodily harm to family/friends?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Did _____ threaten to use a weapon?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Did _____ use a weapon?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Weapon type: _____
Are there any firearms in the home?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know
Does _____ have access to any firearms?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know
Does _____ presently reside in the home? If No, where is _____ now? _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Has there been a recent separation or change in your relationship?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Has there been a recent change in _____ employment?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

3. PREVIOUS DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

Has _____ ever:	
▪ Attempted or threatened to commit suicide?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Attempted
▪ Controlled or tried to control your daily activities?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Attempted
▪ Isolated or tried to isolate you from friends/family?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Attempted
▪ Stalked you?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
▪ Made threats to family, friends or police?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
In this relationship have you experienced:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
• Emotional Abuse	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
• Financial Abuse	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
• Spiritual	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
• Sexual Abuse	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Have you been assaulted at other times by _____? If Yes, when was the last time? _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Were these prior assaults reported to police? If Yes, Which Police Service? _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
How long has the relationship been violent? _____	
Has the violence become more frequent?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Has the violence become more intense?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Has violence been committed against pets or property?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Have you had any injuries from previous assaults by _____?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Have you ever received medical treatment for injuries because you were assaulted by _____? If yes, where _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Has _____ been charged with any prior criminal behaviour? If Yes: What: _____ When: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know

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3. PREVIOUS DOMESTIC VIOLENCE (cont'd)

Has the _____ disobeyed any court order? If Yes: How _____ When: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know
Are you afraid of _____'s friends/family/associates? If Yes: Who _____ Why: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Do you believe that _____ is capable of severely injuring or killing you (your children)?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know
To the best of your knowledge has _____ been abusive in any past relationships?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know

4. OPTIONS

OPTIONS	DISCUSSED	CHOSEN
Physical Examination		
Injury Documentation (written only)		
Written and Photo documentation		
Forensic evidence collection		
Police involvement		
Diagnostic testing		
Prophylactic medication		
Community referrals		

CONSULTATION/REFERRAL REQUIRED

Name and Designation _____ Reason for consultation/referral _____

Outcome _____

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5. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE COLLECTION:**PHOTOGRAPHS TAKEN**

Have police taken photographs of injuries?		<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
If SA/DV Nurse is taking photographs, complete the following information:			
Digital Camera		Other	
Time Photographs Taken		Location (room)	

Image Description	Body Location

(If a Polaroid camera was used, indicate on each Polaroid picture, the name of the patient, date, time, signature of photographer and sequence of each picture.)

Items Collected

1.	3.
2.	4.

Injury Diagrams Used (Circle diagrams used)

Body – Front	Head – Front/Back	Foot – Right
Body – Back	Head Profile – Right/Left	Female Genitalia
Body Profile – Left	Neck – Top of Head – Shoulders	Male Genitalia
Body Profile – Right	Hands – Right/Left	Teeth/mouth
Body Front – Male	Feet – Bottom	
Body Back – Male	Foot – Left	

RELEASE OF ABOVE EVIDENCE AND DOCUMENTATION**Release to:**

Name of Police Officer: _____ Signature: _____ Police Service: _____ Division: _____
Print

By:

Name of SA/DV Nurse: _____ Signature: _____ Designation: _____
Print

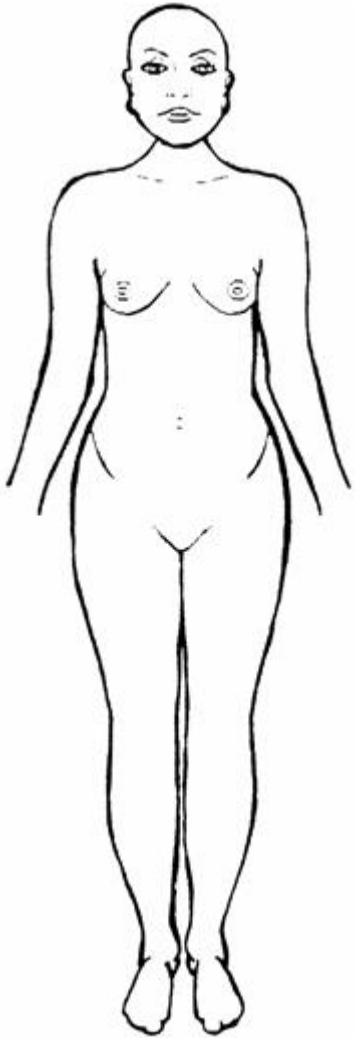
Date: _____ Time: _____ Location: _____

DATE: _____ **Signature/Designation** _____

INJURY DIAGRAMS:

