

Patient Name: _____

DOB: _____

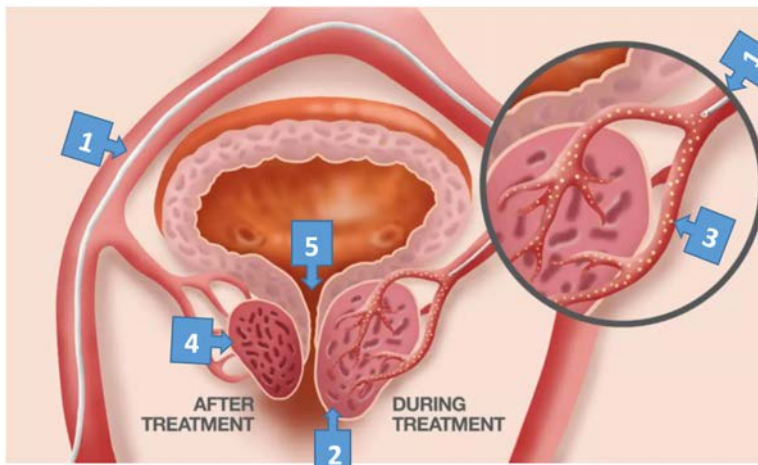
Today's Date: _____

PRIMARY PHYSICIAN: _____

UROLOGIST: _____

INTERNATIONAL PROSTATE SYMPTOM SCORE QUESTIONNAIRE

In the past month:	Not at All	Less than 1 in 5 times	Less than Half the Time	About Half the Time	More than Half the Time	Almost Always	Your Score
1. Incomplete Emptying How often have you had the sensation of not emptying your bladder?	0	1	2	3	4	5	
2. Frequency How often have you had to urinate less than every two hours?	0	1	2	3	4	5	
3. Intermittency How often have you found you stopped and started again several times when you urinated?	0	1	2	3	4	5	
4. Urgency How often have you found it difficult to postpone urination?	0	1	2	3	4	5	
5. Weak Stream How often have you had a weak urinary stream?	0	1	2	3	4	5	
6. Straining How often have you had to strain to start urination?	0	1	2	3	4	5	
	None	1 time	2 times	3 times	4 times	5 times	
7. Nocturia How many times did you typically get up at night to urinate?	0	1	2	3	4	5	
Total I-PSS Score							
	Score: 1-7 Mild		8-19 Moderate		20-35 Severe		



Prostate Artery Embolization (PAE) is a cutting edge procedure offered by AMIR at Silver Cross Hospital. Your interventional radiologist will navigate your blood vessels with tiny catheters (1) and wires to find the arteries supplying your enlarged prostate gland (2). By injecting microscopic beads (3), the arteries can be blocked off and the prostate will shrink over time (4). This decreases the pressure on the urethra (5) which is the tube that empties urine from your bladder and allows you to pee better. PAE is a superior alternative to surgery and is a minimally invasive same day outpatient procedure with almost no side effects including no sexual side effects. PAE is for men with enlarged prostates blocking the flow of their urine who are looking for an alternative to surgery.