

Directions: Provide students with a copy of this case history information. Read it aloud to them. As a class exercise, use this information to fill in Beth Jones' personal, medical, and dental information forms. Use this information and the Jones' Family Tree to fill out the Jones' family history chart.

Case History for Patient Health and Dental Forms

Elizabeth Jones
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Harris, IL 60799
Home Phone: (709) 356-0987
Social Security Number: 354-98-0021

Beth was born on February 27, 1975. She is 5'6" tall, has brown hair and brown eyes, and weighs 130 pounds. She is nearsighted and wears contact lenses or glasses.

She is married but doesn't have any children. Beth's husband, Joseph S. Jones, is 32. His social security number is 792-85-2134.

Beth enjoys playing volleyball and lifting weights two or three times a week. She smokes a pack a day. She drinks alcohol occasionally and considers herself a social drinker.

Beth is a delivery truck driver for UPS. She works out of a UPS center at 39 S. Oak, Springfield, IL 63987. She works full-time and she has health and dental insurance from her company. Her insurance information is below:

Health Insurance

Blue Cross and Blue Shield of Illinois PPO
Group Name: UPS
Group Number: 2343567
ID number is same as social security number

Dental Group Number: 2343567D
ID number is same as social security number

Beth's parents live near her. She usually uses her father as an emergency contact. Her father's name is Steven Jones, and his cell phone number is (983) 234-5677.

In general, Beth's health is pretty good, except that her cholesterol was high two years ago and now she watches her diet carefully. Her last checkup was in April 2006. At that time, she also had a Pap Smear. She has only stayed in the hospital once, in 1988 when she had her appendix removed. She doesn't take any medications except birth control pills—just cold medicine or aspirin once in awhile. She's never had an allergic reaction to a medication, but she is allergic to strawberries. She started menstruating at age 12. She doesn't have any other serious health problems right now.

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Beth doesn't like going to the dentist. In fact, her last dental visit was four years ago. She brushes twice a day. Her teeth are sensitive to cold drinks, and sometimes her gums bleed when she brushes her teeth. She only flosses if she gets food caught between her teeth. Beth wore braces on her teeth in high school.

Beth's dad has high cholesterol, and so does Beth's brother. Since some health problems can run in families, Beth knows that it's important to give her doctor as much information as she can about health problems that her family members have. Beth's mother and sister both have anemia, and so did her grandmother when she was alive. Her grandmother also had colon cancer. There's arthritis on both sides of Beth's family—her mom has arthritis, and so does her dad's father. The same grandfather also has osteoporosis.
