

PARENT INTERVIEW SUPPLEMENT

CHILD NAME _____

PARENT'S NAME _____

CHILD ID _____

INTERVIEWER'S NAME _____

Introductory Statement

I am a representative of the High/Scope Foundation. This is an independent organization—we are not part of the public schools or the government.

Our work involves learning more about children and families like yours. In this interview I will be asking you a number of questions about your family and especially about (child). Some of the questions are like those that we asked you several years ago when (child) first became a part of this study. We are asking these questions again because we want to know what has happened during all these years. All the information you give me will be completely confidential, and will never be associated with your name. Please feel free not to answer a question if you feel it is too personal.

3.2. Have there been any male adults who you would say have had a particularly important effect on (child) over the years?

0 No

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1 Yes [IF YES, ASK:]

b. Who was that? [PROBE FOR RELATIONSHIP: IF PERSON NAMED IS OUTSIDE THE HOUSEHOLD, PROBE FOR MALE ADULT IN THE HOUSEHOLD]

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00 Natural father

06 Male friend of mother

01 Step-father

07 Friend of other family member

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02 Grandfather

08 Social service agency representative

03 Uncle

(i.e. social worker, Big Brother)

04 Brother (full, half, or step)

09 Teacher, coach

05 Cousin

10 Clergy

11 Other (specify) _____

c. Is this person presently living in your household?

0 No

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1 Yes

5.a. Do you live in a public housing project?

0 No

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1 Yes [IF YES, ASK:]

b. What is the name of it?

PROJECT _____

(IF RESPONDENT SAID THAT A MALE ADULT WAS PRESENTLY LIVING IN THE HOUSEHOLD IN QUESTION 3c, ASK QUESTION 11, OTHERWISE SKIP TO QUESTION 12.)

11. During the last year, would you say (male adult) has been employed?
[READ ALTERNATIVES]

1 not at all

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2 1/4 of the year (3 months)

3 1/2 of the year (6 months)

4 3/4 of the year (9 months)

5 all of the year

Child ID

12. During the last year, would you say you have been employed?

[READ ALTERNATIVES]

- 1 Not at all
- 2 1/4 of the year (3 months)
- 3 1/2 of the year (6 months)
- 4 3/4 of the year (9 months)
- 5 all of the year

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17.a. Has (child) been sick a lot or had nervous problems?

0 No

1 Yes [IF YES, ASK:]

b. What was the trouble? _____

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18.a. Has (child) ever spent more than a week in the hospital?

0 No

1 Yes [IF YES, ASK:]

b. Why was he/she in the hospital? _____

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c. How old was he/she then? _____

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23.a. Did (child) participate in any unusual educational programs in his/her school like speech therapy, special education, etc. [INSERT LOCAL EXAMPLES]

0 No

1 Yes

[IF YES, ASK:]

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b. Would you describe it for me?

[RECORD FIRST FOUR PROGRAMS MENTIONED]

00 Speech therapy

01 Special education

02 Vocational training

03 Advanced placement or programs for gifted

04 Remedial reading, math or other subject

05 Other (specify) _____

Program # of years

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Grades

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c. How many years was he/she in the program?

d. What grade was (child) in during the program? [EXPLAIN GRADE LEVEL(OR LEVELS) IN WHICH CHILD RECEIVED PROGRAM.] _____

[OPEN ENVELOPE TO DETERMINE IF CHILD IS IN EXPERIMENTAL OR CONTROL GROUPS. IF EXPERIMENTAL, CONTINUE WITH QUESTIONS REGARDING INTERVENTION, IF CONTROL SAY:]

Those are all of the questions that I have for you. Thank you very much

Child ID

Delivery System

- 1 Center
- 2 Home
- 3 Combination

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Now I would like to ask some specific questions about the program your child was in. These questions are just to help us evaluate that program; it doesn't mean that any new programs like it are being planned by us.

Perry

I'll be asking you to think back about the Preschool project that (child) was in several years ago, about what it was like, what it did for your child, things you liked about it and so on. I know that it has been a long time, but please try to remember. Take a few minutes to think about where you lived then, who was in the family—to help you remember back when (child) was that age.

26. What were some of the things you liked about the program? [RECORD VERBATIM]

"I LIKED THE DIFFERENT THINGS THAT
WAS FOR THE KIDS"

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27. What did you like best? [RECORD VERBATIM] "I DON'T REMEMBER"

28. What were some of the things you did not like about it? [RECORD VERBATIM]

"I DIDN'T CARE ABOUT GOING TO THE MOUNTAIN
THAT THEY PUT THE SCHOOLS, I WANTED
TO GO TO CAMP OUT THERE"

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29. How would you have changed it to make it better? [RECORD VERBATIM]

"I DON'T THINK I COULD HAVE MADE
IT ANY BETTER THAN IT ALREADY WAS."

31.a. Did you like having the program in both a center and in your home?

- 0 No
1 Yes

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b. Why or why not? [RECORD VERBATIM] I'D rather have

it at the school.

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c. Did you prefer either the home or center part of the program?

- 0 No preference
1 Home
2 Center

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[IF STATE A PREFERENCE, ASK:]

Why was that? [RECORD VERBATIM] I would have

to be bothered by my other
kids.

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Perry

32. Generally speaking, was the Preschool program a good thing for your child?

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- 0 No
1 Yes
8 Don't know, no answer, don't remember

- 33.a. Programs for young children are set up to provide different kinds of help to families. I have some specific questions about help you, your child, or your family may have received thru this Perry program. It may be hard to remember so take your time and think back to when (child) was that age.

Here is a list of services you may have received thru this _____ program. Look at each one and tell me which of these services or help you, your child or someone in your family received through the program.

[HAND RESPONDENT CARD WITH LIST OF SERVICES, AND ALLOW ADEQUATE TIME TO READ THE LIST.]

IF RESPONDENT HAS QUESTIONS ABOUT THE SERVICE, EXPLAIN BY GIVING FURTHER EXAMPLES.]

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07 Parties, picnics, field trips for parents?

08 Information about how children grow and learn?

09 Help in getting along better with your child?

10 Help in learning how to teach your child things yourself?

11 Free time so that you could go to school, to work, or do shopping

98 Don't know

99 Not applicable

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99	09	43-44
99	10	45-46
99	11	47-48

- b. Now of the services you did receive through the program, which ones made a difference or were important to you?

[RECORD USING SAME CODE AS 33.a.]

[COMMENTS]

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That's all the questions I have for you. Thank you very much for your cooperation. Are there any questions you would like to ask me about the interview?

[DO NOT ASK NEXT QUESTIONS: COMPLETE AFTER END OF INTERVIEW]

24. [IF THE PARENT LIVES IN A PUBLIC HOUSING PROJECT, CALL HOUSING AUTHORITY TO DETERMINE IF IT IS:]

- 1 Low income
2 Moderate income
3 Mixed low and moderate income

☐ 9 3534. INTERVIEWER SIGNATURE Sh. Santana INTERVIEWER ID☐ 10 61-62

35. DATE OF INTERVIEW (Month, Day)

☐ 12 ☐ 09 63-66

36. INTERVIEWER SEX 0 Male, 1 Female

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37. INTERVIEWER ETHNIC ORIGIN

0 Caucasian 3 Puerto Rican

1 Black 4 Cuban

2 Oriental 5 Other (Specify) _____

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38. DURATION OF INTERVIEW (in minutes)

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39. PLACE OF INTERVIEW

0 Home of respondent

1 Center site

2 Telephone

3 Other (Specify) _____

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40. RATE THE DEGREE OF INVOLVEMENT OF RESPONDENT

1 Highly involved and interested

2

3 Neither involved nor uninvolved

4

5 Bored, not interested

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COMMENTS ON PROBLEMS WITH INTERVIEW, SPECIAL CIRCUMSTANCES _____
