

National Breath Center

Halitosis Initial Interview Questions©

How do you know you have a problem with bad breath? When did it start? **Please describe in detail.**

Do you also have a bad taste in your mouth? Yes _____ No _____

If Yes, please describe the taste:

Is the bad taste associated with the bad breath? Yes _____ No _____

Does anything make your breath better or make it worse? Yes _____ No _____

If YES, please describe:

What do YOU think is the cause of your problem?

Do you do anything to treat this problem? (List all treatment and explain how you use it)

Does your mouth often feel dry? Yes _____ No _____

Do you have a history of sinus problems? Respiratory problems? Gastrointestinal problems?

Have you ever seen a medical doctor for any of these problems?

If Yes to any of the above, please explain:

Are you currently taking any medication? (please list)

Have you ever had a gum exam? When?

Does your food have an uncharacteristic taste?

Do you smoke? How frequently?

Do you snore? Do you have sleep apnea?