

In this interview, there are no right or wrong answers. We are just asking for your opinion.

**(GIVE PARENT RESPONSE SHEET)**

Here is a card with several different scales on it. From time to time, I'm going to tell you the number of one of the scales and ask you to choose your answer from those choices. For instance, I might ask you to use Scale number 2. That means, you should look at the second scale on the card and choose one of those answers: Very Unlikely, Somewhat Unlikely, Somewhat Likely, or Very Likely.

1. First, do you have any children who do not live in your household?

Yes  
1

No **(IF NO, SKIP TO Q. 14 )**  
2

What are the names of children not living in the household?

What is ...'s Sex?  
Male Female

What is ...'s Age?

Who is ... living with?

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. 1 2

4. \_\_\_\_\_

5. \_\_\_\_\_

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6. \_\_\_\_\_

7. 1 2

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10. \_\_\_\_\_

11. 1 2

12. \_\_\_\_\_

13. \_\_\_\_\_

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14. Has (CHILD) ever lived in a separate household from you for at least two months?

Yes  
1

No **(IF NO, SKIP TO Q. 17)**  
2

15. How many times?

(SPECIFY) \_\_\_\_\_  
(Number of Times)

16. Where was (CHILD)? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_

Now, I'd like to ask some questions about (CHILD).

17. Do you have any specific goals or expectations for (CHILD) for the next school year?

Yes  
1

No  
2 **(SKIP TO Q 20)**

18. **(IF YES:)** What are these goals?

(SPECIFY) \_\_\_\_\_

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19. You've said that you expect (CHILD) to (GOALS/EXPECTATIONS) next year. Are there things you are doing now, or plan on doing in the future, to help (CHILD) meet these goals or expectations?

(SPECIFY) \_\_\_\_\_

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Please use Response Scale # 1.

In general, how satisfied were you with.....

	Not too Satisfied	Somewhat Satisfied	Very Satisfied
20. the interest and ability shown by teachers at (CHILD'S) middle school?	1	2	3
21. the quality of courses that were offered at (CHILD'S) middle school?	1	2	3
22. the extra-curricular and sports activities and clubs offered at (CHILD'S) middle school?	1	2	3
23. (CHILD'S) safety at (his/her) middle school?	1	2	3

24. How many times has (CHILD) not been allowed to participate in an activity or program (he/she) wanted to or you wanted (him/her) to participate in?

Number of Times? \_\_\_\_\_  
**(IF 0 TIMES, SKIP TO Q 30)**

Did you do any of the following after (CHILD) wasn't allowed to participate in the activity?

Did you....	Yes	No
25. Just accept that (he/she) didn't get in?	1	2
26. Complain to someone in charge?	1	2
27. Keep going back to try to get (CHILD) in?	1	2
28. Anything else? 28a. _____	1	2

29. Did your actions help? **(READ CATEGORIES)**

Not at All	A Little	Some	A Lot
1	2	3	4

**(SKIP TO PAGE 3, Q 36)**

Please use scale # 2.

In the future, if (CHILD) was not allowed to participate in an activity (he/she) wanted to do, how likely would you do the following things?

How likely is it that you would.....

	Very Unlikely	Somewhat Unlikely	Somewhat Likely	Very Likely
30. Just accept that (he/she) didn't get in?	1	2	3	4
31. Complain to someone in charge?	1	2	3	4
32. Keep going back to try to get (CHILD) in?	1	2	3	4

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| 33. Anything else?    | Yes   | No |
|                       | 1     | 2  |
| 34. (IF YES, SPECIFY) | _____ |    |



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35. How likely do you think your actions would help? **(READ CATEGORIES)**

Not at All	A Little	Some	A Lot
1	2	3	4

Now I would like to ask you some questions about (CHILD's) friends.

36. How many of (CHILD'S) good friends do you know? **(READ CATEGORIES)**

Almost None	A Few	About half	Most	All
1	2	3	4	5

37. How many of (CHILD'S) friends do you like and approve of? **(READ CATEGORIES)**

Almost None	A Few	About half	Most	All
1	2	3	4	5

38. How often has (CHILD) gotten involved with the wrong kinds of kids? **(READ CATEGORIES)**

Not at All	A Little	Some	A Lot
1	2	3	4

**(IF NOT AT ALL, SKIP TO PAGE 4, Q. 53)**

Did you do any of the following things the last time (CHILD) got involved with the wrong kinds of kids?

Did you....

- |  |     |    |
|--|-----|----|
| 39. enroll (CHILD) or get (CHILD) into new positive activities in order to meet other kinds of kids? | Yes | No |
|  | 1   | 2  |
| 40. talk to (CHILD) about how dangerous this is?   | 1   | 2  |
| 41. talk to (CHILD) about how upset you were about this?   | 1   | 2  |
| 42. ground or put (CHILD) on restriction?<br><b>(IF YES, ASK)</b>                                    | 1   | 2  |
| 43. For how long? _____  |     |    |
| 44. impose stricter rules on when (CHILD) can be away from home?                                     | 1   | 2  |
| 45. take other privileges away from (CHILD)?<br><b>(IF YES, ASK)</b>                                 | 1   | 2  |

46. Which ones? \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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Did you do any of the following things the last time (CHILD) got involved with the wrong kinds of kids?

47. threaten to punish (CHILD) if it happened again?	Yes 1	No 2
48. yell at (CHILD)?	1	2
49. physically punish or spank (CHILD)?	1	2
50. Anything else?		
Yes	No	
1	2	

**(IF YES, SPECIFY)** 51. \_\_\_\_\_

52. Did your actions help? **(READ CATEGORIES)**

Not at All	A Little	Some	A Lot
1	2	3	4

**(NOW SKIP TO PAGE 5, Q. 67 )**

Please look at Response Scale # 3.

If in the future, (CHILD) gets involved with the wrong kinds of kids, how likely is it that you would do the following?

How likely is it that you would.....	Not at all	A little	Somewhat	Very
53. enroll (CHILD) or get (him/her) into new positive activities in order to meet other kinds of kids?	1	2	3	4
54. talk to (CHILD) about how dangerous this is?	1	2	3	4
55. talk to (CHILD) about how upset you are about this?	1	2	3	4
56. ground (CHILD)? <b>(IF SOMEWHAT OR VERY LIKELY, ASK)</b>	1	2	3	4
57. For how long? _____				
58. impose stricter rules for when (CHILD) can be away from home?	1	2	3	4
59. take other privileges away from (CHILD)? <b>(IF SOMEWHAT OR VERY LIKELY, ASK)</b>	1	2	3	4
60. Which ones? _____ _____ _____				
61. threaten to physically punish (CHILD) if it happened again?	1	2	3	4

62. yell at (CHILD)?

1

2

3

4





How likely is it that you would.....  
Not at all      A little      Somewhat      Very

63. physically punish or spank (CHILD)?      1      2      3      4

64. Anything else?      Yes      No  
   1      2

65. (IF YES, SPECIFY) \_\_\_\_\_

66. How likely do you think your actions would have helped? (READ CATEGORIES)

Not at All      A Little      Some      A Lot  
1      2      3      4

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Please look at Response Scale # 3 for the next two questions.

67. How worried are you about negative peer influences (CHILD) may be getting?

Not at All      A Little      Somewhat      Very  
1      2      3      4

68. How pulled is (CHILD) between your values and the values of (his/her) friends?

Not at All      A Little      Somewhat      Very  
1      2      3      4

69. How different are the messages (CHILD) is getting from (his/her) friends than from you about what it means to be a successful person? (READ CATEGORIES)

Not at All Different      A Little Different      Somewhat Different      Very Different  
1      2      3      4

Please use Response Scale # 4.

How many of (CHILD'S) friends believe that....  
None      A Few      Several      All or Almost All

70. Grades, school, and education are very important.      1      2      3      4

71. It's important to work hard at everything you do.      1      2      3      4

72. Religion should be a central part of one's life.      1      2      3      4

73. It's important to be a kind person.      1      2      3      4

74. It's important to do what teachers say.      1      2      3      4

75. Money and material things are very important.      1      2      3      4

76. Expensive, brand name clothes are important.      1      2      3      4

77. Being popular with peers is more important than doing well in school.      1      2      3      4

78. It's OK to break parents' rules to do what friends want.      1      2      3      4



How many of (CHILD'S) friends believe that...	None	A Few	Several	All or Almost All
79. Adults put too many demands on adolescents.	1	2	3	4
80. Adults put too many restrictions on adolescents.	1	2	3	4

Parents have different ideas about controlling their kids behavior at this age. How often do you restrict the following? Please use Response Scale # 5 to choose your answer.

How often do you restrict....	Never	Almost Never	Occasionally	About Half the Time	Almost Always	Everyday
81. When and how much TV (CHILD) can watch?	1	2	3	4	5	6
82. What clothes (CHILD) can wear, or what hairstyles (he/she) can have?	1	2	3	4	5	6
83. Who (CHILD) can spend time with?	1	2	3	4	5	6
84. Where (CHILD) can go when (he/she) is with friends?	1	2	3	4	5	6
85. How much (CHILD) can use the phone?	1	2	3	4	5	6

86. Do you require (CHILD) to do household chores?

Yes  
1

No  
2 **(SKIP TO Q 88)**

87. How often do you require (CHILD) to do household chores? **(READ CATEGORIES)**

Almost Never 1	About Twice a Month 2	About Once a Week 3	Daily 4
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88. Do you require (CHILD) to get certain grades?

