General Instructions

The Fibroscan form captures results obtained from a FibroScan test. Various models of the FibroScan device may be used to obtain this information.

At least 10 valid measurements should be obtained each time a FibroScan test is performed and data are captured for study purposes.

The patient must fast a minimum of 3 hours prior to the test. A 12 hour fast is optimal and at least 8 hours is consistent with the recommendation for the Cohort Study.

Refer to the HBRN study specific protocol for details when FibroScan procedure is completed.

Specific Instructions

Patient ID**:**   Record the Patient ID number in the top right hand corner of each page.

Date of Exam: Record the date (month/day/year) of the FibroScan procedure.

Time of Exam: Record the time (24-hour, military time) that the FibroScan procedure was started.

Section I: Evaluation

Height: Record the patient's height at the time of the evaluation. Ask the patient to remove shoes prior to obtaining the measurement. Check "inches" or "cm" (centimeters) to indicate the unit of measure. If height was not measured then check "Not done". If for any reason (e.g. wheelchair-bound, equipment failure, etc.) a standing measurement is not obtained, record "Not done".

Weight: Record the patient's weight at the time of the evaluation. Check "lbs" (pounds) or "kg" (kilograms) to indicate the unit of measure. If weight was not measured then check "Not done".

Fasting: Check "Yes" or "No" to indicate if the patient was fasting for this test. If yes, record the length of the fasting period to the nearest hour.

Section II: Procedure

Operator initials: Record the initials (first letter of first, middle, and last name) of the operator.

Probe type: Record the size of the probe used for the procedure.

Elastograhy data: Check Yes or No to indicate whether elastography data were obtained from the procedure. If Yes, record the information obtained, and if No, indicate the reason that information was not obtained.