♦ Basic Information
· Gender:
☐ Female ☐ Male
· Age:
☐ Under 10 ☐ 20s ☐ 30s ☐ 40s ☐ 50s ☐ 60s ☐ 70 or older
· Main symptoms (free description):
· Healthcare institutions visited at the time (select all that apply):
☐ Internal medicine ☐ Psychiatry ☐ Acupuncture clinic ☐ Kampo clinic
(Japanese herbal medicine) Other (please specify):
♦ Understanding and Acceptance of the Explanation (5–point scale)
 Do you relate to the feeling of anxiety when no clear diagnosis is given?
☐ Strongly agree ☐ Somewhat agree ☐ Neutral ☐ Somewhat disagree
☐ Strongly disagree
2. Was the explanation using traditional medicine terms (e.g., Liver Qi
stagnation, Spleen deficiency) easy to understand?
☐ Very easy to understand ☐ Somewhat easy to understand ☐ Neutral
☐ Somewhat difficult to understand ☐ Very difficult to understand
3. Did the explanation help you better understand your symptoms?
☐ Significantly improved understanding ☐ Somewhat improved ☐
Neutral ☐ Slightly worsened understanding ☐ No understanding at all
4. Did you feel satisfied with the explanation, even without a biomedical
diagnosis?
☐ Very satisfied ☐ Somewhat satisfied ☐ Neutral ☐ Not very satisfied
☐ Not at all satisfied

♦ Change in Anxiety

5. Did the traditional medicine explanation help reduce your anxiety about your

symptoms?
☐ Anxiety greatly reduced ☐ Somewhat reduced ☐ No change ☐ Slightly
increased Greatly increased
6. How would you rate your anxiety before and after the explanation? $(0 = none,$
10 = extreme)
· Before the explanation: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
· After the explanation: ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ ⑥ ⑦ ⑧ ⑨ ⑩

♦ Optional Comment

Please feel free to write anything else you would like to share (optional):