

*The Law Office of*  
**Michael J. Girardi**

**Elder Care Questionnaire**

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**THE PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL FILE**

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If you have any questions or need assistance in completing this questionnaire, please do not hesitate to call 724-339-1062. Make sure to complete this questionnaire and bring it with you to our initial meeting.

**ALL THE INFORMATION YOU PROVIDE IN THIS QUESTIONNAIRE IS STRICTLY  
CONFIDENTIAL.**

PLEASE NOTE that no attorney-client relationship has been formed by receiving or completing this questionnaire. If you do not return your completed questionnaire within **THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the date of receipt, your file will be closed and the Law Office of Michael J. Girardi will take no further actions in this matter.



## **INTRODUCTION**

This initial elder care questionnaire is designed to give the Law Office of Michael J. Girardi an accurate understanding of your current situation so that we can better advise you on your elder care needs. Please be as complete as possible when answering this questionnaire; however do not delay an appointment for lack of answers to these questions. If any of the requested information does not apply or is not readily available, leave those sections blank. Feel free to attach any additional information you would like to provide us.



**PART I. PERSONAL INFORMATION**

**A. Client**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_  
U.S. Citizen: \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No Veteran: \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No  
Soc. Sec. No. \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ Date of Discharge: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_  
Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
Marital Status: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Divorce: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

**B. Former Spouse (if applicable)**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_  
U.S. Citizen: \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No Veteran: \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No  
Soc. Sec. No. \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_ Date of Discharge: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_  
Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
If deceased, Date of Death: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

**C. Residence**

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Marriage: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

**D. Children & Grandchildren**

Name of Child: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
Marital Status: \_\_\_\_\_ Children (Y/N): \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Child: \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
Marital Status: \_\_\_\_\_ Children (Y/N): \_\_\_\_\_

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Are all of your children / grandchildren in good health? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No  
Are any of your children / grandchildren blind? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No  
Are any of your children / grandchildren disabled? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No  
Are any of your children / grandchildren receiving government Benefits?  
(Such as Disability, SSI, Medicaid, or Veteran's Benefits) \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

Do any of your children / grandchildren have problems with:  
Drug Addiction? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No Finances \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No  
Alcoholism? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No Creditors \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No  
Gambling? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

Are any of your children / grandchildren in an unstable  
marriage / divorce foreseeable? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

**E. Miscellaneous**

Do you have pets? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No  
Does anyone live in your home with you? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

Please rate the following, from 1 (lowest) to 10 (highest)  
Your Mental Health \_\_\_\_\_ Your Physical Health \_\_\_\_\_

**PART II. CURRENT ESTATE PLAN & ADVISORS**

**A. Current Estate Plan**

Do you have any of the following:

Last Will & Testament	_____ Yes	_____ No
Financial / General Durable Power of Attorney	_____ Yes	_____ No
Health Care Power of Attorney / Living Will	_____ Yes	_____ No
Trust	_____ Yes	_____ No
Prenuptial Agreement	_____ Yes	_____ No

Do you have a safe deposit box? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No  
If yes, please provide the location: \_\_\_\_\_

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**B. Advisors**

Position	Name	Phone Number
Investment Advisor	_____	_____
Accountant	_____	_____
Life Insurance Agent	_____	_____
Other Attorney	_____	_____
Primary Physician	_____	_____

**PART III. INSURANCE**

**A. Life Insurance**

Name of Company: \_\_\_\_\_ Policy #: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
Type of Policy: \_\_\_\_\_ Owner: \_\_\_\_\_  
Insured: \_\_\_\_\_ Face Value: \_\_\_\_\_  
Death Benefit: \_\_\_\_\_ Cash Value: \_\_\_\_\_  
Beneficiary: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Company: \_\_\_\_\_ Policy #: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
Type of Policy: \_\_\_\_\_ Owner: \_\_\_\_\_  
Insured: \_\_\_\_\_ Face Value: \_\_\_\_\_  
Death Benefit: \_\_\_\_\_ Cash Value: \_\_\_\_\_  
Beneficiary: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Company: \_\_\_\_\_ Policy #: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
Type of Policy: \_\_\_\_\_ Owner: \_\_\_\_\_  
Insured: \_\_\_\_\_ Face Value: \_\_\_\_\_  
Death Benefit: \_\_\_\_\_ Cash Value: \_\_\_\_\_  
Beneficiary: \_\_\_\_\_

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Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
Type of Policy: \_\_\_\_\_ Owner: \_\_\_\_\_  
Insured: \_\_\_\_\_ Face Value: \_\_\_\_\_  
Death Benefit: \_\_\_\_\_ Cash Value: \_\_\_\_\_  
Beneficiary: \_\_\_\_\_