Yes  
1  
**(IF YES, ASK)**

No  
2  
**(IF NO, ASK)**

89. What kind of grades do you require (CHILD) to get? **(READ CATEGORIES)**

- 1. All As
- 2. Mostly As
- 3. As and Bs
- 4. Mostly Bs
- 5. Bs and Cs
- 6. Mostly Cs
- 7. Cs and Ds

90. What kind of grades will you be satisfied with next year? **(READ CATEGORIES)**

- 1. All As
- 2. Mostly As
- 3. As and Bs
- 4. Mostly Bs
- 5. Bs and Cs
- 6. Mostly Cs
- 7. Cs and Ds

91. Can (CHILD) go to R-rated movies? **(READ CATEGORIES)**

Yes, usually 1	Yes but only with me or another parent 2	No, never 3
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92. Is (CHILD) allowed to go out after school without an adult?

Yes 1	No 2 <b>(SKIP TO Q. 96)</b>
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93. Do you have a set time for (CHILD) to be home after school?

Yes 1	No 2 <b>(SKIP TO Q. 96)</b>
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94. What is this set time? \_\_\_\_\_ **OR CIRCLE :** Dark (2700)

Straight Home(2600)

Please use scale # 5.

95. How rigidly is this rule enforced?

Never 1	Almost Never 2	Occasionally 3	About Half the Time 4	Almost Always 5	Everyday 5
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96. Is (CHILD) allowed to go out on school nights without an adult?

Yes 1	No 2 <b>(SKIP TO Q. 100)</b>
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97. Do you have a set time for (CHILD) to be in on school nights?

- Yes  
1
- No  
2 **(SKIP TO Q. 100)**

98. What is this set time? \_\_\_\_\_ **OR CIRCLE :** Dark (2700)

Please use scale # 5.

99. How rigidly is this rule enforced?

- Never  
1
- Almost  
Never  
2
- Occasionally  
3
- About Half  
the Time  
4
- Almost  
Always  
5
- Everyday  
5

100. Is (CHILD) allowed to go out on weekend nights without an adult?

- Yes  
1
- No  
2 **(SKIP TO Q. 104)**

101. Do you have a set time for (CHILD) to be in on weekend nights?

- Yes  
1
- No  
2 **(SKIP TO Q. 104)**

102. (IF YES) What is this set time? \_\_\_\_\_ **OR CIRCLE :** Dark (2700)

Please use scale # 5.

103. How rigidly is this rule enforced?

- Never  
1
- Almost  
Never  
2
- Occasionally  
3
- About Half  
the Time  
4
- Almost  
Always  
5
- Everyday  
5

104. During the school year, do you have a set time for (CHILD) to do homework?

- Yes  
1
- No  
2 **(SKIP TO Q. 106)**

Please use scale # 5.

105. How rigidly is this rule enforced?

- Never  
1
- Almost  
Never  
2
- Occasionally  
3
- About Half  
the Time  
4
- Almost  
Always  
5
- Everyday  
5

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Now, I'd like to ask you some questions about rules about (CHILD'S) dating and friends.

106. Do you allow (CHILD) to have dates over to your home unsupervised?

Yes  
1

No  
2

**(IF YES, ASK)**

107. At what age did you first allow (CHILD) to have dates over to your home unsupervised?\_\_\_\_\_

**(IF NO, ASK)**

108. At what age will you allow (CHILD) to have dates over to your home unsupervised?\_\_\_\_\_

109. Do you allow (CHILD) to go on dates to supervised activities?

Yes  
1

No  
2

**(IF YES, ASK)**

110. At what age did you first allow (CHILD) to go on dates to supervised activities?\_\_\_\_\_

**(IF NO, ASK)**

111. At what age will you allow (CHILD) to go on dates to supervised activities?\_\_\_\_\_

112. Do you allow (CHILD) to have friends over to your home unsupervised?

Yes  
1

No  
2

**(IF YES, ASK)**

113. At what age did you first allow (CHILD) to have friends over to your home unsupervised?\_\_\_\_\_

**(IF NO, ASK)**

114. At what age will you allow (CHILD) to have friends over to your home unsupervised?\_\_\_\_\_

115. Will or do you restrict whom (CHILD) can date? **(READ CATEGORIES)**

Yes, always  
1

Usually  
2

Sometimes  
3

No  
4

Please use Response Scale # 6 to answer the following questions.

116. If you ask (CHILD) to do something and (he/she) does not do it, how often do you give up trying to get (him/her) to do it?

Never  
1

Almost  
Never  
2

Occasionally  
3

Sometimes  
4

Very  
Often  
5

117. How often do you punish (CHILD) after you warn (him/her) to stop doing something and (he/she) continues to do it?

Never  
1

Almost  
Never  
2

Occasionally  
3

Sometimes  
4

Very  
Often  
5

Please use Response Scale # 6 to answer the following questions.

118. If a punishment has been decided upon, how often can (CHILD) change it by talking you out of it?

Never 1	Almost Never 2	Occasionally 3	Sometimes 4	Very Often 5
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119. If (CHILD) is punished, how often does the punishment work?

Never 1	Almost Never 2	Occasionally 3	Sometimes 4	Very Often 5
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120. Does the kind of punishment you give (CHILD) depend on whether you are in a good or bad mood?

Your mood makes... **(READ CATEGORIES)**

No Difference 1	Some Difference 2	A Big Difference 3
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For the following questions, please use Response Scale # 8.

How often do.....

121. you think (CHILD) knows what is best for (him/her)?

Almost Never 1	Rarely 2	Occasionally 3	Frequently 4	Almost Always 5
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122. you make sure that (CHILD) understands the reasons for your rules and decisions?

Almost Never 1	Rarely 2	Occasionally 3	Frequently 4	Almost Always 5
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123. you want (CHILD) to understand why you punish (him/her)?

Almost Never 1	Rarely 2	Occasionally 3	Frequently 4	Almost Always 5
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124. you dislike it when (CHILD) asks questions about your decisions and rules?

Almost Never 1	Rarely 2	Occasionally 3	Frequently 4	Almost Always 5
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For the following questions, please use Response Scale # 8.

How often do.....

125. you feel unhappy when (CHILD) is unhappy.

Almost Never 1	Rarely 2	Occasionally 3	Frequently 4	Almost Always 5
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126. you like to spend a lot of time with (CHILD).

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Almost Never  
1

Rarely  
2

Occasionally  
3

Frequently  
4

Almost Always  
5





How often do.....

127. you want (CHILD) to do things for (him/herself) without your help.

Almost Never	Rarely	Occasionally	Frequently	Almost Always
1	2	3	4	5

128. you want (CHILD) to get your help whenever (he/she) needs to make a difficult decision.

Almost Never	Rarely	Occasionally	Frequently	Almost Always
1	2	3	4	5

129. you feel that your children's needs are more important than your needs.

Almost Never	Rarely	Occasionally	Frequently	Almost Always
1	2	3	4	5

Now, please use Response Scale # 9.

How much do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

130. You believe that children should never criticize their parents.

Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree Nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
1	2	3	4	5

131. You don't think parents should have to always explain the reasons for their decisions to their children.

Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree Nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
1	2	3	4	5

132. You think children should be included as much as possible in family decision-making.

Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree Nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
1	2	3	4	5

133. You have definite ideas about how to raise children.

Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree Nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
1	2	3	4	5

134. You think children have no right to get angry at their parents.

Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree Nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
1	2	3	4	5

135. You think 8th grade children are still too young to know what is best for them.

Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree Nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
1	2	3	4	5



**INSTRUCTIONS FOR THE RESPONSES IN QS 136-145:**

**IF THERE IS A SPOUSE/PARTNER, SAY "YOU AND SPOUSE/PARTNER." IF THERE ISN'T A SPOUSE/PARTNER, ONLY SAY "YOU."**

The following set of questions is about decision making in your family.  
Please use Response Scale # 10.

136. How do you think decisions **should** be made in your family?

You (and SPOUSE/ PARTNER) decide by your (self/selves)	You (and SPOUSE/ PARTNER) decide after discussing it with (CHILD)	You (and SPOUSE/ PARTNER) and (CHILD) decide together after discussing it	(CHILD) decides after discussing it with you (and SPOUSE/ (PARTNER)	(CHILD) decides all by (him/her) self
1	2	3	4	5

137. How are decisions **currently** made in your family?

You (and SPOUSE/ PARTNER) decide by your (self/selves)	You (and SPOUSE/ PARTNER) decide after discussing it with (CHILD)	You (and SPOUSE/ PARTNER) and (CHILD) decide together after discussing it	(CHILD) decides after discussing it with you (and SPOUSE/ (PARTNER)	(CHILD) decides all by (him/her) self
1	2	3	4	5

Please use scale # 10 again.

How are decisions about the following topics made?

138. How late (CHILD) can stay out at night.

You (and SPOUSE/ PARTNER) decide by your (self/selves)	You (and SPOUSE/ PARTNER) decide after discussing it with (CHILD)	You (and SPOUSE/ PARTNER) and (CHILD) decide together after discussing it	(CHILD) decides after discussing it with you (and SPOUSE/ (PARTNER)	(CHILD) decides all by (him/her) self
1	2	3	4	5

139. What classes (CHILD) takes in school.

You (and SPOUSE/ PARTNER) decide by your (self/selves)	You (and SPOUSE/ PARTNER) decide after discussing it with (CHILD)	You (and SPOUSE/ PARTNER) and (CHILD) decide together after discussing it	(CHILD) decides after discussing it with you (and SPOUSE/ (PARTNER)	(CHILD) decides all by (him/her) self
1	2	3	4	5

140. At what age (CHILD) can date.

You (and SPOUSE/ PARTNER) decide by your (self/selves)	You (and SPOUSE/ PARTNER) decide after discussing it with (CHILD)	You (and SPOUSE/ PARTNER) and (CHILD) decide together after discussing it	(CHILD) decides after discussing it with you (and SPOUSE/ (PARTNER)	(CHILD) decides all by (him/her) self
1	2	3	4	5

141. How much (CHILD) can use the phone.

You (and SPOUSE/ PARTNER) decide by your (self/selves)	You (and SPOUSE/ PARTNER) decide after discussing it with (CHILD)	You (and SPOUSE/ PARTNER) and (CHILD) decide together after discussing it	(CHILD) decides after discussing it with you (and SPOUSE/ (PARTNER)	(CHILD) decides all by (him/her) self
1	2	3	4	5

142. What (CHILD) can do with friends after school.

You (and SPOUSE/ PARTNER) decide by your (self/selves)	You (and SPOUSE/ PARTNER) decide after discussing it with (CHILD)	You (and SPOUSE/ PARTNER) and (CHILD) decide together after discussing it	(CHILD) decides after discussing it with you (and SPOUSE/ (PARTNER)	(CHILD) decides all by (him/her) self
1	2	3	4	5

143. What (CHILD) may wear and how (he/she) does (his/her) hair?

You (and SPOUSE/ PARTNER) decide by your (self/selves)	You (and SPOUSE/ PARTNER) decide after discussing it with (CHILD)	You (and SPOUSE/ PARTNER) and (CHILD) decide together after discussing it	(CHILD) decides after discussing it with you (and SPOUSE/ (PARTNER)	(CHILD) decides all by (him/her) self
1	2	3	4	5

Now, please use Scale # 11.

