

ANTE AND POSTNATAL CLIENT QUESTIONNAIRE

ALL INFORMATION WILL BE TREATED IN THE STRICTEST OF CONFIDENCE

Your details

Name:

Address:

D.O.B:

Occupation:

Email:

Telephone:

Mobile:

Emergency contact details

If possible, please give details of two people whom we may contact in case of emergency.

Emergency contact name 1:

Emergency contact no 1:

Emergency contact name 2:

Emergency contact no 2:

Doctor's name:

Doctor's telephone no:

Do you give permission for us to contact your doctor/medical practitioner? YES NO

Your background and your health

Questions 1-9 relate to antenatal clients only and to your current Pregnancy. (Postnatal clients please go to question 10 to resume Questionnaire)

1. Name of midwife/doula:
2. Midwife/doula's telephone no:
3. Hospital/antenatal clinic/birth centre:
4. Due date of your current pregnancy:
5. Please tick which trimester you are currently in.

First Trimester 0-12 weeks

Second Trimester 13-26 weeks

Third Trimester 27-40 weeks
6. Did you conceive naturally or by ivf? If via ivf, how many treatments did you have?
7. Do you have any particular worries or concerns about exercise during pregnancy?
8. Have you chosen a particular birthing plan? If so, please give brief details below:
9. Has your doctor or midwife given you medical clearance to take part in exercise?
YES NO

Client's signature

Ante and postnatal questions

The following questions (10-25) relate to both ante- and postnatal clients.

10. If you have had children, please would you give their dates of birth below:
11. Please tick the methods of delivery for these children:

Vaginal delivery (no medical intervention)

Vaginal delivery with medical intervention (e.g. Forceps)

Caesarean section
12. Did you have any problems during your previous pregnancies, births or in the postnatal period that may impact your ability to exercise? (e.g. diastasis recti)
13. Have you ever experienced any of the following, past or present?

Miscarriage	Vaginal bleeding
Incompetent cervix	Multiple gestation (twins etc.)
Pre eclampsia	Shortness of breath
Chest pains	Eating disorder
Seizures	Blood disorder
Heart disease	Hypoglycaemia
Pelvic/abdominal cramps	Diabetes
14. Have you ever suffered with pelvic girdle pain? E.g. symphysis pubis dysfunction, sacroiliac joint pain?
YES NO
If Yes, please give brief details below of condition and treatment (e.g. physiotherapy)

Ante and postnatal questions

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15. Do you lose your balance because of dizziness or do you ever lose consciousness, feel faint or dizzy?

YES NO

16. Is your blood pressure?

Normal Low High

If High, is it being medically controlled?

YES NO

17. Have you had major surgery in the last 10 years? (except caesarean section)

YES NO

If Yes, please give details:

18. Have you had minor surgery in the last two years?

YES NO

If Yes, please give details:

19. Have you ever been told that you have arthritic joints, osteoporosis or any bone or joint problem that may affect your ability to exercise?

YES NO

If Yes, please give details:

20. Do you have neck or back pain?

YES NO

If Yes, please give details:

21. Do you have pain or restricted movement in any other joints? (e.g. hip, knee, ankle, shoulder)?

YES NO

If Yes, please give details:

22. Have you been diagnosed as having hypermobile joints? (excessive joint movement)

YES NO

23. Are there any movements or positions which cause you pain?

YES NO

If Yes, please give details:

24. Is there anything else in your medical history that you feel could affect your ability to exercise?

YES NO

If Yes, please give details:

25. Are you taking any medications that may affect your ability to exercise?

YES NO

If Yes, please give details:

Postnatal clients only

The following questions (26-33) relate to postnatal clients only. Antenatal clients please go to question 34.

26. How many weeks postnatal are you?
27. Did you have a lengthy or difficult labour?
YES NO
28. Method of delivery of your recent baby:
(please tick)
caesarean section
Vaginal delivery (no medical intervention)
Vaginal delivery with medical intervention (e.g. Forceps)
29. If you had a vaginal delivery, did you have stitches to repair an episiotomy or tear?
YES NO
If yes, have you healed?
YES NO
30. Do you have any particular concerns or worries about your pelvic floor health, e.g. Are you Experiencing urine leakage? Have you noticed Anything unusual or had a lack of sensation?
31. Are you breastfeeding?
YES NO
32. Do you have any particular concerns or worries about exercise in the postnatal period?
YES NO
If yes, please give details:
33. Has your doctor, consultant or midwife given you medical clearance to take part in exercise ?
YES NO

Client's signature

Exercise history

The following questions (34-39) are for both ante- and postnatal clients.

34. Do you take regular exercise?
YES NO
If yes, please tick and indicate the number of sessions per week:
Cardiovascular activities:
Gym workouts:
Yoga:
Other:
35. Will this be the first time that you have practised Pilates?
YES NO
If no, have you previously attended (please tick)
Studio
Pilates in Sevenoaks mat work classes
Other mat work classes
At home: books, DVDS
Number of classes attended:
0-5 5-10 10-20 20+

Your aims

For both ante- and postnatal clients.

36. What are your reasons for taking up Pilates at this time?
37. Do you have any particular goals that you wish to achieve over the next 3 months?
38. What longer term health benefits or goals would you like to achieve over the next 12 months?
39. Are there any factors that your teacher should be aware of that may prevent you from regularly attending classes? (such as child care, lack of transport, work or family commitments).

Please advise us before commencing any session if, for any reason, your health or ability to exercise changes.

If you are pregnant, we strongly recommend that you check with your doctor/midwife at regular intervals (perhaps at your antenatal check ups) if it is still ok for you to exercise.

If you are in doubt about the suitability of the exercises, please refer back to your medical practitioner. The teacher can accept no liability for personal injury related to participation in a session if:

- Your doctor has not given you medical clearance to exercise/to continue to exercise
- You fail to observe instructions on safety and technique
- Such injury is caused by the negligence of another participant in the class/studio

The exercises, and the transitions between exercises, should be performed at a pace which feels comfortable for you.

Please tell the teacher if you feel any discomfort, dizziness, nausea or pain during the session.

Please also inform the teacher if you felt discomfort or pain after a previous session.

I understand that Pilates exercises involve hands-on correction and I hereby consent for my teachers to work in this way.

I confirm that I have read and understood the advice above and the information I have given is correct.

I confirm that my teacher may use the contents of this form, and any other information I may later provide, for teaching purposes, and that this information:

- will be used in confidence and stored securely
- will not, in any circumstances, be shared with a third party without my written consent, unless that party is another Pilates teacher who will teach me.
- may be retained by the teacher for a period of time such as complies with professional, legal and insurance requirements that they must fulfil.

I confirm my agreement to Pilates in Sevenoaks contacting me with information on classes and other Pilates-related activities, and understand that I have the right to withdraw this 'consent to be contacted' at any time.

Signed client:

Date:

THANK YOU FOR COMPLETING THIS QUESTIONNAIRE