

Tax Return Appointment Questionnaire

Client Name(s)	Tax Year		
Note: All questions pertain to tax year 2015 unless otherwise specified.	Yes	<u>No</u>	
1. Did you (or your spouse) make any gifts of over \$14,000 (in cash or in fair market value) to an individual?			
2. Did you make any major purchases such as a vehicle or boat?			
3. Do you qualify to claim any dependency exemptions (children, parents, etc.)?			
4. Are you (or your spouse) age 70 ¹ / ₂ or older?			
5. Do you have any worthless stocks (not in retirement plans) or uncollectible bad debts?			
6. Do you have any capital loss carryovers from 2014?			
7. Did you sell and/or purchase a home?			
8. Did you receive any gambling winnings?			
9. Did you make any federal estimated income tax payments?			
10. Did you make any state estimated income tax payments?			
 Did you participate in your employer's <u>dependent (child) care</u> benefit plan (Flexible Spending Account, see W-2 Box 10)? (<u>NOT MEDICAL</u>) 			
12. Did you pay for adoption expenses?			
13. If you have children under age 24, did any of them receive total <u>unearned</u> income (interest, dividends, capital gains, etc.) greater than \$1,050?			
14. Did you make any payments for long-term care insurance premiums?			
15. Did you pay interest on a student loan?			
16. Did you pay for college tuition or any work related education expenses?			
17. Did you contribute to a Roth IRA? If not, would you like to?			
18. Did you contribute to a Traditional IRA? If not, would you like to?			
19. Did you convert a Traditional IRA to a Roth IRA?			
20. Did you take money out of an IRA (Traditional, Roth and/or Education) or 401(k)?			
21. Have you ever made a nondeductible (Not Roth) Traditional IRA contribution?			
22. Does your outstanding <u>first mortgage</u> balance(s) exceed \$1,000,000?			
23. Does your outstanding home equity loan (NOT 1 st mortgage) debt exceed \$100,000	?		
24. Did you originate a mortgage after 2006 on which you pay PMI?			
25. Are you or your spouse legally blind?			
26. Did you refinance and pay points?			
27. Did you incur and pay any legal fees related to your job or tax issues?			



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28. Did you make loan payments on a boat or recreational vehicle that has basic living accommodations such as sleeping space, a toilet and cooking facilities?		
29. At any time during 2015, did you have a financial interest in or signature authority over a financial account in a foreign country?		
30. If you answered yes to #29, did these foreign assets exceed \$50,000 (\$100K if MFJ) or the last day of 2015 or more than \$75,000 (\$150K if MFJ) at any time during the year?		
31. If you get a refund, do you want your refund deposited directly into your bank acct?		
32. If you are due a refund, do you want to credit it to next year's tax?		
33. Did you withdraw any money from an IRA and use it to purchase a home, pay for higher education expenses, pay for medical expenses or pay for health insurance?		
34. Did you contribute any money to or take money out of a Health Savings Account (not a flexible spending account) HSA ?		
35. Will any of your <u>dependent</u> children be filing their own tax return this year?		
36. Did you pay alimony during the tax year in question?		
37. Did you receive alimony during the tax year in question?		
38. Did you receive unemployment compensation?		
39. Did you have any debt that was cancelled, forgiven and/or discharged?		
40. Did you install any of the following in your personal residence: windows, skylights, exterior doors, insulation, a metal roof, HVAC system, water heater, solar energy system, fuel cell or geothermal heat pump?		
41. Did you transfer an IRA distribution directly to a qualifying charitable organization?		
42. Did you claim a first-time homebuyer credit on your 2008 tax return?		
43. Did you receive a Premium Tax Credit under the Affordable Care Act?		
44. Did you pay more than \$250 in tuition, book fees (rental only – not purchase) and/or lab fees to an Illinois School for a child in <u>kindergarten through 12th grade</u> ?		
45. Did you contribute to the Illinois Bright Start, Bright Directions and/or College Illinois college plans?		
46. Did you receive any money from a legal settlement?		
47. Are you reporting all of the income you received?		
48. Do you expect your income and/or deductions to change dramatically in 2016?		
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