144. How often do you ask (CHILD) what (he/she) thinks before deciding on family matters that involve (him/her)?

Almost Never (1)	Not Too Often (2)	About Half the Time (3)	Fairly Often (4)	Almost Always (5)
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145. How often do you ask (CHILD) what (he/she) thinks before making decisions that affect (him/her)?

Almost Never (1)	Not Too Often (2)	About Half the Time (3)	Fairly Often (4)	Almost Always (5)
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Now, a few questions about health.

Please use Response Scale #12.

146. How would you rate (CHILD'S) overall health?

Poor	Fair	Good	Very good	Excellent
1	2	3	4	5

147. In the last year has (CHILD) had any accidents, health problems, pain, discomfort or a disability that make it difficult for (him/her) to do certain things?

Yes	No	<b>(IF NO, SKIP TO Q. 149)</b>
1	2	

148. What are these health conditions or disabilities? **(LIST UP TO 3 HEALTH CONDITIONS)**

(SPECIFY) \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

149. How would you rate your overall health? Please use Response Scale #12.

Poor	Fair	Good	Very good	Excellent
1	2	3	4	5

150. Do you have any health conditions or disabilities that limit what you can do?

Yes	No	<b>(IF NO, SKIP TO Q. 152)</b>
1	2	

151. What are these health conditions or disabilities? **(LIST UP TO 3 HEALTH CONDITIONS)**

(SPECIFY) \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

152. Have you ever gone to seek professional help about any emotional problem you were having (e.g. physician, social worker, psychologist, psychiatrist, minister)?

Yes	No	<b>(IF NO, SKIP TO Q. 157)</b>
1	2	

Was your problem.....

		Yes	No
153. Depression?	1	2	
154. Anxiety?		1	2
155. Something else?		1	2

(IF YES, SPECIFY) 156. \_\_\_\_\_

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157. Do you have any psychological or mental conditions that affect your behavior with (CHILD)?

Yes  
1

No  
2

**(IF NO, SKIP TO Q. 159)**

**(IF YES)** What are these psychological or mental conditions?

158. \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

159. Have you or anyone else in your family ever sought professional help about family problems?

Yes  
1

No  
2

**(IF NO, SKIP TO Q. 162)**

**(IF YES)** What kind of problems?

160. (SPECIFY) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

161. Who did you seek help for?

(SPECIFY RELATIONSHIP) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

162. Have you or anyone else in your family ever sought professional help for other problems, such as legal, school or financial problems?

Yes  
1

No  
2

**(IF NO, SKIP TO Q. 165)**

**(IF YES)** What kind of problems?

(SPECIFY) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

164. Who did you seek help for?

(SPECIFY RELATIONSHIP) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Now I would like to ask some questions about (CHILD'S) education.

165. In the last year did (CHILD) go to a special class or get special help in school because of an emotional, physical, or health problem?

Yes 1 No 2 (IF NO, SKIP TO Q. 168)

166. What was the problem?

(SPECIFY) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

167. What kind of special education class was (CHILD) in?

(SPECIFY) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

168. In the last year was (CHILD) in an honors or accelerated class for gifted children?

Yes 1 No 2 (IF NO, SKIP TO Q. 170)

169. Which class(es) was this? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_

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170. Was (CHILD) suspended from school in middle school?

Yes No  
1 2  
(IF NO SKIP TO Q. 172)

How many times in middle school has this happened?  
171. \_\_\_\_\_  
(# OF TIMES)

172. Was (CHILD) suspended from the bus in middle school?

1 2  
(IF NO SKIP TO Q. 174)

173. \_\_\_\_\_  
(# OF TIMES)

174. Was (CHILD) expelled from school in middle school?

1 2  
(IF NO SKIP TO Q. 176)

175. \_\_\_\_\_  
(# OF TIMES)

176. Has (CHILD) skipped class in middle school?

1 2  
(IF NO SKIP

177. \_\_\_\_\_  
(# OF TIMES)



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178. Has (CHILD) failed or done very poorly in any class in middle school?

Yes  
1

No  
2

(IF NO, SKIP TO PAGE 18, Q 194)

When (CHILD) did poorly in school, how often did you do the following things?

Please use scale # 8.

How often did you....	Almost Never	Rarely	Occasionally	Frequently	Almost Always
179. Yell at (CHILD)?	1	2	3	4	5
180. Talk to or encourage (CHILD)?	1	2	3	4	5
181. Work with or help (CHILD)?	1	2	3	4	5
182. Have other family members help (CHILD) with homework?	1	2	3	4	5
183. Get a tutor for (CHILD)?	1	2	3	4	5
184. Make (CHILD) study?	1	2	3	4	5
185. Talk to a teacher or other school personnel?	1	2	3	4	5
186. Threaten to physically punish or spank (CHILD)?	1	2	3	4	5
187. Physically punish or spank (CHILD)?	1	2	3	4	5
188. Ground (CHILD)?	1	2	3	4	5
189. Take privileges away from (CHILD)?	1	2	3	4	5
190. Give (CHILD) special privileges if (he/she) got good grades?	1	2	3	4	5

191. Something else?

Yes  
1

No  
2

(IF YES, SPECIFY)

192. \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

193. Did your actions help? (READ CATEGORIES)

Yes, A lot  
1

Yes, a Little  
2

No Difference  
3

Made the Situation Worse  
4

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(NOW SKIP TO PAGE 19, Q. 208)

Please use scale # 3.

How likely is it that you would do the following things if (CHILD) did poorly in school?

How likely is it you would.....	Not at	A little All	Somewhat	Very
194. Yell at (CHILD)?	1	2	3	4
195. Talk to or encourage (CHILD)?	1	2	3	4
196. Work with or help (CHILD)?	1	2	3	4
197. Have other family members help (CHILD) with homework?	1	2	3	4
198. Get a tutor for (CHILD)?	1	2	3	4
199. Make (CHILD) study?	1	2	3	4
200. Talk to a teacher or other school personnel?	1	2	3	4
201. Threaten to physically punish or spank (CHILD)?	1	2	3	4
202. Physically punish or spank (CHILD)?	1	2	3	4
203. Ground (CHILD)?	1	2	3	4
204. Take privileges away from (CHILD)?	1	2	3	4
205. Give (CHILD) special privileges if (he/she) got good grades?	1	2	3	4
206. Something else?				

Yes  
1

No  
2

**(IF YES, SPECIFY)**

207. \_\_\_\_\_  
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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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Please use Response Scale #7 for the next two questions.

208. If finances were not a problem and everything else went right, how far would you like to see (CHILD) go in school?

- 01. 8th grade or less
- 02. 9-11th grade
- 03. Graduate from high school
- 04. Post-high school vocational training
- 05. Some College
- 06. Graduate from 2 year college with Associates degree or other para professional degree
- 07. Graduate from 4 year college
- 08. Master's degree or teaching credential program
- 09. MD, Law, PhD or other doctoral degree

209. Things often don't go right, so how far do you think (CHILD) will actually go in school?

- 01. 8th grade or less
- 02. 9-11th grade
- 03. Graduate from high school
- 04. Post-high school vocational training
- 05. Some College
- 06. Graduate from 2 year college with Associates degree or other para professional degree
- 07. Graduate from 4 year college
- 08. Master's degree or teaching credential program
- 09. MD, Law, PhD or other doctoral degree

How much might each of the following things get in the way of (CHILD) going as far in school as (he/she) wants? Please use scale # 13.

	Not at All	A Little	Some	Quite a Bit	A Lot
210. Family finances?	1	2	3	4	5
211. (CHILD'S) lack of motivation?	1	2	3	4	5
212. Discrimination because of (CHILD'S) sex?	1	2	3	4	5
213. Discrimination because of (CHILD'S) race?	1	2	3	4	5
214. Poor school system that (CHILD) is currently in?	1	2	3	4	5
215. (CHILD'S) lack of ability?	1	2	3	4	5

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Now I'd like to ask you some questions about your racial background.

216. What is your race? **(READ CATEGORIES, DO NOT ASSUME YOU KNOW THE RACE OF PARENT BY (HIS/HER) APPEARANCE)**

(03) Asian or Oriental

(01) Black or African American

(13) Hispanic or Latino

(05) White or of European Descent **(IF WHITE, SKIP TO PAGE 23, Q. 251)**

(02) Native American or American Indian

(80) Mixed **(IF MIXED ASK:)** 217. What races? 1) \_\_\_\_\_

2) \_\_\_\_\_

( \_ ) Something Else? (SPECIFY) 218. \_\_\_\_\_

**(DO NOT FILL IN NUMBER)**

Please use Response Scale # 3 to answer questions about your racial background.

