

Activity: Charting Positives from the Medical History in Review of Systems (ROS)

Using the section titled **ROS** (doctors rarely write “Review of Systems”; doctors often abbreviate it ROS), use the sample medical history charts on the following pages to write in the positive past medical history (**Hx**) information you want available for review for patients one and two.

Investigation 2.3

Activity 2.3A

Patient 1:

Medical History

Patient Name: use your name or a pseudo-name of your choice

Age: 43 **Birthdate:** your birthday **Gender:** Male

Occupation: jack hammer operator

Chief Complaint: numbness and tingling in fingers and hands, weakness in hands and arms

Current Medicines:

1. aspirin 325 mg as needed for headaches and hand pain
2. Advair steroid inhaler

Past Medical Conditions:

1. asthma since childhood

Last Medical Evaluation: 8 years ago

Childhood Illnesses:

1. Chicken pox
2. Measles
3. Mumps

Past Medical History

1. Asthma since childhood
2. Allergies to cat dander, grasses and pollens
3. Broken left wrist 11 years ago

Family Medical History

Mother: type 2 diabetes, Alzheimers

Father: heart condition, prostate cancer

Siblings: sister has type 1 diabetes

Surgical History

Tonsillectomy age 4

Appendectomy age 14

Wisdom teeth removed (4) age 23

- **Use the space on the following page to make notes regarding your review of systems from patient #1. Write positive findings from history**

Investigation 2.3

Dr. _____

Activity 2.3A

P. ____ Date: _____

Patient 1

Review of Systems

Patient Name: _____ Age: _____ Gender: M F

ROS:

Mental Status:

Cardiac (heart):

Circulatory:

Respiratory
(lungs):

Digestive:

Urinary:

Reproductive:

Dermatologic:

Extremities:

Areas of concern or requiring additional information:

Investigation 2.3

Activity 2.3B

Patient 2:

Medical History

Patient Name: use your name or a pseudo-name of your choice

Age: 61 **Birthdate:** your birthdate **Gender:** Female

Occupation: outside sales

Chief Complaint: headaches and occasional palpitations in chest

Current Medicines: aspirin for headaches, Maalox for stomach upset, estrogen

Past Medical Conditions: stomach ulcer treated 10 years ago

Last medical Evaluation: 5 years ago

Childhood Illnesses: strep throat, pink eye, roseola

Past Medical History

1. Stomach ulcer treated 10 yrs ago
2. 2 children by C-section many years ago

Family Medical History

Mother: uterine cancer

Father: hypertension and heart condition

Siblings: older brother has heart condition and hypertension

Surgical History

Cataract left eye 2 years ago

C- Section 39 and 41 years ago

Hysterectomy age 54

Investigation 2.3

Dr. _____

Activity 2.3.B

P. ____ Date: _____

Patient 2

Review of Systems

Patient Name: _____ Age: _____ Gender: M F

ROS:

Mental Status:

Cardiac (heart):

Circulatory:

Respiratory

(lungs): _____

Digestive:

Urinary:

Reproductive:

Dermatologic:

Extremities:

Areas of concern or requiring additional information:
