



APS Standard Field Instrument

AMERICAN PERIPHENOMENAL SURVEY

Standard Field Instrument I Region 10 (Cascadia)

To be completed by the Researcher while the Subject completes the Experience Questionnaire.

[HEADER]

Researcher ID: CAS - _____ | Date: ____/____/20__ | Time of Submission: ____:____

(CRITICAL: Record the exact minute the Subject hits "Submit" on the digital interface)

Engagement Status: ☒ 3 - Field Intercept (Verified Presence)

SECTION A: SITE DATA

(Matches Registry Columns 30-33)

1. Jurisdiction (Bioregion):

☐ WA ☐ OR ☐ ID (North) ☐ BC ☐ Other: _____

2. Location Name: _____

3. GPS Coordinates: _____

4. Setting Type:

☐ RES (Residential / Private Home)

☐ LIM (Liminal / Transitional / Roadside)

☐ COM (Commercial / Office / Retail)

☐ NAT (Natural / Forest / Water)

☐ DIG (Digital Context / Remote Interview)

SECTION B: ENVIRONMENTAL READINGS

(Matches Registry Columns 34-37)

5. Weather Condition:

☐ CLEAR

☐ OVERCAST

☐ RAIN

☐ STORM

☐ OZ (Unnatural Silence/Stillness)

6. Ambient Noise:

☐ SILENT

☐ HUM (Electronic/Industrial)

☐ TALK (Normal crowd)

☐ LOUD (Chaotic/Traffic)

7. Lighting:

☐ DAY (Natural)

☐ ART (Fluorescent/Artificial)

☐ DIM (Low light)

☐ DARK (Flashlight/Night)

8. Technical Interference:

Did recording devices or phones malfunction?

☐ NONE

☐ DRAIN (Battery drained rapidly)

☐ GLITCH (Audio/Video distortion)

☐ FAIL (Device shut down completely)

SECTION C: SUBJECT OBSERVATION

(Matches Registry Columns 38-40)

9. Demeanor:

☐ CALM (Detached/Matter-of-fact)

☐ AGITATED (Nervous/Fearful)

☐ INTENSE (Eager/"True Believer")

☐ CONFUSED (Disoriented)

☐ SKEPTICAL (Reluctant witness)

10. Physical Markers:

☐ NONE

☐ TREMBLE (Shaking)

☐ PALE (Pallor/Sweating)

☐ AVOID (No eye contact)

11. Narrative Delivery:

☐ FLUID (Natural conversational flow)

☐ FRAGMENTED (Difficulty recalling sequence)

☐ REHEARSED (Sounds like a scripted story)

☐ RELUCTANT (Needs prompting)

SECTION D: FIELD NOTES & DIAGRAM

(Matches Registry Column 41)

Summarize specific details not captured above (e.g., "Subject refused to enter the hallway," "Compass spun wildly"). Sketch area if relevant.

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[PROTOCOL CHECKLIST]

[] Anti-Priming Observed: I did not ask leading questions before the interview.

[] Debriefing Complete: I have read the Exit Protocol script to the subject.

[] Handout Given: Subject received the APS Resource Card.

Researcher Signature: _____

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