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N2349 N1

Local Authority Code Number				Child's Code Number					

Region N2350

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Parental interview form

NATIONAL CHILD DEVELOPMENT STUDY (1958 Cohort)

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Third follow-up of children born 3rd — 9th March, 1958

I (a) Child's name (surname)
First names (in full)

N622 (b) Sex (please ring appropriate number)

Boy
Girl

II (a) Child's Date of Birth /3/58

(b) Today's Date N2354, N2356, 197 N2358

III (a) Child's present address

(b) Child's home address at time of birth

(c) Place of birth if different from above (please give address if possible)

(d) Child's address at the time of Second Follow-up (in 1969)

(e) If born abroad, please give approximate date child came to live in this country

IV (a) Name of informant (surname)
(first names)

N2359 (b) Relationship of informant to the study child

Mother
Father
Other (please specify)

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Day Month Year

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Introductory Notes

First of all may we take this chance to thank you for carrying out these interviews on behalf of the National Child Development Study.

During the first few months of this year some 16,000 such interviews will be taking place. During the same period the young people themselves will be answering a questionnaire, completing a few tests of their educational attainment and they will be given a full medical examination. We shall also ask their teachers and headteachers about the young people's schools and their educational progress.

If you helped us with earlier follow-ups of these young people, you will know that this is the fourth time that information has been collected.

At birth, information was obtained which cast light on such matters as perinatal mortality, the significance of birthweight, the effect of mothers' smoking in pregnancy and many other important details with consequent improvement in the Maternity Services.

The findings of the follow-up when the children were aged seven have recently been published in *From Birth to Seven* (Davie, Butler & Goldstein, 1972). The overwhelming co-operation received from health visitors, teachers, medical officers, parents and many others enabled this report to present more findings which have been recognised as having important implications for policy and planning decisions for future medical, educational and social services.

A similar follow-up was carried out at 11 years of age and many of the results from this are now being published. A full list of all NCDS books, articles and papers can be obtained from the National Children's Bureau.

Now that the young people in the study are 16 years of age, the opportunity is being taken to extend the study as they reach school leaving age.

The Interview

Ideally the interview should be with the child's mother or mother-figure by herself (apart from those few cases where there is none). However, this cannot always be possible and it is important to avoid

embarrassment and awkwardness that might be caused by asking someone else to leave.

In our preparatory work on the interview form, we have tried to avoid questions which would be resented by the person being interviewed for being too personal. However, it is always possible that people do not want to answer some questions for reasons of this kind. Please stress at the start of the interview that people are free to decline to answer some questions if they choose and do not press for answers where this is the case.

Recording information

The form is designed so that, as far as possible, information can be recorded with the minimum of difficulty and the processing and analysis of the answers can be carried out conveniently. You will find that answers fall into three categories:

Firstly, there are those that require a short, written answer and space is provided to write a few words.

Secondly, there are those questions where a number of alternative answers are offered, each with a number by it. In this case, you should ring the number corresponding to the answer you are given. You will also often find that there is a space provided to be used when the answer does not fall into any of the categories offered. For example:

Was the information obtained in this interview provided by

Mother	1
Father	2
Other (please specify)	3

For the third kind of question the answer is a number. For these the number should be written in the box or boxes provided. For example:

How many floors are there in the building in which the family lives?

Number of floors

0	3
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If you feel that any answer needs some qualification or amplification, please add comments at that point on the form.

Thank you again for all your help.

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N2360 ¹ People in the household

A household is a group of people who live together and eat together.

Who normally lives in the study child's household?

Exclude any one who is only at home for short periods, for example, school holidays, but include father/father figure who sometimes works away from home. Please be sure to include the informant

Relationship to study child (e.g. father, stepbrother) or status in household (e.g. lodger)	Name	Sex	Age
1 Study child	No. of people in household		
2	Single or multiple birth		
3	Total males in h/h older than study child but under 20yrs 11 months		
4	Total males in h/h younger than study child		
5	Total ♂ in h/h older than study child but under 20yrs 11 months		
6	Total ♂ in h/h younger than study child		
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2 The following questions about brothers and sisters are to be taken as referring to all children who have the same natural mother as the study child. Include in the answers any that you have already listed as being in the household. Do not count a twin of the study child as a younger or older brother or sister. (the twin should have a separate form)

a) How many older brothers does the study child have?

b) How many younger brothers?

c) How many older sisters?

d) How many younger sisters?

Write number in boxes

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N2371 ³ The relationship to the study child of the person acting as the child's mother is: (Please ring appropriate letter or number)

Natural mother
Mother by legal adoption
Step-mother
Foster-mother
Grandmother
Elder sister
Co-habitee of father
Aunt
Housemother
No regular mother figure
Other (please specify)

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4 If not natural or legal adoptive mother, please state if possible:
N2372 a) Why child is not living with his/her natural or adoptive mother.

N2373 b) If child is living with a mother substitute, at what age did he/she first come under her care?
Please write age in years in boxes

N2375 5 The relationship to the study child of the person acting as the child's father is: (please ring appropriate letter or number)

- Natural father
- Father by legal adoption
- Step-father
- Foster-father
- Grandfather
- Elder brother
- Co-habitee of mother
- Uncle
- Housefather
- No regular father figure
- Other (please specify

6 If not natural or legal adoptive father, please state, if possible:
N2376 a) Why child is not living with his/her natural or adoptive father

N2377 b) If child is living with a father substitute, at what age did he/she first come under his care? Please write age in years in boxes

N2379 a) Has this child ever been in the care of a Local Authority?
Yes, in care now
Yes, in care only in the past
No, has never been in care
Don't know
Other reply (give details)

If yes, what was the child's age at the time of admission to care (or at the last time of admission if more than one) and the name of the Local Authority?

