

STUDY NUMBER _____ **INITIALS** _____ **DATE** _____

Q1 Do you have hay fever? Yes No

If yes do you get symptoms mainly in the:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Spring time (February/March to May/June) | <input type="checkbox"/> Autumn (October to December) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Summertime (May/June to August) | <input type="checkbox"/> Winter (November to February) |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> All year round |

Q2 Have you ever had any allergic reactions to food? Yes No

If no – stop here and hand the questionnaire back to the researcher

Q3 Do you experience reactions to foods all year round? Yes No
If no – do you only get reactions to food during your main hay fever season? Yes No

Q4 Which foods do you have a reaction to:

Column A

- Fruit or vegetables
- Bean sprouts, salad leaves or herbs
- Nuts including all tree nuts and peanuts
- Peeling potatoes or other root vegetables
- Beans, lentils, chickpeas or other legumes

Column B

- Milk, eggs, chicken
- Fish, shellfish
- Wheat or other cereal
- Other food

Q5 If reactions are to any food in column A, is your reaction to:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Raw foods only | <input type="checkbox"/> Cooked foods only |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Both raw and cooked foods | <input type="checkbox"/> Not sure |

Q6 How quickly do the symptoms occur (tick one)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> On touching lips | <input type="checkbox"/> Within 30 minutes of eating |
| <input type="checkbox"/> On biting or chewing | <input type="checkbox"/> 1-2 hours after eating |
| <input type="checkbox"/> On or up to 5 minutes after swallowing | <input type="checkbox"/> 2-4 hours after eating |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Within 15 minutes of eating | <input type="checkbox"/> More than 6 hours after eating |

Q7 Which of the following symptoms do you have after eating foods to which you are allergic (tick all that apply and grade each symptom from 0-3 (0 = none, 1 = mild, 2 = moderate, 3 = severe):

- Tingling/numbness of lips/mouth or strange mouth sensation (____)
- Intense itching of the lips, mouth, palate or ears (____)
- Scratchy/sore throat (____)
- Urticarial rash (nettle rash) either on contact (e.g. peeling potatoes) or on eating (____)
- Swelling of lips, tongue, mouth or throat (____)
- Anaphylaxis (rapid onset of flushing, with severe difficulty in breathing or collapse) (____)
- Asthma (____)
- Rhinitis (hay fever) (____)
- Eczema (____)
- Vomiting, Diarrhoea or bloating(____)
- Other (____)