

## Personal Details

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Postcode \_\_\_\_\_  
Home Tel \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile \_\_\_\_\_  
Email address \_\_\_\_\_ Date of birth \_\_\_\_\_  
Hobbies \_\_\_\_\_

## Emergency Contact Details

Surname \_\_\_\_\_ First name \_\_\_\_\_  
Home Tel \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile \_\_\_\_\_

## Part 1: Your background and your health

1. Does your work/sport involve the following? (Please tick)

Sitting for long periods    Driving    Bending    Standing    Lifting heavy weights    Other repetitive action

2. Is your blood pressure:

Normal    Low    High

High, but controlled with medication

3. Do you suffer from asthma, diabetes or epilepsy?

Yes    No

4. Do you have pain or restricted movements in any other joints? (e.g. hip, knee, ankle, shoulder?)

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5. Do you lose your balance because of dizziness or do you lose consciousness, feel faint or dizzy?

Yes    No

6. Has your doctor ever said that you have any sort of heart trouble or defect?

Yes    No

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7. Do you feel chest pain when you undertake physical activity?

Yes    No

8. Have you been told that you have arthritic joints, osteoporosis: osteopenia or any bone/joint problem that may be made worse by exercising?

Yes    No

9. Are you, or could be pregnant?    Yes    No

If YES, when is your due date? \_\_\_\_\_

10. Have you been pregnant in the last 6 months?

Yes    No

11. Have you been diagnosed as hypermobile?

Yes    No

12. Are you taking any medications which affect your ability to exercise?

Yes    No

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Yes No

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15. Have you had major surgery in the last 10 years??

Yes No

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14. Do you often get headaches?

Yes No

16. Are there any movements that cause you pain?

Yes No

Please list any health problems, not already mentioned above, that may affect your ability to exercise \_\_\_\_\_

Please give further relevant details, in confidence to any questions answered YES, in particular movements that cause you discomfort or pain. If you have answered YES to any of the above, please give further relevant details below, in confidence

Have you got medical permission to exercise? Yes No Have not consulted GP

## Part 2: Your aims

What are your reasons for taking up Pilates? \_\_\_\_\_

What health or physical goals would you like to achieve in the next 3/6 months? \_\_\_\_\_

## Part 3: Important information

Please advise before commencing any session if, for any reason, your health or your ability to exercise changes.

It is inadvisable to do Pilates between weeks 8-14 of pregnancy, unless by special arrangement with your teacher and it is also wise to wait 6 weeks after birth before resuming exercise.

Pilates exercise is very safe but, as with all forms of physical exercise, it is prudent to consult your doctor before starting Pilates sessions if you have any concerns. Exercise should be performed at a pace which feels comfortable for you; PAIN is the body's warning system and should not be ignored. Please inform your teacher immediately if you feel any discomfort during a session. Please also inform the teacher if you felt any discomfort after the previous session.

These sessions are not a substitute for medical counselling or treatment. If you any doubts about the suitability of the exercises, you should refer to your medical practitioner. The teacher can accept no liability for personal injury related to participation in a session if:

- your doctor has, on health grounds, advised you against such exercise
- you fail to observe instructions on safety or technique
- such injury is caused by the negligence of another participant in the class

The APPI Pilates method involves a hands-on correction and hereby give consent to work in this way.

I confirm that I have read and understood the above advice and that the information I have given is correct.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_