Age
Local Authority

N2381 b) Has the child ever been in the care of a Voluntary Society?
Yes, in care now
Yes, in care only in the past
No, has never been in care
Don't know
Other reply (give details)

If yes, what was the child's age at the time of admission to care (or at the last time of admission if more than one) and the name of the Voluntary Society?

Age
Voluntary Society

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Enter age
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(class) N2384*
(group) N2385†

- 8 Occupation of the child's father or father figure (i.e. present male head of household)
If not working, write 'Not working' below and fill in details of last occupation under a) to e). If no male head, write 'None' below and proceed to question 10.

(In completing this question as much detail as possible should be given to indicate the exact type of work done so that we can classify by skill, qualification or responsibility involved. Terms such as 'electrical worker', 'engineer', 'civil servant', 'clerk' are insufficient and need explaining.)

- a) Actual job
b) Trade, Industry or Profession
c) Is the father paid weekly, monthly or is he self-employed?

Please ring

Weekly	1
Monthly	2
Self-employed	3
Don't know	4
Other (please specify)	5

- d) If self-employed:

How many people does he employ?

None	1
1-24	2
25 -	3
Don't know	4

- e) If not self-employed:

(i) Does he supervise others?
(e.g. foreman, manager, chargehand)

Yes	1
No	2
Don't know	3

(ii) If yes, i.e. does supervise others, approximately how many people does he supervise?

1-24	1
25 -	2
Don't know	3

- 9 For how many weeks has the father (i.e. male head) been out of work in the past 12 months through illness or accident or unemployment. Enter number of weeks in boxes, e.g. for 6 weeks put for no weeks put . Where no male head leave blank.

Number of weeks off work through: N2387 a) Illness or accident

N2389 b) Unemployment

- N2392 10 Does the mother (or mother-figure) do paid work?

Yes
No

- 11 If mother does paid work, please give full details:
a) Actual job and nature of work (including whether full or part-time)

- b) Trade, industry or profession
c) Paid weekly, monthly or self-employed
d) Supervisory status, if any, and how many supervised
e) If self-employed, how many people she employs

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(group) N2394

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N2396 12 At what age did father or father figure leave full-time education?

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N2397 13 At what age did mother or mother figure leave full-time education?

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N2398 14 a) Is English the language usually spoken in the child's home?

Yes, English only

Yes, but other language also used

No. Other language usually used

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b) If any other language is spoken in the home, what is it?

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15 How many cigarettes each do the mother and father smoke?

Does not smoke at all

Smokes an occasional cigarette, but less than 1 a day

1-5 cigarettes a day

6-10

11-20

21-30

31 or more

Smokes a pipe or cigars, but not cigarettes

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Mother Father

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N2402 16 How often does the study child go out in the evenings?

Never or rarely goes out

Goes out in the evenings once or twice a week

Goes out in the evenings three or four times a week

Goes out in the evenings five or more times a week

Other answers (please specify

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N2403 17 a) Remind the parent that the study child's year group is the first in which all children have had to stay at school until the age of sixteen. In the study child's case do they wish that he/she had been able to leave school at fifteen?

Yes

No

Don't know/Can't say

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N2404 b) Ask parents who would have liked the child to have already left school their reasons for this

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N2407 18 Which of the following would the parents like the study child to do?

Leave at minimum school leaving age (i.e. end of this school year)

Stay in full-time education beyond minimum school leaving age, but not beyond 18

Continue some form of full-time education beyond age of 18

Uncertain ..

Please ring

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N2408 19 Which of the following do the parents think the study child is in fact likely to do?

Leave at minimum school leaving age (i.e. end of this school year)

Stay in full-time education beyond minimum school leaving age, but not beyond 18

Continue some form of full-time education beyond the age of 18

Uncertain ..

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20 What type of work would the parents like the study child to do?

21 What type of work do the parents think the study child is in fact likely to do? (If the answer is the same as to question 20 please write "as above").

N2415 22 Is the study child likely, after leaving school, to be in need of any special provision because of a handicap which could restrict his/her employment opportunities?

Yes
No
Uncertain/Don't know

N2416 If yes, please specify type of handicap

N2417 23 Please ask the parent to what extent they have been satisfied with the study child's education in his/her present school.

Satisfied
Satisfied in some ways but not in others
Dissatisfied
Uncertain/Don't know

N2418 If any dissatisfaction, please give reasons

N2421 24 Ask the parent how many times during the past twelve months he/she has discussed the study child's school progress with his/her teachers (Write number in box). If no such discussion write 0 in box. If 9 or more, please write 9.

N2422 25 Have the parents at any time in the past 12 months found it necessary to keep the study child off school in order to help at home?