219. How important is your racial background to the daily life of your family?

Not at All	A Little	Somewhat	Very
1	2	3	4

220. How proud are you of your racial background?

Not at All	A Little	Somewhat	Very
1	2	3	4

221. How important is it for (CHILD) to know about (his/her) racial background?

Not at All	A Little	Somewhat	Very
1	2	3	4

Please use Response Scale # 14.

222. How often do you talk in the family about your racial background?

Almost Never	Less Than Once a Month	1-3 Times a Month	About Once a Week	A Few Times a Week	Almost Everyday
1	2	3	4	5	6

Please use Response Scale # 8.

223. How often do you celebrate any special days connected to your racial background?

Almost Never	Rarely	Occasionally	Frequently	Almost Always
1	2	3	4	5

224. How often does (CHILD) study the traditions of or about being (his/her) race?

Almost Never	Rarely	Occasionally	Frequently	Almost Always
1	2	3	4	5

225. How often do you participate in community activities with people of your racial background?

Almost Never	Rarely	Occasionally	Frequently	Almost Always
1	2	3	4	5

Please use Response Scale # 3.

How true are the following statements?

226. You have a close community of friends because of your race.

Not at all	A Little	Somewhat	Very
1	2	3	4

227. People of your race have a culturally rich heritage.

Not at all	A Little	Somewhat	Very
1	2	3	4

228. You have meaningful traditions because of your race.

Not at all	A Little	Somewhat	Very
1	2	3	4

229. People of your race are very supportive of each other.

Not at all	A Little	Somewhat	Very
1	2	3	4

Now, I'd like to ask some questions about racial discrimination.

Please use Response Scale # 3.

230. Over (CHILD'S) lifetime, how difficult do you think it will be for (him/her) to get ahead in life because of (his/her) race?

Not at All	A Little	Somewhat	Very
1	2	3	4

Now, please use scale # 14.

231. How often do you talk to (CHILD) about how much discrimination (he/she) may face because of (his/her) race?

Almost Never	Less Than Once a Month	1-3 Times a Month	About Once a Week	A Few Times a Week	Almost Everyday
1	2	3	4	5	6

232. How often has (CHILD) been discriminated against because of (his/her) race?

Almost Never	Less Than Once a Month	1-3 Times a Month	About Once a Week	A Few Times a Week	Almost Everyday
1	2	3	4	5	6

**(IF ALMOST NEVER  
SKIP TO PAGE 22, Q. 242 )**

Please tell me about the most recent time (CHILD) was discriminated against.

Did you...	Yes	No
233. tell (CHILD) to stand up for (him/herself)?	1	2
234. tell (CHILD) that these kinds of things happen and (he/she) should just ignore it?	1	2
235. talk to the person who discriminated against (CHILD)?	1	2
236. complain to the authorities?	1	2
237. take (CHILD) out of the activity/program/class?	1	2
238. contact a community advocacy source for help?	1	2
239. Was there something else you did?	1	2
		<b>(IF NO, SKIP TO Q. 241)</b>
240. What was this other thing? _____		

241. How effective were these ways of handling the problem? **(READ CATEGORIES)**

Not at all Effective	A Little Effective	Somewhat Effective	Very Effective
1	2	3	4

**(IF YOU ANSWERED Q. 241, SKIP TO PAGE 23, Q. 250)**

In the future, how likely is it that you would do the following things if (CHILD) experienced racial discrimination?

Please use Response Scale # 2.

How likely is it that you would.....

	Very Unlikely	Somewhat Unlikely	Somewhat Likely	Very Likely
242. tell (CHILD) to stand up for him/herself.	1	2	3	4
243. tell (CHILD) that these kinds of things happen and (he/she) should just ignore it.	1	2	3	4
244. talk to the person who discriminated against (CHILD)	1	2	3	4
245. complain to the authorities.	1	2	3	4
246. take (CHILD) out of the activity/program/class.	1	2	3	4
247. contact a community advocacy source for help.	1	2	3	4
248. Is there something else you would do?	Yes 1	No 2		

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**(IF YES, ASK)**

What is this other thing? 249. \_\_\_\_\_




250. What are some of the best things about being your race?

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\_\_\_\_\_

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Please use scale # 13.

251. How much will each of the following things get in the way of (CHILD) getting the kind of job (he/she) wants?

	Not at All	A Little	Some	Quite a Bit	A Lot
252. (CHILD'S) lack of education?	1	2	3	4	5
253. (CHILD'S) lack of motivation?	1	2	3	4	5
254. Discrimination because of (CHILD'S) sex?	1	2	3	4	5
255. Discrimination because of (CHILD'S) race?	1	2	3	4	5
256. Needing to take care of future family?	1	2	3	4	5
257. (CHILD'S) lack of ability?	1	2	3	4	5

258. What future goals do you have for (CHILD) such as jobs you would like (him/her) to have, the kind of life you would like (him/her) to have as an adult, or the kind of person you would like (him/her) to become?

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_  
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**(IF (PARENT) IS WHITE SKIP TO Q. 262)**

259. Has your race affected the goals you have for (CHILD)?

- Yes  
1
- No  
2 **(SKIP TO Q. 261)**

**(IF YES)** 260. How? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

261. How do you think (CHILD'S) race has affected (his/her) goals for (him/herself)?

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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Now I have some questions about the family you grew up in.

262. When you were young, what kinds of goals did you have for your life?

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

263. Did your life turn out the way you wanted or hoped for when you were younger?

Yes  
1

No  
2

**(If YES SKIP TO Q. 268)**

264. How is it different than what you had wanted or hoped for?

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

265. What do you think prevented you from attaining your goals?

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

266. How do you think this has affected how you are as a parent?

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

267. How did your experiences with your own parents growing up affect the way you parent (CHILD)?

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_



268. What was the highest year in school that your father completed? Please use Response Scale #7.

- 01. 8th grade or less
- 02. 9-11th grade
- 03. Graduate from high school
- 04. Post-high school vocational training
- 05. Some College
- 06. Graduate from 2 year college with Associates degree or other para professional degree
- 07. Graduate from 4 year college
- 08. Master's degree or teaching credential program
- 09. MD, Law, PhD or other doctoral degree
- 98. Don't Know

269. What is or was your father's occupation?

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270. What was the highest year in school that your mother completed? Please use Response Scale #7.

- 01. 8th grade or less
- 02. 9-11th grade
- 03. Graduate from high school
- 04. Post-high school vocational training
- 05. Some College
- 06. Graduate from 2 year college with Associates degree or other para professional degree
- 07. Graduate from 4 year college
- 08. Master's degree or teaching credential program
- 09. MD, Law, PhD or other doctoral degree
- 98. Don't Know

271. What is or was your mother's occupation?

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Now, here are some questions about your immediate family, that is, those family members who currently live in your home now. Please look at Response Scale # 14.

272. How often does your immediate family have dinner together?

- |                      |                                   |                              |                              |                               |                             |
|----------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Almost<br>Never<br>1 | Less Than<br>Once A<br>Month<br>2 | 1-3<br>Times<br>a Month<br>3 | About<br>Once A<br>Week<br>4 | A Few<br>Times<br>a Week<br>5 | Almost<br>Every<br>Day<br>6 |
|----------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|

Please look at scale #23.

273. How often does your immediate family spend lots of time together on the weekends?

- |                      |  |                               |                                  |                                     |                                 |
|----------------------|--|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Almost<br>Never<br>1 | Less Than<br>Once Every<br>Two Months<br>2 | About<br>Once A<br>Month<br>3 | Every Other<br>Week-<br>End<br>4 | About<br>3 Weekends<br>a Month<br>5 | Almost<br>Every<br>Weekend<br>6 |
|----------------------|--|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|

Please look at Response Scale #11.

274. How often is your immediate family together for birthdays, anniversaries and other holidays?

- |                      |                       |                             |                      |                       |
|----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
| Almost<br>Never<br>1 | Not Too<br>Often<br>2 | About Half<br>the Time<br>3 | Fairly<br>Often<br>4 | Almost<br>Always<br>5 |
|----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|





Now, some questions about your spiritual life.

Please use scale # 6.

281. When you have difficulties in your family, work, or personal life, how often do you seek spiritual comfort or support?

Never	Almost Never	Occasionally	Sometimes	Very Often
1	2	3	4	5

282. Do you have a religion?

Yes	No	<b>(SKIP TO Q. 289)</b>
1	2	

283. What is your religion?

**(CIRCLE ONE)**

(26) African Methodist Episcopalian (AME)

(07) Baptist

(10) Catholic

(11) Christian

(12) Episcopalian

(14) Jehovah Witness

(15) Jewish

(16) Lutheran

(21) Methodist

(30) Mormon (Latter Day Saints)

(22) Muslim / Islam

(17) Pentecostal/Holiness

(18) Presbyterian

(19). Protestant

(\_\_ \_\_) Other (SPECIFY:)

**(DO NOT FILL IN NUMBERS)**

284. How often do you attend religious services and /or other activities at your place of worship?

(NUMBER OF TIMES) \_\_\_\_\_ (CIRCLE ONE) per

Day	Week	Month	Year
1	2	3	4

Please look at Response Scale # 3 for the next question.

285. How important is religion in the day to day life of your family?

Not At All  
1

A Little  
2

Somewhat  
3

Very  
4



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Please use Response Scale # 14.

286. How often do you talk about your religion with your family?

- |                      |                                |                           |                           |                            |                         |
|----------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------|
| Almost<br>Never<br>1 | Less Than<br>Once a Month<br>2 | 1-3 Times<br>a Month<br>3 | About Once<br>a Week<br>4 | A Few<br>Times a Week<br>5 | Almost<br>Everyday<br>6 |
|----------------------|--------------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------|

Please use scale # 8.