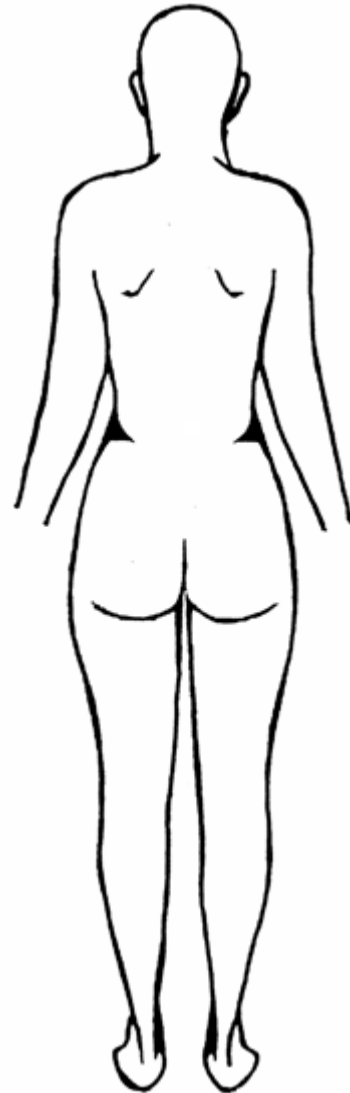
Mark all areas of tenderness and injuries on diagrams, indicating type of injury, size, shape and colour.

Body Front



☐ No injuries observed

Body Back



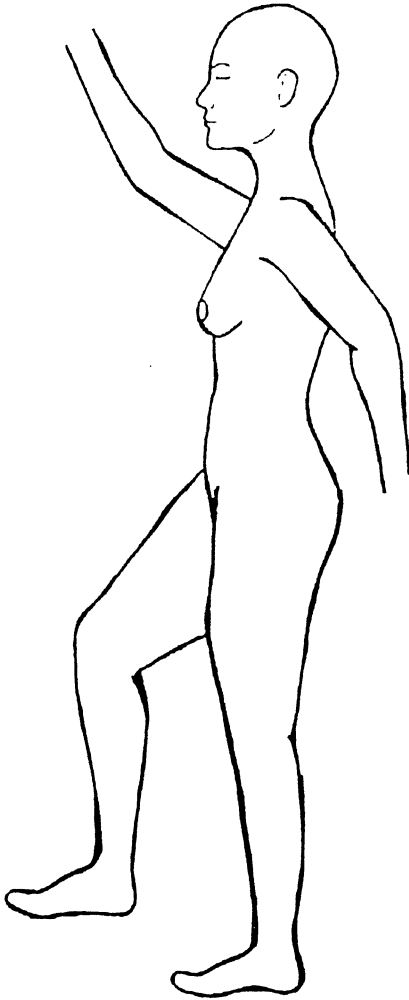
☐ No injuries observed

DATE: _____ Signature/Designation _____

INJURY DIAGRAMMS:

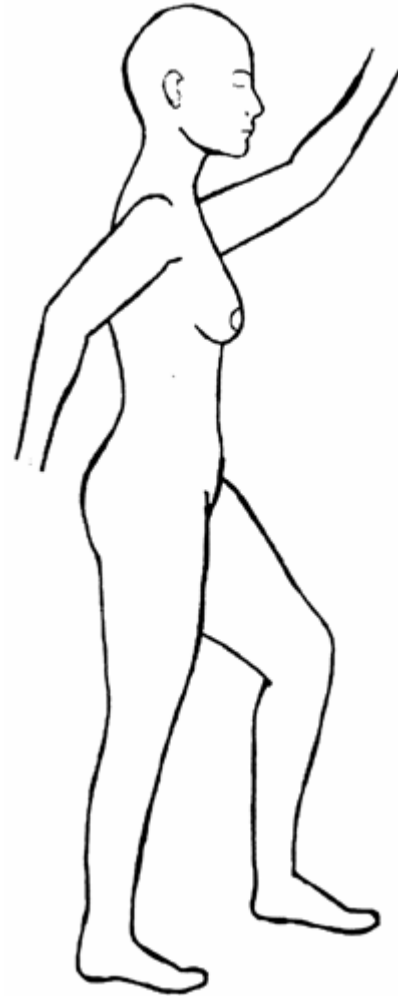
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Body Profile Left



