



SAGE Life Story & Meaningful Engagement Assessment

Purpose

This assessment helps our team learn about the person behind the diagnosis so we can provide personalized, dignified, and meaningful care. Complete it with the client whenever possible. Family members are encouraged to assist.

Background

Preferred Name:

Does your name have a special meaning or story?

Do you have a nickname? If so, how did you get it?

Where were you born?

When were you born?

Family & Childhood

Tell us about your father.

Tell us about your mother.

Did you have brothers or sisters? Please describe them.

What do you remember about your grandparents?

Where did you grow up?

What was your childhood home like?

What was your neighborhood like?

What games or activities did you enjoy as a child?

Are or were you married? Tell us about your spouse.

Tell us about your children and grandchildren.

Daily Routine

What time do you like to wake up?

Do you like to stay in your pajamas for a while?

What is your typical morning routine?

Do you prefer a shower or bath?

What time of day do you prefer bathing?

What do you enjoy for breakfast?

What does a typical afternoon look like?

Do you enjoy naps?

Do you prefer your largest meal at lunch or dinner?

What does your evening routine usually include?

What time do you usually go to bed?

Are there hygiene products you especially like?

Education & Work

Where did you attend school?

What did you enjoy most about school?

What was your first job?

What kind of work did you do throughout your career?

What accomplishments are you most proud of?

Leisure & Interests

What hobbies or interests have you enjoyed?

Favorite books, movies, or television shows?

What music do you enjoy?

Did you have pets?

Did you enjoy traveling? Where?

What are some of the most memorable events in your life?

What is your favorite season?

Do you enjoy spending time alone, with a few people, or in larger groups?

Faith & Personal Values



Did faith or religion play an important role in your life?

Did you attend a place of worship?

Were you involved in any religious activities?

Do you have favorite prayers, hymns, or spiritual traditions?

Emotional Wellbeing

What kinds of things usually bring you joy?

What helps you feel safe and comfortable?

What situations tend to make you sad?

What helps when you are feeling sad?

What situations make you anxious, frustrated, or upset?

What usually helps calm those feelings?

Home & Comfort

Please describe your bedroom at home.

Tell us about your favorite room in the house.

What are some of your favorite things to do at home?

Additional Information

Are there favorite foods, traditions, holidays, or routines we should know about?

Is there anything else you would like our care team to know that would help us provide exceptional care?