**B. Long Term Care Insurance**

Name of Company: \_\_\_\_\_ Policy #: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
Type of Policy: \_\_\_\_\_ Owner: \_\_\_\_\_  
Insured: \_\_\_\_\_ Is spouse insured under policy (Y/N) \_\_\_\_\_  
Beneficiary: \_\_\_\_\_  
Daily Rate: \_\_\_\_\_ Maximum Payment \_\_\_\_\_ Duration of Policy: \_\_\_\_\_

**PART IV GIFTS**

1. Have you ever filed a Federal Gift Tax Return? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No  
If so, for what calendar year(s)? \_\_\_\_\_
  2. Have you ever made gifts in in excess of \$10,000? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No
  3. Have you made gifts in excess of \$500 in any one month to an individual, group of individuals or trusts within the past 60 months? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No
  4. Were names added to or removed from any bank, investment, or financial account held jointly with another individual in the past 60 months? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No
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If yes to 2, 3 or 4 above, please list the recipients below:

Name	Date	Amount
_____	___ / ___ / ___	_____
_____	___ / ___ / ___	_____
_____	___ / ___ / ___	_____
_____	___ / ___ / ___	_____
_____	___ / ___ / ___	_____
_____	___ / ___ / ___	_____

**PART V HEALTH CARE**

**A. Primary Physician**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**B. Insurance**

Health Insurance Provider: \_\_\_\_\_

Policy Number / ID: \_\_\_\_\_

Is Client currently receiving benefits under PACE or PACENET?    \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No

If Client is a Veteran, are they receiving Tricare?    \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No

Does Client have a supplemental health insurance policy?    \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No

If yes, please list the name of the provider and monthly premium:    \$\_\_\_\_\_

If yes, please name company: \_\_\_\_\_

**C. Independent/ Assisted Living, Personal Care Home or Skilled Nursing Facility**

Facility: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ County: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

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Monthly Cost	\$ _____
Monthly Prescription Cost	\$ _____
Monthly Incontinent Cost	\$ _____
Monthly Caregiver Cost	\$ _____
Other	\$ _____
Other	\$ _____
<b>TOTAL MONTHLY COST</b>	<b>\$ _____</b>

Date entered facility: \_\_\_\_/ \_\_\_\_/ \_\_\_\_\_

Medicare coverage ended / will end: \_\_\_\_/ \_\_\_\_/ \_\_\_\_\_

The facility is paid through: \_\_\_\_/ \_\_\_\_/ \_\_\_\_\_

#### D. Additional Care Giving Services Needed

I need assistance with the following:

Assistance with bathing	_____ Yes	_____ No
Standing and sitting	_____ Yes	_____ No
Getting in and out of bed	_____ Yes	_____ No
Eating	_____ Yes	_____ No
Walking	_____ Yes	_____ No
Dressing and undressing	_____ Yes	_____ No
Taking medication	_____ Yes	_____ No

Name of Caregiver/Agency providing care: \_\_\_\_\_

How many hours per day / days per week is care received: \_\_\_\_\_

#### E. Diagnosis / Prognosis

Medical Condition: \_\_\_\_\_

Prognosis: \_\_\_\_\_

Course of Treatment: \_\_\_\_\_

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**PART VI. LIABILITIES**

Please list any significant creditors you may have, the current balance, and whether the liability is owed solely by you or jointly with another.

Creditor	Current Balance	Sole / Joint
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Are there any legal issues we should be aware of?  Yes  No

**PART VII. ASSETS, INCOME, & EXPENSES**

Please provide the value of each asset / income / expenses in the appropriate space. Pay particular attention to how the asset is owned or titled.

**A. General Assets**

ASSET	OWNED INDIVIDUALLY	OWNED JOINTLY WITH ANOTHER
Personal Effects		
Jewelry		
Furnishings & Art		
Collectibles		
Checking Account		
Savings Account		
Money Market Account		
Certificates of Deposit		
Residence Property		
Other Real Estate		
Closely Held Business Ownership Interest		
Automobiles		
Other Vehicles		

Stocks		
Bonds		
Mutual Funds		
Annuities		
IRA / Roth		
401K / 403B, etc.		
Other		
Other		
Other		
Total		

**B. Income**

<b>MONTHLY INCOME</b>	
<b>Type</b>	<b>Amount</b>
Salary/Wages	
Social Security Benefits	
Pension	
Retirement Benefits (Gross)	
Veterans Disability Income	
Disability	
Annuity Income	
Interest/Dividends	
Rental Income	
Other Income	
Medicare Part D	
Medicare Part B Deduction	
Total Income	

**C. Expenses**

<b>MONTHLY SHELTER EXPENSES</b>	
Mortgage	
Rent	
Real Estate Taxes	
Water	



### Certification

The undersigned hereby represent to the Law Office of Michael J. Girardi that the information contained in this questionnaire is accurate and complete, and that the undersigned understand that the Law Office will rely on this information. We understand that if the information contained herein is inaccurate or incomplete, the recommendations made by the Law Office may not be appropriate.

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Signature of Client or Client Representative

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Date

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