Yes
No
Uncertain/Don't know

N2423 26 How many schools has the study child attended since his/her 11th birthday? Please list the name and type of schools (secondary modern, comprehensive, etc.) below:

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- 27 a) Please enquire or state from your own knowledge if a) the study child, and b) any other member of the family, has had any contact with any of the following services since the child's eleventh birthday. (Please ring all that apply)

Social Services or Social Work Department
(including former Children's Department)
Educational Welfare Department
Careers Officer/Youth Employment Officer
Voluntary Social Work Agency (please state which)

Police or Probation Office

- N2434 b) If there has been any such contact, please state who arranged the contact in the first instance

- N2437 c) Has the study child ever been taken to court (or a Children's Hearing in Scotland)?

Yes
No
Don't know

If yes, please give as many details as you can (4), (5), (6), (7), (8)

- N2440 28 Does any child of the family receive free school meals at present?

Yes
No
Don't know
Other replies (please specify)

- N2441 29 Ask the parent whether they have been seriously troubled by financial hardship in the past 12 months.

Yes
No
Uncertain
Don't know
Other reply (please give details)

Please ring N2424 N2429

Study child Other person

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- N2452 30 What have been the sources of income of the household during the past 12 months? (Ring all relevant sources but exclude study child's earnings, if any).

Father/father figure's employment
Mother/mother figure's employment
Brothers'/sisters' employment
Other adult member(s) of household's employment
Investments and/or private income
Annuities and pensions (other than social security)

Supplementary benefit
Unemployment benefit
Widow's Pension/Widowed mother's allowances
Sickness benefit
Retirement Pension
Disability Pension
Family Allowance
Family Income Supplement
Any other sources (please specify)

Please ring

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<p>31 Ask the informant(s) to indicate the range in which the members of the household's usual net income falls (i.e. after all deductions at source, viz. income-tax, health contributions, pensions, etc., commissions, overtime pay, etc. Include bonuses, commissions, overtime pay, etc. if this is usually received).</p> <p>Please show the informant(s) the following section and ask them to indicate the approximate range in which the net income of members of the household falls</p> <p>Either (i) the weekly or (ii) the monthly income is required whichever the informant(s) finds it most convenient to give</p> <p>(i) Weekly net pay of father or father figure Please ring the appropriate number</p> <p>£0-4 £5-9 £10-14 £15-19 £20-24 £25-29 £30-34 £35-39 £40-44 £45-49 £50-54 £60-</p>	<p>Leave blank</p>
<p>N2462 Y(1) X(2) 0(3) 1(4) 2(5) 3(6) 4(7) 5(8) 6(9) 7(10) 8(11) 9(12)</p> <p>Weekly net pay of mother or mother figure Please ring the appropriate number</p> <p>£0-4 £5-9 £10-14 £15-19 £20-24 £25-29 £30-34 £35-39 £40-44 £45-49 £50-54 £60-</p>	<p>Col 13</p>
<p>N2463 Y(1) X(2) 0(3) 1(4) 2(5) 3(6) 4(7) 5(8) 6(9) 7(10) 8(11) 9(12)</p> <p>Weekly net income from all other sources (e.g. family allowances, earned income of other members of household, investments, private incomes, social security benefits, pensions, Family Income Supplement, etc.)</p> <p>£0-4 £5-9 £10-14 £15-19 £20-24 £25-29 £30-34 £35-39 £40-44 £45-49 £50-54 £60-</p>	<p>Col 14</p>
<p>N2464 Y(1) X(2) 0(3) 1(4) 2(5) 3(6) 4(7) 5(8) 6(9) 7(10) 8(11) 9(12)</p> <p>(ii) Monthly net pay of father or father figure Please ring the appropriate number</p> <p>£0-17 £18-40 £41-60 £61-80 £81-105 £106-125 £126-145 £146-170 £171-190</p>	<p>Col 15</p>
<p>N2465 Y(1) X(2) 0(3) 1(4) 2(5) 3(6) 4(7) 5(8) 6(9)</p> <p>£191-210 £211-255 £256-</p> <p>7(10) 8(11) 9(12)</p> <p>Monthly net pay of mother or mother figure Please ring the appropriate number</p> <p>£0-17 £18-40 £41-60 £61-80 £81-105 £106-125 £126-145 £146-170 £171-190</p>	<p>Col 16</p>
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<p>N2467 Y(1) X(2) 0(3) 1(4) 2(5) 3(6) 4(7) 5(8) 6(9)</p> <p>£191-210 £211-255 £256-</p> <p>7(10) 8(11) 9(12)</p>	<p>Col 18</p>
<p>N2468 32 If all or part of questions 30 and 31 were not answered, was this because</p> <p>Informant did not know answer(s) 1</p> <p>Informant did not want to give answer(s) 2</p> <p>Uncertain of reason 3</p> <p>N2470 33 What accommodation is occupied by this household?</p> <p>Whole house or bungalow 1</p> <p>Flat/maisonette (self-contained) 2</p> <p>Room(s) 3</p> <p>Caravan 4</p> <p>Other (please specify) 5</p>	<p>Please ring</p> <p>Col 19</p> <p>Col 20</p>

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N2471 34 Is this accommodation:

- Owned by this household or being bought
- Rented from Council or New Town Corporation or Commission or Scottish Special Housing Association
- Privately rented—unfurnished
- Privately rented—furnished
- Tied to occupation
- Other (please specify)

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35 Does the accommodation have (ask each item)

N2472 (a) Bathroom

- Yes—sole use of one
- Yes—sole use of two or more
- Yes—shared use only
- No bathroom, but permanent fixed bath with own water supply in another room (e.g. kitchen)
- No bathroom or permanent fixed bath
- Don't know

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N2473 b) Indoor lavatory

- Yes—sole use of one
- Yes—sole use of two or more
- Yes—shared use only
- No
- Don't know

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N2474 c) Outdoor lavatory

- Yes—sole use
- Yes—shared use only
- No
- Don't know

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N2475 d) Hot water supply

- Yes—sole use
- Yes—shared use only
- No
- Don't know

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36 a) How many rooms does the accommodation have? Exclude all kitchens, sculleries and bathrooms. Include rooms used by lodgers and relatives who are members of the household as defined in Question 1. Enter number of rooms in the boxes.

