# Inflammatory back pain screening tool

Have you experienced back pain for > 3 months?

#### If Yes, proceed with the following questions

1. Did the back pain start before the age of 40?	Yes	No
2. Did the back pain develop gradually?	Yes	No
3. Does the back pain improve with exercise?	Yes	No
4. Does the back pain NOT improve with rest?	Yes	No
5. Does the back pain occur at night and improve after getting up?	Yes	No
Total questions answered Yes* =		

Adapted from ASAS IBP criteria: Sieper J et al. Ann Rheum Dis. 2009;68:784–788.

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# \*Criteria for IBP are fulfilled if at least 4 of 5 questions are answered Yes.

# Labs and Radiographic evaluation (please provide original reports and images)

#### HLA B-27 Positive

Yes No Not Done

# Elevated CRP (If yes, specify level)

Yes\_\_\_\_\_ No Not Done

#### Sacroiliac (SI) joint X-Ray (Ferguson view), optional

Yes No Not Done

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