

# NORTHWEST PHYSICAL THERAPY

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## *Cozean Pelvic Dysfunction Screening Protocol*

INSTRUCTIONS: Check all that apply

- I sometimes have pelvic pain (in genitals, perineum, pubic, or bladder area, or pain with urination) that exceeds a '3' on a 1-10 pain scale with 10 being the worst pain imaginable.
- I can remember falling onto my tailbone, lower back or buttocks (even in childhood).
- I sometimes experience one or more of the following urinary symptoms:
  - Accidental loss of urine
  - Feeling unable to completely empty my bladder
  - Having to void within a few minutes of a previous void
  - Pain or burning with urination
  - Difficulty starting or frequent stopping/starting of urine stream
- I often or occasionally have to get up to urinate two or more times a night.
- I sometimes have a feeling of increased pelvic pressure or the sensation of my pelvic organs slipping down or falling out.
- I have history or pain in my low back, hip, groin, or tailbone or have sciatica.
- I sometimes experience one or more of the following bowel symptoms:
  - Loss of bowel control
  - Feeling unable to completely empty my bowel movements
  - Straining or pain with a bowel movement
  - Difficulty initiating a bowel movement
- I sometimes experience pain or discomfort with sexual activity or intercourse.
- Sexual activity increases one or more of my other symptoms.
- Prolonged sitting increases my symptoms.

**IF YOU CHECKED 3 OR MORE BOXES, PELVIC FLOOR DYSFUNCTION IS LIKELY.**

***We can help. Call us at (847) 517-1900 to set up a FREE 15-minute consultation with our Pelvic Health Specialist***