☐ No injuries observed

Body Profile Right



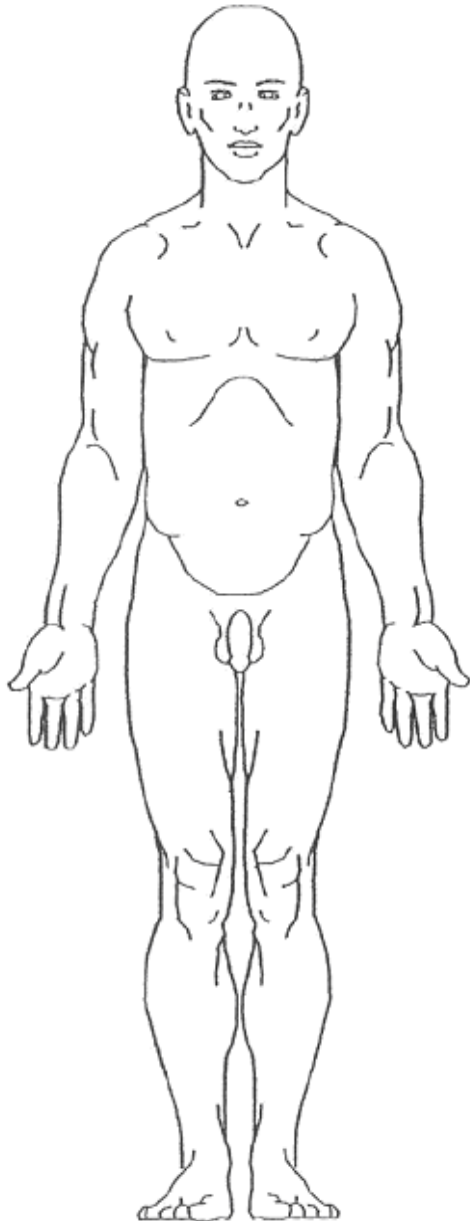
☐ No injuries observed

DATE: _____ Signature/Designation _____

INJURY DIAGRAMMS:

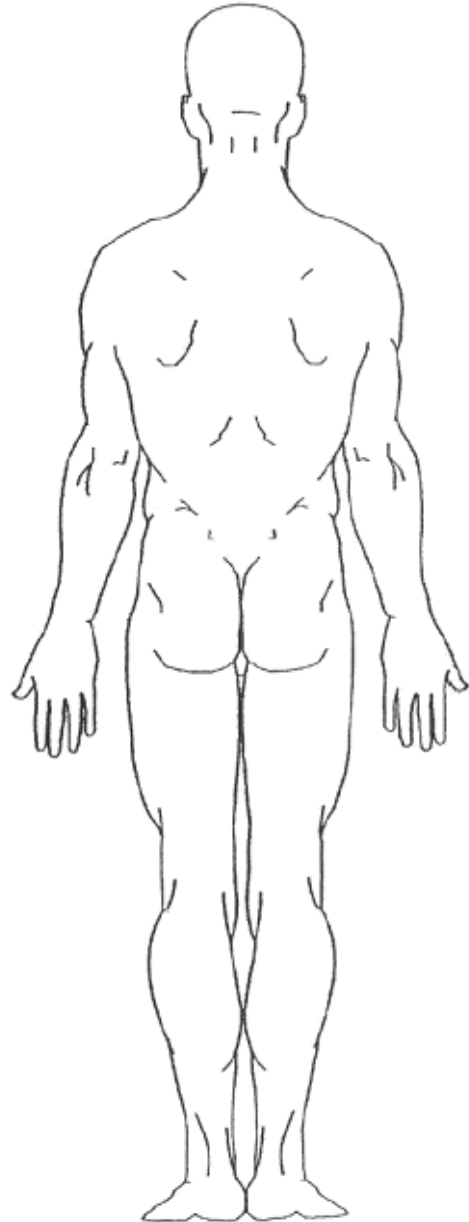
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Body Front – Male