N2476

e.g. 6 rooms = 11 rooms =

Enter number

Col 26-27

N2478 b) And now please describe the kitchen; which of the following applies?

- Kitchen less than 6 feet wide and not used as a living room
- Kitchen less than 6 feet wide and used as a living room
- Kitchen more than 6 feet wide and not used as a living room
- Kitchen more than 6 feet wide and used as a living room
- No kitchen
- Don't know

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37 a) How many other people sleep in the same room as the study child? Please fill in number in box. (If child has own room enter 0; if shares with 1 other, enter 1, etc.)

N2479

b) How many other people sleep in the same bed as the study child? Please fill in number in box. (If child has own bed enter 0; if shares with 1 other, enter 1, etc.)

N2480

38 How many floors are there in the building in which the family live? Please enter number in boxes.

N2481

e.g. 6 floors = 12 floors =

Enter number

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Col 31-32

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N2483³⁹ On what floor is the front door of the home?

Below street level
At street level/ground floor
1st floor
2nd floor
3rd-4th floor
5th-6th floor
7th-9th floor
10th-12th floor
13th floor upwards

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N2484⁴⁰ Does the household have: (please ring all that apply)

TV—black and white
TV—colour
Refrigerator
Deep-freeze
Telephone within the accom-
modation (do not count
coin-box phone)
2 or more cars
1 car
Full or partial central heating

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N2491⁴¹ For how long has this address been the study child's home?

Since birth
Not since birth but over 10 years
5-10 years
4 years
3 years
2 years
1 year
Under 1 year
Don't know
Other (please specify)

Please ring
Col 35

Y (1)
X (2)
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6 (9)

N2492⁴² How many times has the family moved since the study child was born? Enter the number of moves, e.g. 6 moves —

If 9 or more, enter 9

If the answer is not straightforward give brief details below.
(For example, cases where the child has moved home but not the family, or where the child is in a residential home or residential school, etc.)

Enter number
Col 36

43 Read to the informant(s): 'There are many things about which parents and teenagers can disagree. I will now read a list of some of the most common areas. Could you say for each one how often you and the study child argue (if at all) about this subject'. For each topic please ring the appropriate number.

Often Sometimes Never or hardly ever

N2493 His/her choice of friends of the same sex

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N2494 His/her choice of friends of the opposite sex

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N2495 His/her dress and/or hairstyle

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N2496 The time he/she comes in at night, and/or the time he/she goes to bed

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N2497 The places he/she goes to in his/her own time

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N2498 Whether or not he/she does his/her homework

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N2499 Whether or how much he/she smokes

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N2500 Whether or how much he/she drinks

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Not Answered (-1)
Does Not Apply (-2)

P12

44 Below is a list of minor health problems which most children have at some time. Please ask how often each of these happens with the study child. Answers should be given according to how the child has been during the past 12 months.

		<i>Never</i>	<i>Occasionally but not as often as once per week</i>	<i>At least once per week</i>	
N2501	A. Has stomach-ache or vomiting	1	2	3	Col 45
N2502	B. Wets pants or the bed	1	2	3	Col 46
N2503	C. Soils or loses control of bowels	1	2	3	Col 47
N2504	D. Has temper tantrums (that is, complete loss of temper with shouting, angry movements, etc.)	1	2	3	Col 48
N2505	E. Has tears on arrival at school or refuses to go into the building	1	2	3	Col 49
N2506	F. Truants from school	1	2	3	Col 50

N2507 45 a) Does he/she stammer or stutter?

No
Yes, mildly
Yes, severely

Please ring

Col 51
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N2508 b) Has he/she any difficulty with speech other than stammering or stuttering?

No
Yes, mild
Yes, severe

Col 52
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If yes, please describe the difficulty

N2509 c) Does he/she ever steal things?

No
Yes, occasionally
Yes, frequently

Col 53
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3

If yes, please give a few details if possible

N2510 d) Is there any eating difficulty?

No
Yes, mild
Yes, severe

Col 54
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N2511 If yes, is it:

Not eating enough
Eating too much
Faddiness
Other (please describe)

Col 55
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N2513 e) Does he/she have any sleeping difficulty?

