P R A K R U T I EVALUATION

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ASPECTS VATA air + space PITTA fire + water KAPHA water + earth

OBSERVATION	N (druk) and INSPECTIO	N OF BODY STRUCTUE	RE AND SHAPE (aakruti)	
Body frame		☐ Extremes: tall, short	☐ Medium, muscular	☐ Broad, solid, sturdy
Weight		☐ Thin	☐ Average	☐ Heavy
Abdomen		☐ Thin	☐ Muscular	☐ Thick, soft
Tendons, veins		☐ Prominent	☐ Medium	☐ Deep, hidden
Joints		☐ Cracking	☐ Loose, medium	☐ Well-knit, large
	and complexion	☐ Blackish	☐ Yellowish, reddish	☐ Fair, with lustre
characteristics	1	☐ Dry, rough	☐ Inflamed, oily	☐ Thick, smooth
Hands		☐ Dry, pallid	☐ Medium, red,	☐ Wide, strong
Nails		☐ Dry, brittle, thin	☐ Soft, pink	☐ Smooth, thick, oily
Hair		☐ Dry, coarse, unruly	☐ Fine, oily, thinning	☐ Thick, lustrous, wavy
Eyes		☐ Small, dry, dull	☐ Fiery, intense	☐ Large, gentle, moist
Mouth		☐ Receeding gums	☐ Soft/pink gums	☐ Pink gums
Teeth		☐ Irregular	☐ Medium, yellow	☐ Even, strong, white
Tongue (jiva)		☐ Thin, short, trembling	☐ Medium, pointed	☐ Large, round, thick
Colour		☐ Pale, dull	☐ Red, yellow, green	☐ Pale, white
Coating		☐ Brown or black	☐ Yellow	☐ White, mucous
Moistu	-	☐ Dry	☐ Moist or red & dry	☐ Wet
Speech		☐ Fast, talkative	☐ Forceful	
Vocal qualities (<i>shabda</i>)			☐ Shrill	☐ Deep, few words, slow ☐ Melodious
Movement		Rough	☐ Decisive	
Wiovement		☐ Quick, changeable	_ Decisive	☐ Slow, deliberate
TOUCH AND P	PALPATION (sparshana)			
Temperature		☐ Cold	☐ Warm	☐ Cool
Circulation		☐ Poor, cold extremities	☐ Good, warm	☐ Slow but steady
Pulse (nadi pariksa)		☐ Erratic, snake-like	☐ Moderate, frog-like	☐ Broad, slow, swan-like
ASKING QUES	STIONS (prashna)			
Appetite	,	☐ Variable	☐ Strong, excessive	☐ Slow but constant
Thirst		☐ Variable	☐ Excessive, strong	☐ Scanty, little
Digestive power (agni)		☐ Variable	☐ Strong	□ Slow
Evacuation	faeces (mala)	☐ Dry, hard, constipated	· ·	☐ Thick, oily, heavy
	urine (<i>mutra</i>)	☐ Erratic, thready	•	☐ Profuse, pale, infrequent
	sweat (sweda)	☐ Light	☐ Profuse, strong odour	• •
	menstruation	☐ Light	☐ Heavy	☐ Medium
Climate prefere		☐ Hot. Not windy	☐ Cool	☐ Warm. Not humid
Sex drive		☐ Erratic	☐ Average	☐ Strong
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Activity		☐ Busy fits, then fatigue	☐ Assertive, focused	☐ Prefers to relax
Sleep		☐ Scanty, insomnia	☐ Little but sound	☐ Heavy, prolonged
Dreams		☐ Flying, fearful	☐ Lights, fire, anger	☐ Cold, pleasant, water
Emotional characteristic		☐ Erratic, changeable	☐ Aggressive, jealous	☐ Calm, difficult to ruffle
Personality traits			☐ Intense, easily irritated	
Under pressure		•	•	☐ Stubborn, silent
Under pressure				
		☐ Drifts off	☐ Quick, certain	☐ Slow, but good
memory		☐ Good short-term	☐ Sharp	☐ Slow but prolonged
Financial		☐ Earns/spends easily	☐ Moderate, likes luxuries	• •
		Total Vata -	Total Pitta -	Total Kapha -
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