

# Musculoskeletal – Occlusal Signs Exam Form

NAME \_\_\_\_\_  
DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
AGE \_\_\_\_\_

## **SYMPTOMS- Please check all that apply.**

1.  Headaches
2.  TMJ Pain
3.  TMJ Noise
4.  Limited Opening
5.  Ear Congestion
6.  Vertigo (Dizziness)
7.  Tinnitus (Ringing in the Ears)
8.  Dysphagia (Difficulty Swallowing)
9.  Loose Teeth
10.  Clenching / Bruxing
11.  Facial Pain (Nonspecific)
12.  Tender, Sensitive Teeth (Percussion)
13.  Difficulty Chewing
14.  Cervical Pain
15.  Postural Problems
16.  Paresthesia of Fingertips (Tingling)
17.  Thermal Sensitivity (Hot and Cold)
18.  Trigeminal Neuralgia
19.  Bell's Palsy
20.  Nervousness / Insomnia

## **SIGNS (Extra-oral) For Doctor's use only.**

1.  Facial Asymmetry Bilaterally
2.  Short Lower Third of the Face
3.  Chelitis
4.  Abnormal Lip Posture
5.  Deep Mentalis Crease
6.  Dished-Out or Flat Labial Profile
7.  Facial Edema
8.  Mandibular Torticollis
9.  Cervical Torticollis
10.  Forward Head Posture (Lordosis)
11.  Elongated Lower Face  
(Steep Mandibular Angle)
12.  Speech Abnormalities

## **SIGNS (Intra-oral) For Doctor's use only.**

1.  Crowded Lower Anteriors
2.  Wear of Lower Anterior Teeth
3.  Lingual Inclination of Lower Anteriors
4.  Lingual Inclination of Upper Anteriors  
(Div. II Occlusion)
5.  Bicuspid Drop Off
6.  Depressed Curve of Spee
7.  Lingually Tipped Lower Posteriors
8.  Narrow Mandibular Arch
9.  Narrow Maxillary Arch  
(High Palatal Vault)
10.  Midline Discrepancy
11.  Malrelated Dental Arches
12.  Tooth Mobility
13.  Flared Upper Anterior Teeth
14.  Facets
15.  Cervical Erosion  
(Abfractions)
16.  Locked Upper Buccal Cusps
17.  Fractured Cusps (Particularly  
Cl. I & II Non-functional Cusps )
18.  Chipped Anterior Teeth
19.  Loss of Molars
20.  Open Interproximal Contacts
21.  Unexplained Gingival Inflammation  
and Hypertrophy
22.  Crossbite
23.  Anterior Open Bite
24.  Anterior Tongue Thrust
25.  Lateral Tongue Thrust
26.  Scalloping of the Lateral Border  
of the Tongue