No
Yes, mild
Yes, severe

Col 56
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N2514 If yes, is it:

Getting off to sleep
Waking during the night
Waking early in the morning
Bad dreams
Night terrors
Sleep walking
Other (specify)

Col 57
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Not Answered (-1)
Does Not Apply (-2)

Leave blank

P13

- 46 Below are a series of descriptions of behaviour often shown by young people. Please ask the informant(s) about each one and ring the appropriate number to show the degree to which this description is true of the study child

		Doesn't apply	Applies somewhat	Certainly applies	
N2517	a) Very restless. Has difficulty staying seated for long	1	2	3	Col 58
N2518	b) Squirmy, fidgety child	1	2	3	Col 59
N2519	c) Often destroys own or others' property	1	2	3	Col 60
N2520	d) Frequently fights or is extremely quarrelsome with other children	1	2	3	Col 61
N2521	e) Not much liked by other children	1	2	3	Col 62
N2522	f) Often worried, worries about many things	1	2	3	Col 63
N2523	g) Tends to do things on own—rather solitary	1	2	3	Col 64
N2524	h) Irritable. Is quick to 'fly off the handle'	1	2	3	Col 65
N2525	i) Often appears miserable, unhappy, tearful or distressed	1	2	3	Col 66
N2526	j) Has twitches, mannerisms or tics of the face or body	1	2	3	Col 67
N2527	k) Frequently sucks thumb or fingers	1	2	3	Col 68
N2528	l) Frequently bites nails or fingers	1	2	3	Col 69
N2529	m) Is often disobedient	1	2	3	Col 70
N2530	n) Cannot settle to anything for more than a few moments	1	2	3	Col 71
N2531	o) Tends to be fearful or afraid of new things or new situations	1	2	3	Col 72
N2532	p) Fussy or over-particular	1	2	3	Col 73
N2533	q) Often tells lies	1	2	3	Col 74
N2534	r) Bullies other children	1	2	3	Col 75

- 47 a) Please enquire where the parents were born.

Place of birth (town, county and country)

Mother
Father

N2535
N2536

- b) If not born in Britain, in which year did parents come to live in this country?

Year of arrival

Mother N2537
Father N2538

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Col 76

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Col 77

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Col 79

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Col 80

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Card No.	Local Authority Code No.		Child's Code Number							
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Col 1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	

48 Medical Causes of School Absence

N2553 a) How much time altogether has the study child missed from school *in the past 12 months* for reasons of ill-health or emotional disturbance?

- None, or less than one week in all
 Over one week and up to one month in all
 Over one month and up to three months in all
 Over three months in all
 Missed school, but don't know for how long
 Don't know whether missed school
 Does not attend school (please state why)

Please ring

Col 11

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N2554 b) If absent for more than one week in all during the past 12 months, please indicate reason(s). If not applicable, leave blank; otherwise please ring all appropriate letters or numbers.

- Colds, catarrh, sore throats, ear infections or influenza
 Bronchitis or chest infections, including pneumonia
 Asthma or wheeziness
 Headaches
 Emotional or nervous problems (specify)
 Bilious attacks or diarrhoea
 Dysmenorrhoea
 Abdominal pain
 Infectious diseases (specify)
 Accident or injury (specify)
 Convulsions, fits or turns
 Other causes (specify)

Col 12

- Y (1)
 X (2)
 0 (3)
 1 (4)
 2 (5)
 3 (6)
 4 (7)
 5 (8)
 6 (9)
 7 (10)
 8 (11)
 9 (12)

49 General Health

N2560 Has the study child suffered *in the past 12 months* from any of the following? Please ring all appropriate letters or numbers

- Hay fever or allergic rhinitis
 Recurrent vomiting or bilious attacks
 Dysmenorrhoea
 Travel sickness
 Recurrent abdominal pains
 Recurrent mouth ulcers
 Recurrent throat and/or ear infections requiring treatment by a doctor
 Acne (other than trivial)
 Eczematous rashes
 Psoriasis
 None of the above

Col 13

- Y (1)
 X (2)
 0 (3)
 1 (4)
 2 (5)
 3 (6)
 4 (7)
 5 (8)
 6 (9)
 7 (10)
 8 (11)

Not Answered (-1)
 Does Not Apply (-2)

Not Answered (-1)

Does Not Apply (-2)

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50 **Accidents** (including burns, scalds, poisoning, near-drowning) requiring hospital admission or accident/casualty department attendance.

N2566 a) Has the study child ever had any accident necessitating admission to hospital or attendance at an accident/casualty department?

- Yes, one
Yes, two
Yes, three
Yes, four
Yes, five
Yes, six
Yes, seven or more
No
Don't know

Please ring

- Col 14
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If **No** or **Don't know**, please proceed to Question 49
If **Yes**, please complete b) to f) below.

b) **Place where accident occurred**

Please complete the following table by ringing the appropriate numbers to show where each accident occurred and whether the study child was admitted to hospital or attended an accident/casualty department only.

Against (i) to (iv) please enter this information for the **four most recent** accidents which have occurred, starting with the most recent.

If the study child has had more than four accidents please enter details of all earlier accidents in section (f).

Accident resulting in:								Leave blank	
Hospital admission overnight or longer				or	Accident/casualty department attendance only				
On the road	At home	At school	Else- where	On the road	At home	At school	Else- where		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Col 15	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Col 16	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Col 17	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	Col 18	

c) **Type of injury**

For each accident recorded in b) above, please show the type of injury which resulted. Ring more than one number against each accident, if necessary.