☐ No injuries observed

Body Back - Male



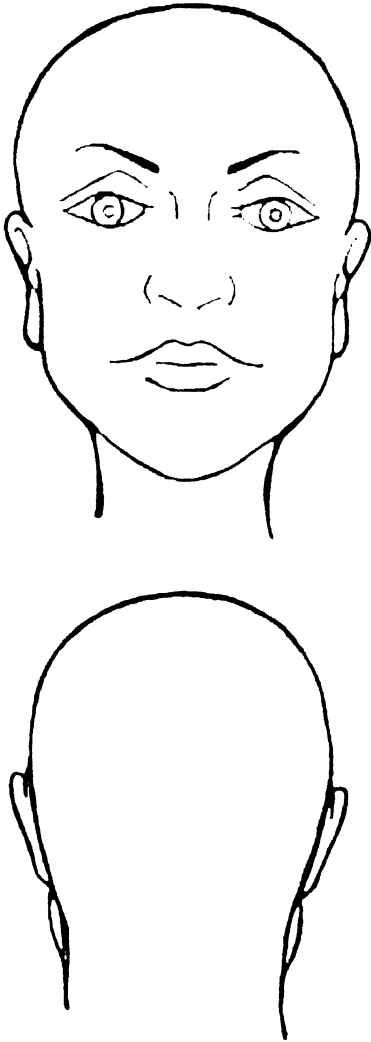
☐ No injuries observed

DATE: _____ Signature/Designation _____

INJURY DIAGRAMMS:

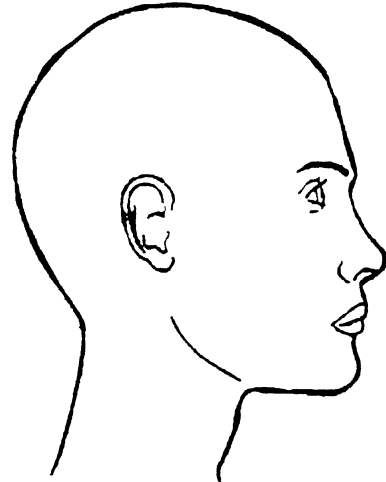
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Head – Front/Back

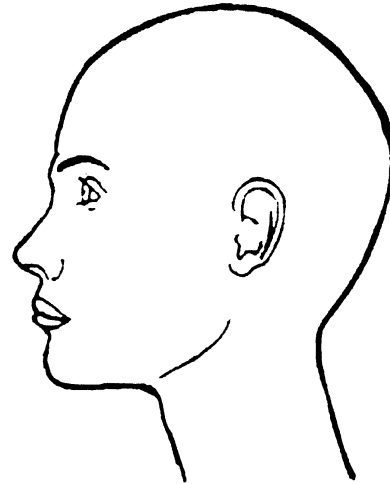


☐ No injuries observed

Head Profile -Right



Right



Left

☐ No injuries observed

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INJURY DIAGRAMMS:

Mark all areas of tenderness and injuries on diagrams, indicating type of injury, size, shape and colour.

Neck – Top of Head – Shoulders

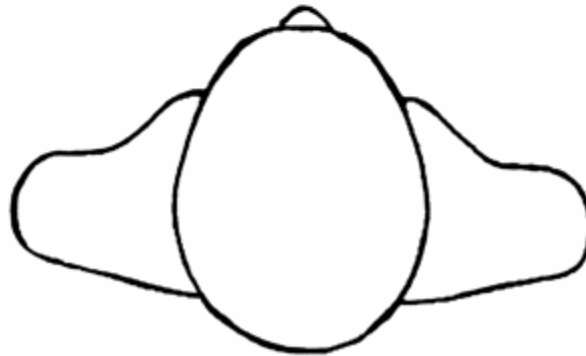
Right

Left



Left

Right



☐ No injuries observed

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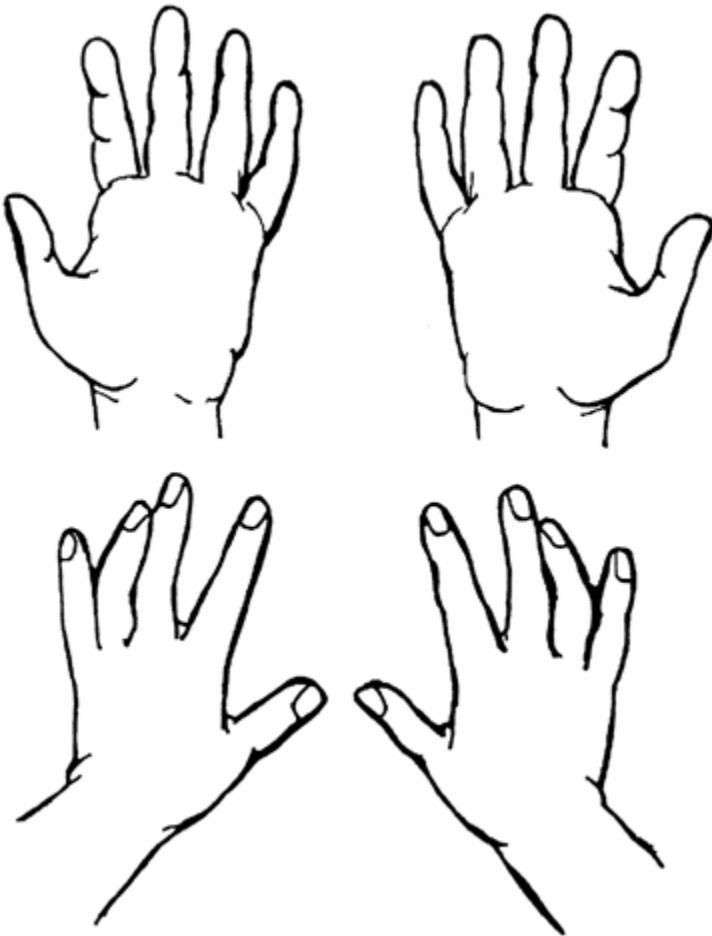
INJURY DIAGRAMMS:

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Hands

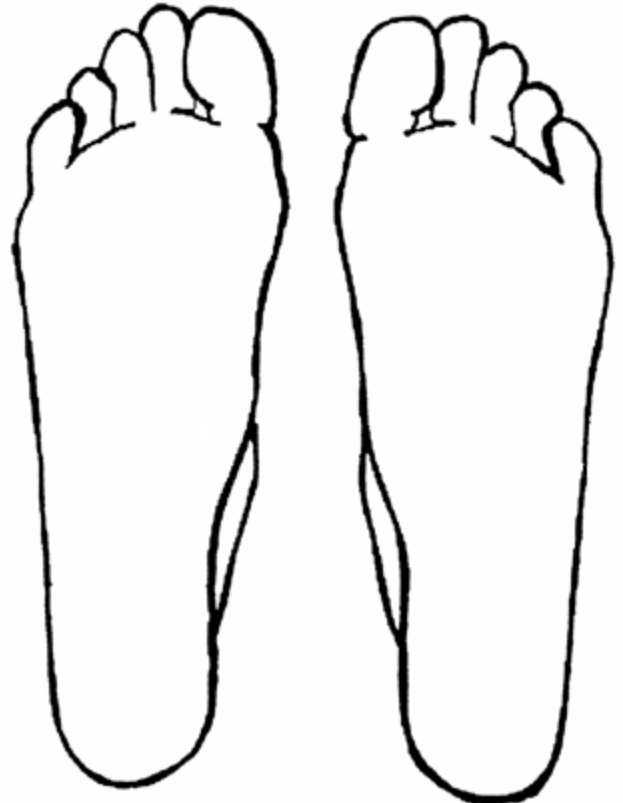
Left

Right



☐ No injuries observed

Feet – Bottom



☐ No injuries observed

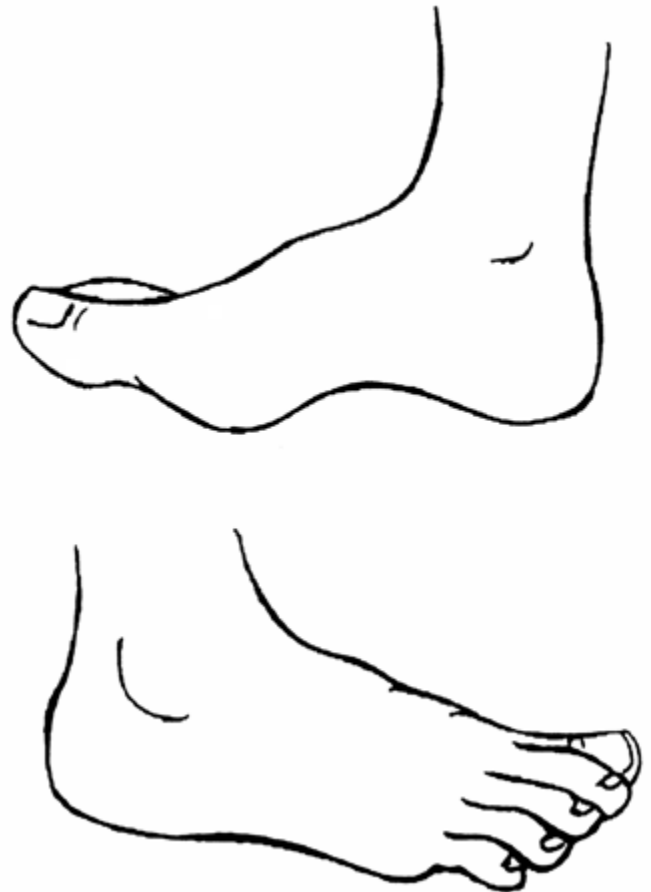
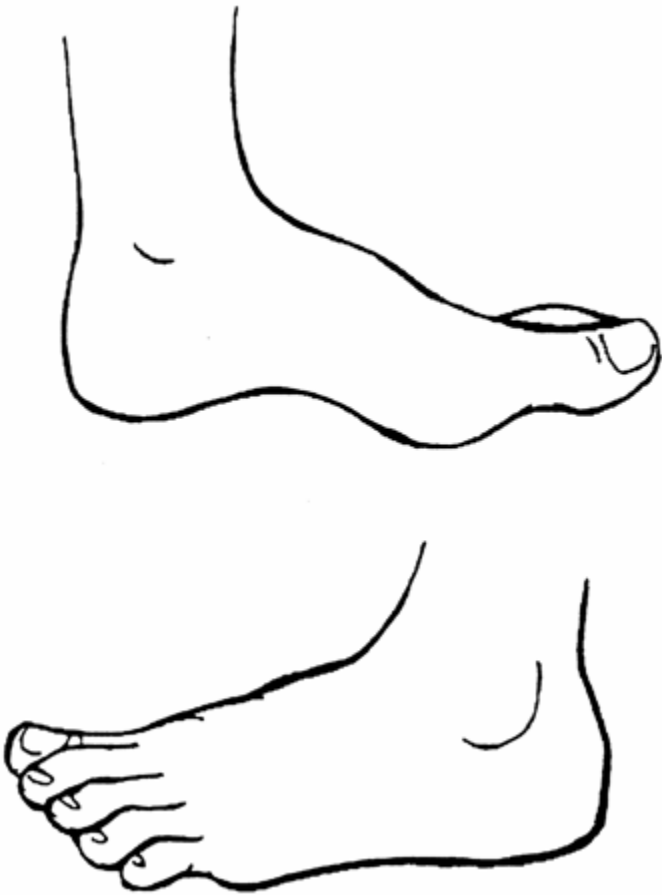
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INJURY DIAGRAMMS:

Mark all areas of tenderness and injuries on diagrams, indicating type of injury, size, shape and colour.