287. How often do you celebrate special days connected with your religion?

- |                   |             |                   |                 |                    |
|-------------------|-------------|-------------------|-----------------|--------------------|
| Almost Never<br>1 | Rarely<br>2 | Occasionally<br>3 | Frequently<br>4 | Almost Always<br>5 |
|-------------------|-------------|-------------------|-----------------|--------------------|

288. How much do you participate in community activities with people of your religion?

- |                   |             |                   |                 |                    |
|-------------------|-------------|-------------------|-----------------|--------------------|
| Almost Never<br>1 | Rarely<br>2 | Occasionally<br>3 | Frequently<br>4 | Almost Always<br>5 |
|-------------------|-------------|-------------------|-----------------|--------------------|

Now I have some other questions about you.

289. What is your current marital status? **(READ CATEGORIES)**

- |              |              |                |               |                         |
|--------------|--------------|----------------|---------------|-------------------------|
| Married<br>1 | Widowed<br>2 | Separated<br>3 | Divorced<br>4 | Never been Married<br>5 |
|--------------|--------------|----------------|---------------|-------------------------|

**(IF MARRIED SKIP TO Q. 292)**

**(IF (PARENT) IS NOT MARRIED ASK:)**

290. Are you currently living with a partner?

Yes  
1

No  
2

**(IF NO SKIP TO Q. 292)**

291. How long have you been living with this person?    Years\_\_\_\_\_    Months\_\_\_\_\_

292. Has your marital status changed in the last 2 years?

Yes  
1

No  
2

**(IF NO SKIP TO 293)**

292a. How has your marital status changed?\_\_\_\_\_

**IF (PARENT) IS NOT MARRIED OR LIVING WITH A PARTNER SKIP TO PAGE 31, Q. 313**

Please use Response Scale # 15 when answering the following questions.

During the last year, how many times has your (SPOUSE/PARTNER)....

	<u>Never</u>	<u>Once</u>	<u>Twice</u>	<u>3-5 Times</u>	<u>6-10 Times</u>	<u>11-20 Times</u>	<u>More Than 20 Times</u>
293. asked you for your opinion about an important matter?	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
294. berated you or put you down on purpose?	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
295. yelled at you?	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
296. acted loving and affectionate toward you?	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
297. pushed, grabbed or shoved you or threw something at you?	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
298. hit or tried to hit you with something?	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
299. helped you do something that was important to you?	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
300. threatened you with a knife or a gun?	0	1	2	3	4	5	6

During the last year, how many times have you....

	<u>Never</u>	<u>Once</u>	<u>Twice</u>	<u>3-5 Times</u>	<u>6-10 Times</u>	<u>11-20 Times</u>	<u>More Than 20 Times</u>
301. berated (SPOUSE/PARTNER) or put (him/her) down on purpose?	0	1	2	3	4	5	6
302. acted loving and affectionate toward (SPOUSE/PARTNER)?	0	1	2	3	4	5	6

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Please use Response Scale #16.

Certain tasks are necessary to keep things around the house running smoothly. Who does each of these tasks more often, you or (SPOUSE/PARTNER)?

Not Applicable ( <b>DO NOT READ</b> )	I am the only one who does this	I do this much more than my partner	I do this a little more than my partner	We do this equally	My partner does this a little more than I do	My partner does this much more than I do	My partner is the only one who does this
0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7

- 303. \_\_\_\_\_ Repairing things around the house.
- 304. \_\_\_\_\_ Indoor cleaning (like vacuuming, laundry, dishes).
- 305. \_\_\_\_\_ Cooking meals.
- 306. \_\_\_\_\_ Taking care of the lawn and other outdoor chores.
- 307. \_\_\_\_\_ Driving the car when we are going somewhere in town together.
- 308. \_\_\_\_\_ Taking the children to their activities and appointments.
- 309. \_\_\_\_\_ Playing with the children.
- 310. \_\_\_\_\_ Taking care of the children's daily needs (like feeding, getting ready for bed, etc.).
- 311. \_\_\_\_\_ Staying home when (CHILD) is sick.
- 312. \_\_\_\_\_ Alters schedule for (CHILD'S) summer vacation.

Now I'd like to find out about your experiences during the last 2 years.

313. Have you had any additional educational or vocational training or been involved in any educational program in the last 2 years?

Yes  
1

No (IF NO, SKIP TO Q. 322)  
2

**(PLEASE MOVE ACROSS THIS SECTION FROM LEFT TO RIGHT)**

What kind of educational or vocational program?

What dates did you attend school for this program?

Did you receive a degree from this program?

314. \_\_\_\_\_

315. From: Month\_\_\_\_\_ Year\_\_\_\_\_

YesNo

To: Month\_\_\_\_\_ Year\_\_\_\_\_

316. 1 2

317. \_\_\_\_\_

318. From: Month\_\_\_\_\_ Year\_\_\_\_\_

To: Month\_\_\_\_\_ Year\_\_\_\_\_

319. 1 2

**(IF PARENT RECEIVED A DEGREE, ASK Q 320 OTHERWISE SKIP TO Q 322)**

320. What was this degree? Please circle response.

- 01. GED
- 02. Associates
- 03. Bachelor's/BA/BS
- 04. Master's
- 05. PHD, MD, JD
- 06. Other (SPECIFY) 321. \_\_\_\_\_

322. Are you living on a military base?

Yes  
1

No  
2

323. Have you moved in the past 2 years?

Yes  
1

No  
2

**(IF NO GO TO PAGE 35, Q. 363)**

324. Is your residence now: **(READ CATEGORIES)**

**(SKIP TO Q. 327)**

- 1. A house you own
- 2. An apartment you own
- 3. Owned by your parent
- 4. A house you rent

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- 5. An apartment you rent
- 6. Other (SPECIFY) 325. \_\_\_\_\_



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326. Is this dwelling owned by the government or a housing authority?

Yes	No
1	2

327. How many bedrooms do you have?

\_\_\_\_\_   
 (# of Bedrooms)

Now, I am going to ask you some questions about your neighborhood.

328. How long have you lived in this neighborhood?      Years\_\_\_\_\_ Months\_\_\_\_\_

329. How satisfied are you with this neighborhood? **(READ CATEGORIES)**

Very Satisfied	Somewhat Satisfied	Neither Satisfied nor Dissatisfied	Somewhat Dissatisfied	Very Dissatisfied
1	2	3	4	5

330. Do you think you will be living in this neighborhood 5 years from now?

Yes	No
1	2

Please tell us if you think each of the following is not a problem, somewhat of a problem or a big problem in your neighborhood. Please use Response Scale # 24.

In your neighborhood, how much of a problem is.....	Not a Problem	Somewhat of Problem	A Big Problem
331. High unemployment?	1	2	3
332. Different racial or cultural groups who do not get along with each other?	1	2	3
333. Vandalism, buildings and personal belongings broken and torn up?	1	2	3
334. Little respect for rules, laws, and authority?	1	2	3
335. Prostitution?	1	2	3
336. The syndicate, mafia, or organized crime?	1	2	3
337. Sexual assaults or rapes?	1	2	3
338. Assaults and muggings?	1	2	3
339. Delinquent gangs or drug gangs?	1	2	3
340. Drug use or drug dealing in the open?	1	2	3

341. Police not available?

1

2

3



In your neighborhood, how much of a problem is.....	Not a Problem	Somewhat of Problem	A Big Problem
342. Teenage mothers?	1	2	3
343. Groups of teenagers hanging out in public places making a nuisance of themselves?	1	2	3
344. Transportation not available?	1	2	3
345. Police not caring about your problems?	1	2	3

Please use response scale # 17.  
Please answer the following questions about your neighborhood.

In your neighborhood, what are a teenager's chances of...

	Very Low	Low	In the Middle	High	Very High
346. graduating from high school?	1	2	3	4	5
347. completing college?	1	2	3	4	5
348. finding a stable and well-paying job when he/she becomes an adult?	1	2	3	4	5

What do you think the people in your neighborhood would do in the following situations? Please use Response Scale # 2.

How likely is it that the people in your neighborhood would do something...

	Very Unlikely	Somewhat Unlikely	Somewhat Likely	Very Likely
349. if there was a fight in front of your house and someone was being beaten?	1	2	3	4
350. if someone were trying to sell drugs to one of your children in plain sight?	1	2	3	4
351. if your kids were getting into trouble?	1	2	3	4



Please use Response Scale # 9.

The following statements are about the people who live in your neighborhood and the services available in your area. Please tell us how much you agree or disagree with each statement.

	<u>Strongly Disagree</u>	<u>Disagree</u>	<u>Neither Agree Nor Disagree</u>	<u>Agree</u>	<u>Strongly Agree</u>
352. This is a close-knit neighborhood.	1	2	3	4	5
353. Unless you know the right people, you can't get services in this neighborhood.	1	2	3	4	5
354. You can't find decent health and social services for your children around here.	1	2	3	4	5
355. There are a lot of adults around here that your children can look up to.	1	2	3	4	5
356. Your neighbors have similar views about how to raise children.	1	2	3	4	5
357. Getting help when your child needs it always takes more time and energy than you seem to have.	1	2	3	4	5
358. You can count on people in the neighborhood to let you know about opportunities for your kids.	1	2	3	4	5

Below are questions about the services in your community.

Does your community have.....

359. After school recreational programs for children?

yes	no	I Don't Know
1	2	8

360. Organized summer recreational programs for children?

yes	no	I Don't Know
1	2	8

361. Active scouting troops or youth clubs?

yes	no	I Don't Know
1	2	8

362. An organized center like the Y, city program in parks, or boys/girls clubs?

yes	no	I Don't
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1

2

Know  
8



Please think about your neighborhood in comparison to other neighborhoods and answer the following questions.

363. Compared with other neighborhoods, your neighborhood is.... **(READ CATEGORIES)**

Less safe than most 1	About the same 2	More safe than most 3
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364. Compared with other neighborhoods, your neighborhood has...**(READ CATEGORIES)**

Fewer neighbors who help each other 1	About the same 2	More neighbors who help each other 3
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365. Compared with other neighborhoods, your neighborhood has....**(READ CATEGORIES)**

Fewer involved parents 1	About the same 2	More involved parents 3
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366. Compared with other neighborhoods, your neighborhood is....**(READ CATEGORIES)**

A worse place to live 1	About the same 2	A better place to live 3
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Please use Response Scale # 18.

Rate the quality of the following services in your neighborhood for teenagers today.

367. The schools in this neighborhood are...

Poor 1	Fair 2	Good 3	Excellent 4
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368. The parks and playgrounds in this neighborhood are...

Poor 1	Fair 2	Good 3	Excellent 4
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369. The recreational services for kids in this neighborhood are...

Poor 1	Fair 2	Good 3	Excellent 4
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370. The mental health and counseling services in this neighborhood are...

Poor 1	Fair 2	Good 3	Excellent 4
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Below are some questions about the people in your neighborhood.

371. How many friends (not in your home) live in your neighborhood? \_\_\_\_\_

372. How many good friends live outside your neighborhood? \_\_\_\_\_

373. How many family members (not in your home) live in your neighborhood? \_\_\_\_\_

374. How many adult neighbors do you talk to regularly? \_\_\_\_\_

375. How many children in the neighborhood do you know by name?

\_\_\_\_\_

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Now, some questions about employment.

376. Has your employment situation changed within the past two years?

Yes  
1

No  
2  
**(IF NO, SKIP TO Q 378)**

377. How stressful has this change been on you? **(READ CATEGORIES)**

Not at All  
Stressful  
1

A Little  
Stressful  
2

Somewhat  
Stressful  
3

Very  
Stressful  
4

378. Are you currently employed?

Yes  
1

No  
2  
**(IF NO, SKIP TO PAGE 38, Q. 391)**

379. Is this a different job than you had two years ago?

Yes  
1

No  
2  
**(IF NO, SKIP TO PAGE 37, Q 382)**

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**THIS SECTION IS FOR (PARENT) WHO HAS CHANGED JOBS.**

380. Is this job better, worse or the same as the last job?

Worse  
1

Same  
2

Better  
3

381. What is your main occupation?

(SPECIFY) \_\_\_\_\_  
(OCCUPATION)

b. Tell me more about what you actually do at the job. What are your main duties?

(SPECIFY) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(DUTIES)

c. What kind of business, industry or field is that?

(SPECIFY) \_\_\_\_\_  
(BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY)

d. What do they do or make there?

(SPECIFY) \_\_\_\_\_  
(MAKE)





UNEMPLOYMENT SECTION

391. How did you become unemployed? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

391a. How long have you been unemployed ? Years \_\_\_\_\_ Months \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

392. Are you presently looking for paid work?

Yes  
1

No  
2 (IF NO, ASK)  
Why not?

393. (IF YES, ASK ) How long have you been looking for paid work?

\_\_\_\_\_ (CIRCLE) Days 1 Weeks 2 Months 3 Years 4

394. \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

(SKIP TO Q. 397)

\_\_\_\_\_

395. Have you been looking for full-time or part-time work? (READ CATEGORIES)

Full-time 1 Part-time 2 Either, don't care 3 Depends 4 Don't know 8

396. What do you consider to be your main occupation or type of work?

\_\_\_\_\_  
(MAIN OCCUPATION)

\_\_\_\_\_

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EVERYONE CONTINUES HERE...

397. How close do you feel to (CHILD)? (READ CATEGORIES)

Not Very Close 1 Fairly Close 2 Quite Close 3 Extremely Close 4

Please use Response Scale # 14.

398. How often do you and (CHILD) do things together that you enjoy?

Almost Never 1 Less Than Once a Month 2 1-3 Times a Month 3 About Once a Week 4 A Few Times a Week 5 Almost Every Day 6

Please use Response Scale #8.

399. How often do you wish you had a better relationship with (CHILD)?

Almost Never 1 Rarely 2 Occasionally 3 Frequently 4 Almost Always 5



1

2

3

4

5



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**SCG SECTION**

<b>400. IS THERE AN SCG IN THE HOME?</b>	
<b>YES</b> 1	<b>NO</b> 2
<b>(IF YES, CONTINUE HERE)</b>	<b>(IF NO, SKIP TO PAGE 43)</b>

**THESE QUESTIONS ARE ABOUT THE SCG**

Now I have some questions about (SCG).

401. Has (SCG) received any additional education or vocational training in the last 2 years?

Yes 1	No 2	Don't Know 8
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**(IF NO OR DON'T KNOW, SKIP TO Q. 405)**

402. Did (SCG) receive a degree from this training?

Yes 1	No 2	Don't Know 8
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**(IF NO OR DON'T KNOW SKIP, TO Q. 405 )**

403. What was this degree? **(PLEASE CIRCLE RESPONSE.)**

- 01. GED
- 02. Associates
- 03. Bachelor's/BA/BS
- 04. Master's
- 05. PHD, MD, JD
- 06. Other (SPECIFY) 404. \_\_\_\_\_

405. Has (SCG'S) employment situation changed within the past two years?

Yes 1	No 2	Don't Know 8
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**(IF NO OR DON'T KNOW, SKIP TO PAGE 42, Q. 421)**

406. How stressful has this change been for your family? **(READ CATEGORIES)**

Not at All Stressful 1	A Little Stressful 2	Somewhat Stressful 3	Very Stressful 4
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407. Is (SCG) currently employed?

Yes  
1

No  
2  
**(IF NO, SKIP TO PAGE 41, Q. 411)**

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408. Is this a different job than (he/she) had two years ago?

Yes  
1

No  
2

**(IF NO, SKIP TO PAGE 42, Q 421)**

409. Is this job better, worse or the same as the last job?

Worse  
1

Same  
2

Better  
3

**THIS SECTION IS FOR SCG'S WHO HAVE CHANGED JOBS**

410. What is (SCG'S) main occupation?

(SPECIFY) \_\_\_\_\_  
(OCCUPATION)

b. Tell me more about what (he/she) actually does at the job? What are (his/her) main duties?

(SPECIFY) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
(DUTIES)

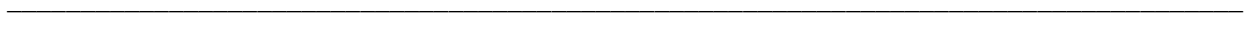
a. What kind of business, industry or field is that?

(SPECIFY) \_\_\_\_\_  
(BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY)

b. What do they do or make there?

(SPECIFY) \_\_\_\_\_  
(MAKE)

**(SKIP TO PAGE 42, Q. 421)**



**THIS SECTION IS FOR SCG'S WHO HAVE BECOME UNEMPLOYED WITHIN THE  
LAST TWO YEARS.**

	Yes	No	
411. Did (SCG) choose to stay home ?	1	2	412. <b>(IF YES, ASK)</b> For how long?
			Years____Months_____

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413. Was (SCG) fired or laid off?	1	2	414. <b>(IF YES, ASK)</b> For how long?
			Years____Months_____

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415. Is (SCG) currently on strike?	1	2	416. <b>(IF YES, ASK)</b> For how long?
			Years____Months_____

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417. Is (SCG) out of work because of temporary illness, sick leave or disability?	1	2	418. <b>(IF YES, ASK)</b> For how long?
			Years____Months_____

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419. Is there any other reason for (SCG'S) unemployment	1	2	420. <b>(IF YES, SPECIFY)</b>
			_____

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421. Is (SCG) now in school?

Yes  
1  
**( IF YES, SPECIFY)**

No  
2

422. Studying what? \_\_\_\_\_

423. In raising (CHILD), about how much responsibility has (SCG) taken in the last two years? **(READ CATEGORIES)**

None at all  
1

A little  
2

Some  
3

A Lot  
4

424. Is (his/her) relationship now with (CHILD): **(READ CATEGORIES)**

Not Very Close  
1

Fairly Close  
2

Quite Close  
3

Extremely Close  
4

425. In the last year how often did you and (SCG) discuss matters concerning (CHILD)? **(READ CATEGORIES)**

Never  
1

Rarely  
2

Sometimes  
3

Frequently  
4

**(IF NEVER,  
SKIP TO Q.427)**

426. During the last year when you and (SCG) made decisions about (CHILD), did he/she have: **(READ CATEGORIES)**

Very Little  
Influence  
1

Some  
Influence  
2

A Great Deal of  
Influence  
3

**(DO NOT READ)**  
We do not make  
Decisions Together  
7

427. During the last year how often have you and (SCG) agreed about how to raise (CHILD)? **(READ CATEGORIES)**

Never  
1

Sometimes  
2

Usually  
3

Always  
4

**(DO NOT READ)**  
Other  
5

428. How well do you and (SCG) get along? **(READ CATEGORIES)**

Not Well at All  
1

Not Very Well  
2

Pretty Well  
3

Very Well  
4

**NOW GO TO THE NEXT PAGE**

**SPOUSE/PARTNER SECTION**

**429. DOES (PARENT) HAVE A SPOUSE OR PARTNER LIVING IN THE HOME?**

**YES**  
1

**NO**  
2  
**(IF NO, SKIP TO PAGE 47)**

**430. IS (SPOUSE/PARTNER) THE SCG?**

**YES**  
1 ( IF YES ,SKIP TO PAGE 47)

**NO**  
2  
**(IF NO, CONTINUE HERE)**

**INTERVIEWER: WRITE THE FIRST NAME OF THE (SPOUSE/PARTNER) HERE:**

\_\_\_\_\_

**INSERT THE NAME YOU WROTE ON THE LINE ABOVE WHEN YOU SEE (SPOUSE/PARTNER)**

**QUESTIONS ABOUT THE SPOUSE/PARTNER WHO IS NOT THE SCG**

Now I have some questions about (SPOUSE/PARTNER).

431. Has (SPOUSE/PARTNER) received any additional education or vocational training in the last 2 years?

Yes  
1

No  
2

Don't Know  
8

**(IF NO OR DON'T KNOW, SKIP TO PAGE 44, Q. 435)**

432. Did (SPOUSE/PARTNER) receive a degree from this training?

Yes  
1

No  
2

Don't Know  
8

**(IF NO OR DON'T KNOW, SKIP TO PAGE 44, Q. 435)**

433. What was this degree? **(PLEASE CIRCLE RESPONSE)**

1. GED

2. Associates

3. Bachelor's/BA/BS

4. Master's

5. PHD, MD, JD

6. Other (SPECIFY) 434. \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_









**THIS SECTION IS FOR (SPOUSE/PARTNER) WHO HAS BECOME UNEMPLOYED WITHIN THE LAST TWO YEARS.**

	Yes	No	
441. Did (SPOUSE/PARTNER) choose to stay home ?	1	2	442. <b>(IF YES, ASK)</b> For how long? Years____Months____
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443. Was (SPOUSE/PARTNER) fired or laid off?	1	2	444. <b>(IF YES, ASK)</b> For how long? Years____Months____
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445. Is (SPOUSE/PARTNER) currently on strike?	1	2	446. <b>(IF YES, ASK)</b> For how long? Years____Months____
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447. Is (SPOUSE/PARTNER) out of work because of temporary illness, sick leave or disability?	1	2	448. <b>(IF YES, ASK)</b> For how long? Years____Months____
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449. Is there any other reason for (SPOUSE/PARTNER'S) unemployment?	1	2	450. <b>(IF YES, SPECIFY)</b> _____

\_\_\_\_\_

451. Is (SPOUSE/PARTNER) now in school?

Yes                      No  
1                              2

**(IF YES, SPECIFY)** Studying what? 452. \_\_\_\_\_

453. In raising (CHILD), about how much responsibility has (SPOUSE/PARTNER) taken in the last two years? **(READ CATEGORIES)**

None at all                      A little                      Some                      A Lot  
1    2    3    4

454. Is (his/her) relationship now with (CHILD): **(READ CATEGORIES)**

Not Very Close                      Fairly Close                      Quite Close                      Extremely Close  
1    2    3    4

455. In the last year how often do you and (SPOUSE/PARTNER) discuss matters concerning (CHILD)? **(READ CATEGORIES)**

Never                      Rarely                      Sometimes                      Frequently  
1    2    3    4

**(IF NEVER,  
SKIP TO Q. 457)**

456. During the last year when you and (SPOUSE/PARTNER) made decisions about (CHILD), (did he/she) have: **(READ CATEGORIES)**

Very Little                      Some                      A Great Deal of                      **(DO NOT READ)**  
Influence                      Influence                      Influence                      We do not make  
1    2    3    Decisions Together  
7

457. During the last year how often have you and (SPOUSE/PARTNER) agreed about how to raise (CHILD)? **(READ CATEGORIES)**

Never                      Sometimes                      Usually                      Always                      **(DO NOT READ)**  
1    2    3    4    Other  
5

458. How well do you and (SPOUSE/PARTNER) get along? **(READ CATEGORIES)**

Not Well at All                      Not Very Well                      Pretty Well                      Very Well  
1    2    3    4

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**BIOLOGICAL MOTHER SECTION**

<b>459. IS (CHILD'S) BIOLOGICAL MOTHER THE (PARENT), (SCG) OR (SPOUSE/PARTNER)?</b>	
<b>YES</b> 1 (IF YES, SKIP TO PAGE 52)	<b>NO</b> 2
<b>460. DOES (CHILD'S) BIOLOGICAL MOTHER LIVE IN THE HOUSE?</b>	
<b>YES</b> 1 (IF YES, SKIP TO PAGE 50)	<b>NO</b> 2 (IF NO, CONTINUE HERE)

**QUESTIONS ABOUT BIOLOGICAL MOTHER WHO IS NOT LIVING IN THE HOUSE**

461. Is (CHILD's) biological mother still alive?

Yes 1	No 2	Don't Know 8
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**(IF NO OR DON'T KNOW, SKIP TO PAGE 52)**

462. Has (CHILD) spent time with her during the last 2 years?

Yes 1	No 2	Don't Know 8
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**(IF NO OR DON'T KNOW, SKIP TO PAGE 52)**

463. About how many days in the past year?

(SPECIFY) \_\_\_\_\_  
Number of Days

464. When was the last time you saw (CHILD's) biological mother?

(SPECIFY) \_\_\_\_\_ **(CIRCLE ONE:)** days ago weeks ago months ago years ago  
1 2 3 4

465. Does (CHILD's) biological mother live within an hour's drive of you?

Yes 1	No 2	Don't Know 8
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466. Has (CHILD'S) biological mother received any additional education or vocational training in the last 2 years?

Yes 1	No 2	Don't Know 8
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**(IF NO OR DON'T KNOW, SKIP TO PAGE 48, Q. 470)**

467. Did (CHILD'S) biological mother receive a degree from this training?

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Yes  
1

No  
2

Don't Know  
8

**(IF NO OR DON'T KNOW, SKIP TO PAGE 48, Q. 470)**



468. What was this degree? Please circle response.

- 1. GED
- 2. Associates
- 3. Bachelor's/BA/BS
- 4. Master's
- 5. PHD, MD, JD
- 6. Other (SPECIFY) 469. \_\_\_\_\_

470. Is (CHILD'S) biological mother currently: **(READ CATEGORIES)**

- Married 1
- Living with Partner 2
- Neither 3
- Don't Know 8

471. Has (CHILD'S) biological mother's employment situation changed within the past two years?

- Yes 1
- No 2
- Don't Know 8

**(IF NO OR DON'T KNOW SKIP TO Q. 481)**

472. Has biological mother changed jobs?

- Yes 1
- No 2

**(IF YES SPECIFYJOB)** 473. \_\_\_\_\_

474. Is biological mother employed?

- Yes 1
- No 2

**(IF YES, SKIP TO Q. 481)**

- |  | Yes | No |
|--|-----|----|
| 475. Is biological mother choosing 1 to stay at home?  | 2   |    |
| 476. Was biological mother fired or laid off?  | 1   | 2  |
| 477. Is biological mother currently on strike?   | 1   | 2  |
| 478. Is biological mother out of work because of a temporary illness, sick leave, or disability? | 1   | 2  |
| 479. Something else?   | 1   | 2  |

**(IF YES, SPECIFY)** 480. \_\_\_\_\_

481. Is biological mother now in school?

- Yes 1
- No 2 **(SKIP TO Q. 483)**

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**(IF YES SPECIFY)** Studying what? 482. \_\_\_\_\_



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483. In raising (CHILD), about how much responsibility has (his/her) biological mother taken in the last two years? **(READ CATEGORIES)**

- |                  |               |           |            |
|------------------|---------------|-----------|------------|
| None at all<br>1 | A little<br>2 | Some<br>3 | A Lot<br>4 |
|------------------|---------------|-----------|------------|

484. Is her relationship now with (CHILD): **(READ CATEGORIES)**

- |                     |                   |                  |                      |
|---------------------|-------------------|------------------|----------------------|
| Not Very Close<br>1 | Fairly Close<br>2 | Quite Close<br>3 | Extremely Close<br>4 |
|---------------------|-------------------|------------------|----------------------|

485. In the last year how often do you and (CHILD's) biological mother discuss matters concerning (CHILD)? **(READ CATEGORIES)**

- |            |             |                |                 |
|------------|-------------|----------------|-----------------|
| Never<br>1 | Rarely<br>2 | Sometimes<br>3 | Frequently<br>4 |
|------------|-------------|----------------|-----------------|

**(IF NEVER,  
SKIP TO Q. 487)**

486. During the last year when you and (CHILD's) biological mother made decisions about (CHILD), did she have: **(READ CATEGORIES)**

- |                               |                        |                                   |   |
|-------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------------|---|
| Very Little<br>Influence<br>1 | Some<br>Influence<br>2 | A Great deal of<br>Influence<br>3 | <b>(DO NOT READ)</b><br>We do not make<br>Decisions Together<br>7 |
|-------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------------|---|

487. During the last year how often have you and (CHILD'S) biological mother agreed about how to raise (him/her)? **(READ CATEGORIES)**

- |            |                |              |             |                                    |
|------------|----------------|--------------|-------------|------------------------------------|
| Never<br>1 | Sometimes<br>2 | Usually<br>3 | Always<br>4 | <b>(DO NOT READ)</b><br>Other<br>5 |
|------------|----------------|--------------|-------------|------------------------------------|

488. How well do you and (CHILD'S) biological mother get along? **(READ CATEGORIES)**

- |                      |                    |                  |               |
|----------------------|--------------------|------------------|---------------|
| Not Well at All<br>1 | Not Very Well<br>2 | Pretty Well<br>3 | VeryWell<br>4 |
|----------------------|--------------------|------------------|---------------|

**(IF YOU ANSWERED Q. 488, SKIP TO PAGE 52 )**



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Yes  
1

No  
2

**(SKIP TO PAGE 51, Q.504 )**



	Yes	No
498. Is biological mother choosing to stay at home?	1	2
499.. Was biological mother fired or laid off?	1	2
500.. Is biological mother currently on strike?	1	2
501. Is biological mother out of work because of a temporary illness, sick leave, or disability?	1	2
502. Something else?	1	2

(IF YES SPECIFY) 503. \_\_\_\_\_

504. Is biological mother now in school?

Yes	No
1	2

(IF YES SPECIFY) Studying what? 505. \_\_\_\_\_

506. In raising (CHILD), about how much responsibility has (his/her) biological mother taken in the last two years? (READ CATEGORIES)