												Leave blank
Type of injury known	No injury detected	Unconsciousness	Fracture of skull	Fracture of other bone	Eye injury	Burn or scald requiring stitches	Flash wound	Poisoning or suspected poisoning	Other injury or danger			
N2571 (i) Most recent accident	✓(1)	x(2)	0(3)	1(4)	2(5)	3(6)	4(7)	5(8)	6(9)	7(10)	8(11)	Col 19
N2575 (ii) Next most recent	✓(1)	x(2)	0(3)	1(4)	2(5)	3(6)	4(7)	5(8)	6(9)	7(10)	8(11)	Col 20
N2577 (iii) Next most recent	✓(1)	x(2)	0(3)	1(4)	2(5)	3(6)	4(7)	5(8)	6(9)	7(10)	8(11)	Col 21
N2579 (iv) Next most recent	✓(1)	x(2)	0(3)	1(4)	2(5)	3(6)	4(7)	5(8)	6(9)	7(10)	8(11)	Col 22

d) **Age(s) at which accident(s) occurred**

Please enter in the boxes in the margin the age in years at which each accident occurred. (If age less than 1, enter 00).

N2581 (i) Most recent accident

N2583 (ii) Next most recent

N2585 (iii) Next most recent

N2587 (iv) Next most recent

Enter age in years

Col 23-24

Col 25-26

Col 27-28

Col 29-30

e) Below, for each accident, please give any further known details, e.g. circumstances, type of injury, site of fracture, nature of poisoning, etc.

(i) Most recent accident

(ii) Next most recent

(iii) Next most recent

(iv) Next most recent

f) Details of all earlier accidents (including burns, scalds or poisoning) if child has had more than four, i.e. where accident(s) occurred, nature of injury, whether admitted to hospital overnight and child's age.

51 Admission to hospital overnight or longer

N2589

a) Has the study child ever been admitted to hospital overnight?

Yes, as a result of an accident(s) only

Yes, for other reason(s) only

Yes, as a result of an accident(s) and for other reason(s)

No

Don't know

If No, or Don't know, or Yes, accident(s) only, please proceed to Question 50. Otherwise, please complete b) to f) below.

b) Operations: Please complete the following table by ringing the appropriate number or letter in each line to show whether the study child has had any of these operations and at what age.

Don't know Yes but			Yes when aged												Leave blank
No	know	don't know age	under 3 yrs	3 or 4	5 or 6	7 or 8	9 or 10	11	12	13	14				
Y(1)	X(2)	N(3)	Y(4)	Z(5)	Z(6)	Z(7)	S(8)	S(9)	Z(10)	N(11)	Z(12)		Col 32		
Y(1)	X(2)	N(3)	Y(4)	Z(5)	Z(6)	Z(7)	S(8)	S(9)	Z(10)	N(11)	Z(12)		Col 33		
Y(1)	X(2)	N(3)	Y(4)	Z(5)	Z(6)	Z(7)	S(8)	S(9)	Z(10)	N(11)	Z(12)		Col 34		
Y(1)	X(2)	N(3)	Y(4)	Z(5)	Z(6)	Z(7)	S(8)	S(9)	Z(10)	N(11)	Z(12)		Col 35		
Y(1)	X(2)	N(3)	Y(4)	Z(5)	Z(6)	Z(7)	S(8)	S(9)	Z(10)	N(11)	Z(12)		Col 36		
Y(1)	X(2)	N(3)	Y(4)	Z(5)	Z(6)	Z(7)	S(8)	S(9)	Z(10)	N(11)	Z(12)		Col 37		

Please ring

Col 31

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Leave blank

c) Other operation(s)

N2596

Has the study child ever been admitted to hospital overnight for any operation other than the above (please ring as appropriate and give diagnosis).

Operation

Age

Diagnosis

(i) Thoracic

(ii) Upper respiratory or E.N.T. (other than tonsillectomy and/or adenoidectomy)

(iii) Orthopaedic

(iv) Any other operation(s)

d) Please give name and address of hospital attended for operation(s) mentioned in c) above.

Please ring

Col 38

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Not Answered (-1)
Does Not Apply (-2)

Not Answered (-1) Does Not Apply (-2)

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N2598

e) All hospital admissions (other than for accidents or operations). Please indicate any conditions (not included in b) or c) above) for which the study child has ever been admitted to hospital overnight by ringing the appropriate number(s) below:

Age at first admission Diagnosis

No other admission
Asthma/Wheezy bronchitis
Upper respiratory tract infection(s) (including E.N.T.)
Chest infections
Urinary tract infections/investigation
Other infections
Convulsions
Heart investigation/treatment
Abdominal conditions not requiring operation

Disorders of bones and joints
Blood disorders including leukaemia/anaemia
Tumours, neoplasms and other malignant conditions
Endocrine disorders (diabetes, thyroid, etc.)
Skin conditions
Eye conditions
Problems of nutrition (e.g. over or under weight)
Emotional conditions
Any other conditions

Please ring

Col 39

1 (1)
2 (2)
3 (3)
4 (4)
5 (5)
6 (6)
7 (7)
8 (8)
9 (9)
Col 40
Y (10)
X (11)
0 (12)
1 (13)
2 (14)
3 (15)
4 (16)
5 (17)
6 (18)

f) Please give name and address of hospital attended for any condition(s) ringed in e) above:

52 Hospital outpatient attendances

N2602

a) Apart from any accident recorded in Question 48, has the study child ever attended a hospital outpatient department for specialist opinion or investigation?

Yes
No
Don't know

Col 41

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If No, or Don't know, please proceed to Question 51.