Foot – Left

Foot – Right



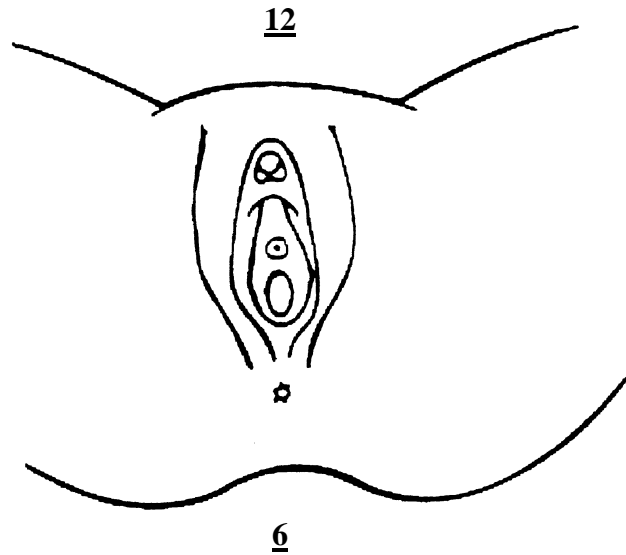
☐ No injuries observed

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INJURY DIAGRAMS

Mark all areas of tenderness and injuries on diagrams, indicating type of injury, size, shape and colour.

Female Genitalia**GENITAL EXAM (include all signs of trauma)**

Prepuce / Clitoris	
Periurethral	
Labia Majora	
Labia Minora	
Hymen	
Vagina	
Cervix	
Fossa Navicularis	
Posterior Fourchette	
Perineum	
Anus / Rectum	

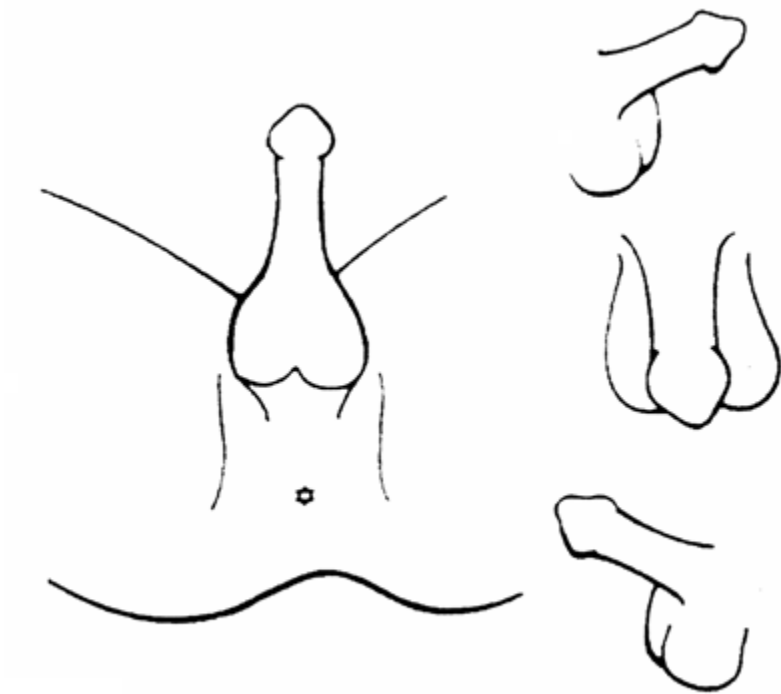
Please check if utilized: ☐ Polilight ☐ Colposcopy ☐ No injuries observed

DATE: _____ Signature/Designation _____

INJURY DIAGRAMS

Mark all areas of tenderness and injuries on diagrams, indicating type of injury, size, shape and colour.

