

Appendix 1. The questionnaire

Section A

Please answer the following questions.

Q1. Do you have any sexual dysfunction?

1. Yes
2. No

Q2. Do you desire sexual dysfunction treatment?

1. Yes
2. No

Q3. Why do/don't you desire treatment? [Please write down below]

Q4. Do you want to receive treatment from primary care physicians?

1. Yes
2. No → Jump to Section B

Q5. Have you ever talked about your sexual dysfunction to your primary care physician?

1. Yes → Jump to Section B
2. No

Q6. Why have you hesitated to talk about sexual dysfunction with primary care physicians? [Multiple choice]

1. I felt ashamed to talk about sexual dysfunction
2. I felt primary care physicians would dismiss complaints about sexual dysfunction
3. I felt primary care physicians would be uncomfortable to talk about sexual dysfunction
4. I thought there was no treatment for sexual dysfunction
5. I did not know primary care physicians can treat sexual dysfunction
6. I hesitated because my primary care physician was a female
7. Other reason [Please write down:]

Section B

Please circle the response that best describes your situation for the following five questions:

Over the Past 6 months:						
Q7. How do you rate your confidence that you could get and keep an erection?		Very low 1	Low 2	Moderate 3	High 4	Very high 5
Q8. When you had erections with sexual stimulation, how often were your erections hard enough for penetration?	No sexual activity 0	Almost never or never 1	A few times (much less than half the time) 2	Sometimes (about half at time) 3	Most times (much more than half the time) 4	Almost always or always 5
Q9. During sexual intercourse, how often were you able to maintain your erection after you had penetrated your partner?	Did not attempt intercourse 0	Almost never or never 1	A few times (much less than half the time) 2	Sometimes (about half at time) 3	Most times (much more than half the time) 4	Almost always or always 5
Q10. During sexual intercourse, how difficult was it to maintain your erection to completion of intercourse?	Did not attempt intercourse 0	Extremely difficult 1	Very difficult 2	Difficult 3	Slightly difficult 4	Not difficult 5
Q11. When you attempted sexual intercourse, how often was it satisfactory for you?	Did not attempt intercourse 0	Almost never or never 1	A few times (much less than half the time) 2	Sometimes (about half at time) 3	Most times (much more than half the time) 4	Almost always or always 5

Abbreviation: PCPs, Primary care providers. IIEF-5, five-item version of the International Index of Erectile Function.