If Yes, please complete b) below.

b) Please show, by ringing the appropriate number(s), the condition(s) for which investigation(s) was carried out and enter any known details of diagnosis (exclude conditions already entered in Question 49 above):

N2603

Age at first attendance Diagnosis

No outpatient attendance apart from conditions included in Question 49
Asthma/Wheezy bronchitis
Upper respiratory tract infections (including E.N.T.)
Chest infections
Urinary tract infections/investigations
Other infections
Convulsions
Heart investigation/treatment
Abdominal conditions not requiring operation

Col 42

1 (4)
2 (5)
3 (6)
4 (7)
5 (8)
6 (9)
7 (10)
8 (11)
9 (12)

Col 43

Y (13)
X (14)
0 (15)
1 (16)
2 (17)
3 (18)
4 (19)
5 (20)
6 (21)

Disorders of bones and joints
Blood disorders including leukaemia/anaemia
Tumours, neoplasms and other malignant conditions
Endocrine disorders (diabetes, thyroid, etc.)
Skin conditions
Eye conditions
Problems of nutrition (e.g. over or under weight)
Emotional conditions
All other conditions

53 Vision

N2609

Please ring the number(s) against all of the following which apply:

- Study child wears glasses now (or they have been prescribed recently)
 He/she has seen an oculist or eye specialist in the past 12 months
 He/she has had a squint in the past but not present now
 He/she has a squint now
 None of the above applies

Please ring

Col 44
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54 Hearing

N2612

Has the study child ever worn a hearing aid?

- Yes, and still wears it
 Yes, but no longer wears it
 No
 Don't know

Col 45
 1
 2
 3
 4

If Yes, please give reason

55 Speech therapy

N2613

Has the study child attended for speech therapy in the past 12 months?

- Yes
 No
 Don't know

Col 46
 1
 2
 3

If Yes, please give reason

56 Convulsions

N2614

a) Has the study child ever had any form of fit or other turn in which consciousness was lost, or any part of the body made abnormal movements (do not include emotional faints)?

- Yes
 No
 Don't know

Col 47
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If No, or Don't know, please proceed to Question 55.

If Yes, please complete b)-d) below.

N2615

b) Did the first episode occur:

- Before first birthday
 Between 1st and 2nd birthdays
 Between 2nd and 5th birthdays
 Between 5th and 7th birthdays
 Between 7th and 11th birthdays
 Since 11th birthday
 Don't know

Col 48
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N2616

c) Did the most recent episode occur:

- Before 1st birthday
 Between 1st and 2nd birthdays
 Between 2nd and 5th birthdays
 Between 5th and 7th birthdays
 Between 7th and 11th birthdays
 Since 11th birthday but not in the past 12 months
 In past 12 months
 Don't know age

Col 49
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d) If episodes have taken place since the age of 11, please enter details below:

Description
 Frequency
 Name and address of any hospital attended

Not Answered (-1)
 Does Not Apply (-2)

57 Asthma/Wheezy bronchitis

N2617 a) Has the study child ever had an attack of asthma or wheezy bronchitis?

- Yes
No
Don't know

If **No**, or **Don't know**, please proceed to Question 56.
If **Yes**, please complete b)-e) below.

N2618 b) Have the attacks ever necessitated investigation/treatment?
(Please ring all that apply)

- No
Don't know
Yes, admitted to hospital
Yes, by a specialist in a hospital outpatient department/clinic
Yes, by a G.P.

N2621 c) Did the first attack occur:

- Before first birthday
Between 1st and 2nd birthdays
Between 2nd and 5th birthdays
Between 5th and 7th birthdays
Between 7th and 11th birthdays
Since 11th birthday
Don't know age

N2622 d) Did the most recent attack occur:

- Before first birthday
Between 1st and 2nd birthdays
Between 2nd and 5th birthdays
Between 5th and 7th birthdays
Between 7th and 11th birthdays
Since 11th birthday but not in past 12 months
In past 12 months
Don't know age

N2623 e) If the child has had asthma or wheezy bronchitis in the past 12 months did this occur:

- At least once a week
Usually less than once a week but at least once a month
Less than once a month
Frequency unknown

58 Migraine

N2624 Has the study child had attacks of migraine or recurrent sick headaches in the past 12 months?

- No
Don't know
Yes, but none in the past month
Yes, one in the past month
Yes, more than one in the past month
Yes, but frequency unknown

If **Yes**, please specify exact nature of attacks:

Please ring

Col 50
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Col 51
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Col 52
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Col 53
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Col 54
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Col 55
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Not Answered (-1)

Does Not Apply (-2)

59 Bladder control

N2625 a) Has the study child wet the bed at night (more than occasionally) since the age of 5?

Yes
No
Don't know

If **No**, or **Don't know**, proceed to Question 58. If **Yes**, please complete b) to d) below.

N2626 b) Has he/she ever received treatment/investigation for this condition (please ring all that apply)?

No
Don't know whether received treatment
Yes, admitted to hospital
Yes, as an outpatient, but no longer attending
Yes, as an outpatient and still attending
Yes, at a clinic but no longer attending
Yes, at a clinic and still attending
Yes, by a G.P., but no longer attending
Yes, by a G.P. and still attending
Yes, but don't know where received treatment/investigation

N2629 c) At what age did he/she most recently wet the bed?