Male Genitalia



GENITAL EXAM (include all signs of trauma)

Penis	
Scrotum	
Anus / Rectum	

☐ No injuries observed

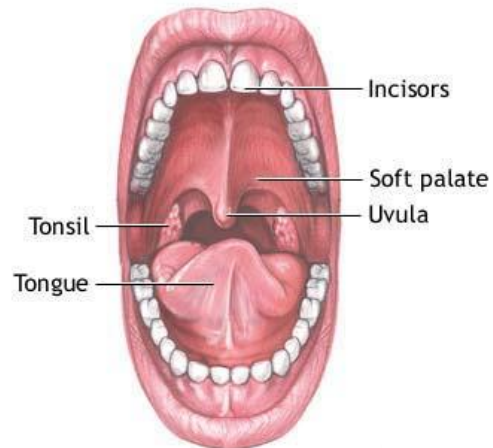
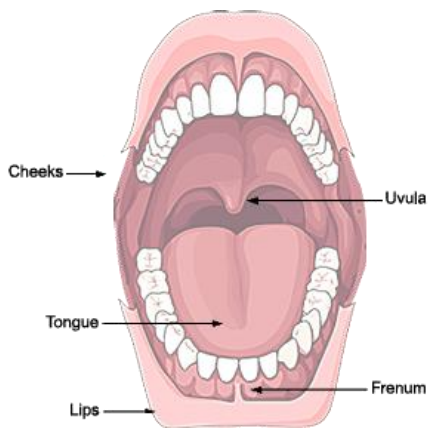
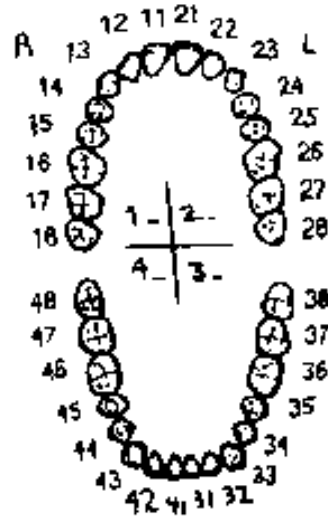
DATE: _____ Signature/Designation _____

INJURY DIAGRAMS

Mark all areas of tenderness and injuries on diagrams, indicating type of injury, size, shape and colour.

Teeth Identification System

Permanent Teeth



☐ No injuries observed

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SAFETY PLANNING

1. Safety planning for patient, and children if any _____
2. Procedures to follow in case of an emergency
(e.g. calling 911) _____
3. Safe place to go in case of an emergency _____
4. Items required in case of an emergency
(clothing, keys, documents) _____
5. Informal social support network
(family, friends, co-workers) _____
6. Formal support network
(police, shelters, counsellors) _____
7. Dealing with stalking and threats _____
8. Suicidal ideation _____
9. Physical and emotional self-care _____
10. Safety plan for pets, if any and of concern _____
11. Other (please specify): _____

REFERRAL

Information provided to the patient on available services:

Shelter _____ Other _____

Legal assistance_____

ADDITIONAL NOTES

[illegible]

DATE: _____ **Signature/Designation** _____

Patient Label/hospital number_____

DISCHARGE PLAN

Medical Follow-up:		
<input type="checkbox"/> Family Physician: _____	Prophylactic medications given: _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____	Diagnostic tests done: _____	
Follow-up by the SA/DVCC: Client wishes Follow-up services <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
Telephone Follow-up:		
Client prefers to call:		
<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Business card given	Phone number: _____	
SA/DV Nurse to call <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
State code name if required: _____	Preferred time/date: _____	
In Person Follow-up appointment: _____		
Counselling Services:		
<input type="checkbox"/> Explained <input type="checkbox"/> Declined	Referral form completed: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Written Information / Education:		
<input type="checkbox"/> Strangulation aftercare <input type="checkbox"/> Sexual assault information <input type="checkbox"/> Head injury aftercare		
<input type="checkbox"/> Community resources, 24-hour support lines <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____		
Discharge:		
Discharged at: _____ by: _____ to: _____		
(time)	(nurse)	(place)
Accompanied by: <input type="checkbox"/> family/friend <input type="checkbox"/> self <input type="checkbox"/> police <input type="checkbox"/> agency worker <input type="checkbox"/> other _____		
Transportation: <input type="checkbox"/> own <input type="checkbox"/> family/friend <input type="checkbox"/> police <input type="checkbox"/> taxi <input type="checkbox"/> other _____		

ADDITIONAL NOTES

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