

# **Physician Steadiness Survey**

Here is a short self-evaluation survey that lets you rate your connection, agility, balance, and self-awareness.

This is not designed as a screening tool. Your score does not suggest a diagnosis. Instead, its purpose is to help you evaluate the level of fulfillment in your life as a physician. Set aside a few moments, commit to being honest with yourself,

Print this form out and rate yourself for each statement using the following scale.

- 1. Very seldom true of me
- 2. Seldom true of me
- 3. Sometimes true of me
- 4. Often true of me
- 5. Very often true of me

### **Self-Awareness**

- I can identify and express my feelings.
- I can recognize when I am worrying needlessly.
- I know what my strengths are as well as the areas I may need to improve.
- 4. I can stop and reflect on essential experiences during my workday.

## **Agility**

- I can adjust to differences between myself and others at work.
- I can adapt to new situations.
- 7. I am satisfied with how I handle conflict at work.
- 8. I can "shift gears" quickly in response to the changing demands of my workday.

### Connection

- 9. I feel as compassionate toward my patients as ever.
- 10. I can "be present" in the moment while at work.
- 11. I awaken in the morning, looking forward to the workday.
- 12. I feel connected to my peers and staff.

### **Balance**

- 13. I can carve out time for myself.
- 14. I feel energetic at work.
- 15. I am satisfied with the quality of my family and social life.
- 16. I feel satisfied with my participation in hobbies and recreational activities.

Again, this is a survey, not a screening tool. There are no "diagnostic cutoffs". But I hope that has enabled you to evaluate your steadiness and fulfillment as a physician.

My coaching program is designed to address these areas and more in the service of sustained progress toward an ideal life as a physician or physician leader.

Save your results. They will be helpful for our Exploratory Session.