Not known when
Before 11th birthday
Aged 11
Aged 12
Aged 13
Aged 14 or more but not in past 12 months
During past 12 months but not in the past month
During the past month

N2630 d) If the study child has wet the bed during the past month was it:

Frequency not known
1-3 nights
4-10 nights
11 or more nights

60 Psychiatric and behaviour problems

N2631 Has the study child ever been seen by a specialist for an emotional or behavioural problem? (Ring all that apply)

No
Don't know
Yes, as an inpatient in hospital
Yes, in a hospital outpatient department
Yes, at a child guidance clinic
Yes, elsewhere (specify)

If **Yes**, please give year of attendance, diagnosis and name and address of hospital/clinic attended

Year of attendance

Diagnosis

Name and address of hospital/clinic attended

Please ring

Col 56

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Col 57

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Col 58

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Col 59

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Col 60

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Not Answered (-1)

Does Not Apply (-2)

61 Dental care

N2635

- a) Has the study child been seen by a **school dentist** during the past 12 months? (Ring all that apply)

No
 Don't know
 Yes, but don't know reason
 Yes, for inspection
 Yes, for fillings and/or extractions
 Yes, for straightening teeth
 Yes, other reason (specify)

Please ring

Col 61

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N2638

- b) Has he/she been seen by **any other dentist** during the past 12 months? (Ring all that apply)

No
 Don't know
 Yes, but don't know reason
 Yes, at a surgery for inspection
 Yes, at a surgery for fillings and/or extractions
 Yes, at a surgery for straightening teeth
 Yes, at a surgery for other reason (specify)
 Yes, at a dental hospital for fillings and/or extractions
 Yes, at a dental hospital for straightening teeth
 Yes, at a dental hospital for other reason (specify)

Col 62

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N2643

- c) Has the study child lost any second teeth? (Ring all that apply)

No
 Don't know
 Yes, through decay
 Yes, through accident
 Yes, as a procedure for straightening teeth
 Yes, for other reason (specify)
 Yes, reason not known

Col 63

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N2646

- d) Does the study child have any false teeth? (Ring one number only)

No
 Don't know
 Yes, to replace teeth lost through decay
 Yes, to replace teeth lost through accident
 Yes, to replace teeth lost in both above ways
 Yes, but reason not known

Col 64

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N2647

- e) Has the study child ever worn a brace for straightening his/her teeth?

No
 Don't know
 Yes, and wears it now
 Yes, but does not wear it now

Col 65

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Not Answered (-1)
 Does Not Apply (-2)

62 Pubertal development

N2648

a) *Girls*: At what age did she have her first menstrual period?

- Before 11th birthday
When aged 11
Aged 12
Aged 13
Aged 14
Aged 15 or more
Not yet commenced
Commenced, but don't know age
Don't know whether commenced

Please ring

Col 66

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N2649

b) *Boys*: At what age did his voice break?

- Before 11th birthday
When aged 11
Aged 12
Aged 13
Aged 14
Aged 15 or more
Not yet broken
Voice broken but don't know when
Don't know whether voice broken

Col 67

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63 Chronic ill-health or disability in the household

In answering this question:

- (i) include conditions which have been present since the study child's 11th birthday irrespective of when they commenced
(ii) include only the most severe condition if more than one is affecting the same person
(iii) include parent substitute under 'mother' or 'father'

N2650

a) Has the study child since his/her 11th birthday lived in the same household as anyone suffering from chronic physical or mental ill-health or disability?

- No
Don't know
Yes, but not now
Yes, and still continuing

Col 68

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If **No**, or **Don't know**, please proceed to Question 62.If **Yes**, please complete b) to d) below.

N2651

b) Indicate, by ringing the appropriate number(s), the member(s) of the household affected

- Mother
Father
Other adult (specify)
Other child

Col 69

- 1
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c) Please give the following details:

	Diagnosis	Year of onset	Duration of illness	Present state of condition
Mother	N2654		N2655	
Father	N2656		N2657	
Other adult	N2658		N2659	
Other child	N2660		N2661	

Leave blank

Col 70-71

Col 72-73

Col 74-75

Col 76-77

Not Answered (-1)
Does Not Apply (-2)

64 Name and address of the study child's General Practitioner

65 Please ask for the study child's National Health Service Number

Please thank the parent for his/her assistance in completing this form.

66 Summary (to be completed after the interview)

N2662

a) Taking into account the information you have obtained during the interview and any other relevant information, do you consider the child has any handicapping condition or disability?

Yes

No

Don't know

Please ring

Col 78

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N2663

b) If Yes, what is the nature of the child's handicap or disability? (Please ring all that apply)

Please give brief description.

Congenital malformation

Visual defect

Hearing defect

Mental retardation

Muscular dystrophy

Other general motor handicap (e.g. cerebral palsy)

Epilepsy

Psychiatric problem

Speech defect

Col 79

1 (1)

2 (2)

3 (3)

4 (4)

5 (5)

6 (6)

7 (7)

8 (8)

9 (9)

Col 80

Y (10)

X (11)

0 (12)

1 (13)

2 (14)

3 (15)

4 (16)

5 (17)

6 (18)

7 (19)

Asthma

Other chest condition

Alimentary condition

Chronic bone or joint disorder

Heart condition

Disorder of kidney or urinary tract

Malignancy (including leukaemia)

Diabetes

Skin disorder

Any other handicap or disability

67 Are there any remarks or other notes you would wish to add?

N2539

Thank you

Not Answered (-1)

Does Not Apply (-2)