

**WORK AND PRODUCTIVITY QUESTIONNAIRE**

These questions are about your work for pay during your shingles episode. Please read and answer each question carefully. If you are not sure how to answer a question, please give the best answer you can.

1. Before your shingles episode, did you work at a paying job?

No > If NO, then skip this questionnaire and go to the Health Care Utilization Resource Use on

Yes > If YES, then please continue

2. Number of times you missed work because of the effects of your shingles, shingles medication, or other treatment for shingles? (If none, please write "0")

<b>an entire day</b>	<b>part of a work day</b>
<input style="width: 30px; height: 20px; border: 1px solid black;" type="text"/> <input style="width: 30px; height: 20px; border: 1px solid black;" type="text"/> Times	<input style="width: 30px; height: 20px; border: 1px solid black;" type="text"/> <input style="width: 30px; height: 20px; border: 1px solid black;" type="text"/> Times

3. Please indicate the principle causes of your absences: (please check all that apply)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> healthcare visits         | <input type="checkbox"/> unable to concentrate at work                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> too much pain to work     | <input type="checkbox"/> visible rash kept you from wanting to go to work |
| <input type="checkbox"/> too uncomfortable to work | <input type="checkbox"/> side effects of shingles medication              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> other (specify): _____    |   |

4. Please indicate whether you needed to:

a. Take extended sick leave due to your shingles episode?

No

Yes > If YES, for how long? 

 days

b. Go on disability due to your shingles episode?

No

Yes > If YES, for how long? 

 days

c. Used vacation time to recover from your shingles episode?

No

Yes > If YES, for how long? 

 days

5. How would you rate your effectiveness at work during your shingles episode? (check only one box)  N/A (no pain)

0%	10%	20%	30%	40%	50%	60%	70%	80%	90%	100%
Not effective at all									Completely effective (able to work like before shingles began)	