None at all	A little	Some	A Lot
1	2	3	4

507. Is her relationship now with (CHILD): (READ CATEGORIES)

Not Very Close	Fairly Close	Quite Close	Extremely Close
1	2	3	4

508. In the last year how often do you and (CHILD's) biological mother discuss matters concerning (him/her)? (READ CATEGORIES)

Never	Rarely	Sometimes	Frequently
1	2	3	4

(IF NEVER, SKIP TO Q. 510)

509. During the last year when you and (CHILD's) biological mother made decisions about (him/her), did she have: (READ CATEGORIES)

Very Little Influence	Some Influence	A Great deal of Influence	(DO NOT READ) We do not make Decisions Together
1	2	3	7

510. During the last year how often have you and (CHILD'S) biological mother agreed about how to raise (him/her)? (READ CATEGORIES)

Never	Sometimes	Usually	Always	(DO NOT READ) Other
1	2	3	4	5

511. How well do you and (CHILD'S) biological mother get along? (READ CATEGORIES)

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Not Well at All  
1

Not Very Well  
2

Pretty Well  
3

VeryWell  
4







527. Is biological father employed?

Yes      No  
1        2

**(IF YES, SKIP TO Q. 534)**

Yes      No

528. Is biological father choosing to stay at home? 1      2

529. Was biological father fired or laid off?      1      2

530. Is biological father currently on strike?      1      2

531. Is biological father out of work  
because of a temporary illness,  
sick leave, or disability?      1      2

532. Something else?      1      2

**(IF YES SPECIFY)** 533. \_\_\_\_\_

534. Is biological father now in school?

Yes      No  
1        2

**(IF YES SPECIFY)** Studying what? 535. \_\_\_\_\_

536. In raising (CHILD), about how much responsibility has (his/her) biological father taken in the last two years? **(READ CATEGORIES)**

None at all                      A little                      Some                      A Lot  
1                                      2                                      3                                      4

537. Is his relationship now with (CHILD): **(READ CATEGORIES)**

Not Very Close                      Fairly Close                      Quite Close                      Extremely Close  
1                                      2                                      3                                      4



538. In the last year how often do you and (CHILD's) biological father discuss matters concerning (CHILD)? **(READ CATEGORIES)**

Never 1	Rarely 2	Sometimes 3	Frequently 4
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**(IF NEVER,  
SKIP TO Q.540)**

539. During the last year when you and (CHILD's) biological father made decisions about (him/her), did he have: **(READ CATEGORIES)**

Very Little Influence 1	Some Influence 2	A Great deal of Influence 3	<b>(DO NOT READ)</b> We do not make Decisions Together 7
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540. During the last year how often have you and (CHILD'S)) biological father agreed about how to raise (him/her)? **(READ CATEGORIES)**

Never 1	Sometimes 2	Usually 3	Always 4	<b>(DO NOT READ)</b> Other 5
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541. How well do you and (CHILD'S) biological father get along? **(READ CATEGORIES)**

Not Well at All 1	Not Very Well 2	Pretty Well 3	VeryWell 4
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550. Is biological father unemployed?

Yes                      No  
1                              2

**(IF YES, SKIP TO Q. 557)**

	Yes	No
	1	2
551. Is biological father choosing to stay at home?	1	2
552. Was biological father fired or laid off?	1	2
553. Is biological father currently on strike?	1	2
554. Is biological father out of work because of a temporary illness, sick leave, or disability?	1	2
555. Something else?	1	2

**(IF YES SPECIFY)** 556. \_\_\_\_\_

557. Is biological father now in school?

Yes      No  
1      2

**(IF YES SPECIFY)** Studying what? 558. \_\_\_\_\_

559. In raising (CHILD), about how much responsibility has (his/her) biological father taken in the last two years? **(READ CATEGORIES)**

None at all	A little	Some	A Lot
1	2	3	4

560. Is his relationship now with (CHILD): **(READ CATEGORIES)**

Not Very Close	Fairly Close	Quite Close	Extremely Close
1	2	3	4

561. In the last year how often do you and (CHILD'S) biological father discuss matters concerning (him/her)? **(READ CATEGORIES)**

- |            |             |                |                 |
|------------|-------------|----------------|-----------------|
| Never<br>1 | Rarely<br>2 | Sometimes<br>3 | Frequently<br>4 |
|------------|-------------|----------------|-----------------|
- (IF NEVER,  
SKIP TO Q.563)**

562. During the last year when you and (CHILD'S) biological father made decisions about (him/her), did he have: **(READ CATEGORIES)**

- |                               |                        |                                   |   |
|-------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------------|---|
| Very Little<br>Influence<br>1 | Some<br>Influence<br>2 | A Great deal of<br>Influence<br>3 | <b>(DO NOT READ)</b><br>We do not make<br>Decisions Together<br>7 |
|-------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------------|---|

563. During the last year how often have you and (CHILD'S) biological father agreed about how to raise (him/her)? **(READ CATEGORIES)**

- |            |                |              |             |                                    |
|------------|----------------|--------------|-------------|------------------------------------|
| Never<br>1 | Sometimes<br>2 | Usually<br>3 | Always<br>4 | <b>(DO NOT READ)</b><br>Other<br>5 |
|------------|----------------|--------------|-------------|------------------------------------|

564. How well do you and (CHILD'S) biological father get along? **(READ CATEGORIES)**

- |                      |                    |                  |                |
|----------------------|--------------------|------------------|----------------|
| Not Well at All<br>1 | Not Very Well<br>2 | Pretty Well<br>3 | Very Well<br>4 |
|----------------------|--------------------|------------------|----------------|

**EVERYONE CONTINUES HERE.**

Now some more questions about you.

565. During the last 6 months, did you contribute any money for living expenses to anyone who did not live with you?

Yes  
1

No (IF NO, SKIP TO Q.567)  
2

566. How many people?

(SPECIFY) \_\_\_\_\_  
(# OF PEOPLE)

Please look at Response Scale # 20 for the following answers.

567. From all sources of income, tell me your total family income before taxes in 1992.

**(INTERVIEWER, IF (PARENT) IS UNCERTAIN, ASK:)** What would be your best guess?

1. Less than \$5,000
2. Between \$5,000-9,999
3. Between \$10,000-14,999
4. Between \$15,000-19,999
5. Between \$20,000-24,999
6. Between \$25,000-29,999
7. Between \$30,000-34,999
8. Between \$35,000-39,999
9. Between \$40,000-44,999
10. Between \$45,000-49,999
11. Between \$50,000-54,999
12. Between \$55,000-59,999
13. Between \$60,000-64,999
14. Between \$65,000-69,999
15. Between \$70,000-74,999
16. Between \$75,000-79,999
17. Between \$80,000-84,999
18. Between \$85,000-89,999
19. Between \$90,000-94,999
20. Between \$95,000-99,999
21. More than \$100,000

568. Think again over the past 12 months. Generally, at the end of each month do you end up with...  
**(READ CATEGORIES)**

- |  |   |                              |  |
|--|---|------------------------------|--|
| Not Enough Money to<br>Make Ends Meet<br>1 | Just Enough Money to<br>Make Ends Meet<br>2 | Some Money<br>Left Over<br>3 | More than Enough<br>Money Left Over<br>4 |
|--|---|------------------------------|--|

569. How upset or worried are you because you do not have enough money to pay for things?  
**(READ CATEGORIES)**

- |                                     |                                   |                                   |                               |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Not at all Upset<br>or Worried<br>1 | A Little Upset<br>or Worried<br>2 | Somewhat Upset<br>or Worried<br>3 | Very Upset<br>or Worried<br>4 |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------|

Do you have any of the following?	Yes	No
570. Health benefits or medical insurance?	1	2
571. Child support?	1	2
572. Social Security?	1	2
573. AFDC, food stamps, or public assistance?	1	2

In the past year, has your family...**(READ CATEGORIES AND CIRCLE ALL THAT APPLY)**

	Yes	No
574. gone more heavily into debt than usual?	1	2
575. fallen behind in paying bills?	1	2
576. cut back on social activities and entertainment expenses?	1	2
577. changed food shopping or eating habits to save money?	1	2
578. postponed medical or dental care because of a lack of funds?	1	2
579. cut back on utility use?	1	2

The following questions ask about important changes you may have experienced during the past year. Please tell me which events happened to you (or SPOUSE/PARTNER) during the past 12 months. Then, for each event which occurred, please rate how stressful that event was for you (or SPOUSE/PARTNER)

Please look at Response Scale #21.

During the PAST 12 MONTHS, did you (or SPOUSE/PARTNER):

			<b>IF YES:</b> How Stressful was this?				
	No	Yes	Not at all Stressful	A little Stressful	Moderately Stressful	Very Stressful	Extremely Stressful
580. need to find work but couldn't?	2	1	581. 1	2	3	4	5
582. get demoted, have trouble at work, or trouble with the boss?	2	1	583. 1	2	3	4	5
584. get a promotion or major pay increase?	2	1	585. 1	2	3	4	5
586. take a cut in wage or salary?	2	1	587. 1	2	3	4	5
588. get into trouble with the law?	2	1	589. 1	2	3	4	5
590. become a victim of a violent crime?	2	1	591. 1	2	3	4	5
592. have a close friend who died?	2	1	593. 1	2	3	4	5

Please look at Response Scale #21.

During the past 12 months, has anyone in your immediate family:

		<b>IF YES:</b> How Stressful was this?					
594. been hospitalized or very sick?	2	1	595. 1	2	3	4	5
596. become physically injured	2	1	597. 1	2	3	4	5
598. died? (SPECIFY RELATIONSHIP) 599. _____	2	1	600. 1	2	3	4	5
601. become pregnant? (SPECIFY RELATIONSHIP) 602. _____	2	1	603. 1	2	3	4	5