

Early Head Start 5th Grade Follow-Up Study

Child Interview

CD1
ALL

Before we get started, I would like to make sure that I have your name correct.

What is your first name?

PROBE: How do you spell that?

INTERVIEWER: IF CHILD HAS DIFFICULTY SPELLING NAME YOU CAN HELP HIM/HER SPELL IT.

FIRST NAME OF CHILD	STRING OF 15	CD2
DK	d	
REF	r	

CD2
ALL

Do you have a middle name?

PROBE: How do you spell that?

INTERVIEWER: IF NO MIDDLE NAME, ENTER '99'.

INTERVIEWER: IF CHILD HAS DIFFICULTY SPELLING NAME YOU CAN HELP HIM/HER SPELL IT.

MIDDLE NAME OF CHILD	STRING OF 15	CD3
DK	DK	
REF	REF	

CD3
ALL

And, what is your last name?

PROBE: How do you spell that?

INTERVIEWER: IF CHILD HAS DIFFICULTY SPELLING NAME YOU CAN HELP HIM/HER SPELL IT.

LAST NAME OF CHILD	STRING OF 15	CD4
DK	d	
REF	r	

CD4
ALL

And you are called [FIRST NAME OF CHILD] or do you have a nickname that you want me to call you by?

INTERVIEWER: IF NICKNAME, CHANGE NAME; OTHERWISE CONTINUE.

NICKNAME	STRING OF 15 = [CHILD]	CD4.1
DK	d	
REF	r	

CD4.1
ALL

INTERVIEWER: CODE WITHOUT ASKING WHETHER [CHILD] IS MALE OR FEMALE.

MALE	1	CD5
FEMALE	2	

CD5
ALL

How old are you?

AGE OF CHILD	FF	CD6
DK	d	
REF	r	

CD6
ALL

And what is your birth date?

BIRTH DATE OF CHILD	MM/DD/YYYY	CD7
DK	d	
REF	r	

CD7
ALL

First, I would like to ask you some questions about your parents or the adults who live with you and take care of you.

Who they are?

Probe: When we talk about adults we mean adults who are responsible for you and taking care of you?

INTERVIEWER: RESPONSE CAN BE A FIRST NAME OR RELATIONSHIP TO CHILD SUCH AS "MOM OR DAD."

INTERVIEWER: IF CHILD PROVIDES TWO NAMES, START WITH THE FIRST PERSON. YOU WILL ENTER THE SECOND PERSON LATER.

NAME OF FIRST CARETAKER	STRING OF 15 = [FIRST CARETAKER]	CD7.1
DK	DK	CD15
REF	REF	

CD7.1
CD7 NE DK OR REF

INTERVIEWER: CODE WITHOUT ASKING IF KNOWN.

MALE	1	CD7.2
FEMALE	2	CD7.2

CD7.2

CD7 NE REF OR DK

Is [NAME OF FIRST CARETAKER] your...

INTERVIEWER: STOP READING CATEGORIES IF CHILD ANSWERS QUESTION.

IF 7.1 = 1	IF 7.1 = 2		
Real or biological father	Real or biological mother	1	CD8
Stepfather	Stepmother	2	
Adoptive father	Adoptive mother	3	
Foster father	Foster mother	4	
Father's girl friend/partner	Mother's boy friend/partner	5	
Grandfather	Grandmother	6	
Someone else you are related to like an uncle. (Describe_____)	Someone else you are related to like an aunt. (Describe_____)	7	
Some other person (Describe_____)	Some other person (Describe_____)	8	
DK		d	
REF		r	

CD8
CD7 NE REF OR DK

INTERVIEWER: DO NOT ASK IF ALREADY KNOWN.

ENTER "YES" FOR CD8 AND WRITE NAME IN CD9.

Do you have another parent or someone else who is responsible for you and taking care of you?

Again, think of a parent or someone else who lives with you all or most of the time.

YES	1	CD9
NO	2	CD10
DK	DK	
REF	REF	

CD9
CD8=1

Who is that person?

INTERVIEWER: RESPONSE CAN BE A FIRST NAME OR RELATIONSHIP TO CHILD SUCH AS "MOM OR DAD". ENTER NAME WITHOUT ASKING IF KNOWN.

IF CHILD NAME MORE THAN ONE PERSON PROBE: You can only pick one other parent. Which one do you think takes care of you more often?

NAME OF SECOND CARETAKER	STRING OF 15 = [SECOND CARETAKER]	CD9.1
DK	d	??
REF	r	

CD9.1
CD8=1

INTERVIEWER: CODE WITHOUT ASKING IF KNOWN.

MALE	1	CD9.2
FEMALE	2	

CD9.2
CD8=1

Is [NAME OF SECOND CARETAKER] your...

INTERVIEWER: STOP READING CATEGORIES WHEN CHILD ANSWERS QUESTION.

IF 9.1 = 1	IF 9.1 = 2		
Real or biological father	Real or biological mother	1	CD10
Stepfather	Stepmother	2	
Adoptive father	Adoptive mother	3	
Foster father	Foster mother	4	
Father's girl friend/partner	Mother's boy friend/partner	5	
Grandfather	Grandmother	6	
Someone else you are related to like an uncle. (Describe _____)	Someone else you are related to like an aunt. (Describe _____)	7	
Some other person (Describe _____)	Some other person (Describe _____)	8	
DK		DK	
REF		REF	

CD10
IF (CD7 NE DK OR REF)
PARENTS = [FIRST CARETAKER] AND [SECOND CARETAKER] IF (CD7 NE DK OR REF) AND (CD9 NE DK OR REF)
PARENT = [FIRST CARETAKER] IF (CD7 NE DK OR REF) AND (CD8 NE YES)
your IF [PARENTS] IS/ARE NOT REAL NAMES
do IF (CD7 NE DK OR REF) AND (CD9 NE DK OR REF)
does IF (CD7 NE DK OR REF) AND (CD8 NE YES)

Now I have some questions about [your] [PARENT(S)]. There are no right or wrong answers to these questions. We just like your opinion or what you think about the question.

I will give you a card that has the answers you can pick from. You can just point to the answer you want to give instead of saying it out loud if you like that better.

And again, we will not tell anybody your answers to the questions.

[Do/Does] [your] PARENTS] [QUESTIONS A THROUGH C]. Is that almost always, some of the time, not very often, or almost never?

		Almost always	Some of the time	Not very often	Almost never	DK	REF	CD1 2
a	Know what you do during your free time?	4	3	2	1	d	r	
b	Know who you have as friends during your free time?	4	3	2	1	d	r	
c	Know what you spend your money on?	4	3	2	1	d	r	

CD12
(CD7 NE DK OR REF)
your IF [PARENTS] IS/ARE NOT REAL NAMES
PARENTS = [FIRST CARETAKER] and [SECOND CARETAKER] IF (CD9 NE DK OR REF)
PARENT = [FIRST CARETAKER] IF (CD7 NE DK OR REF) AND (CD8 NE YES)
For E: they IF (CD9 NE DK OR REF) he IF (CD8 NE YES) AND (CD7.1 = 1) she IF (CD8 NE YES) AND (CD7.1 = 2)

Sometimes children do things that are wrong, disobey their parents or make their parent upset or angry.

I'm going to read you a list of things [your] [PARENT(S)] might have done when this happened.

Please think about how often [your] [PARENT(S)] did these things in the past year.

In the past year, when your parents thought you did something wrong, how often did [your] [PARENT(S)] [STATEMENT A TO F]? Was it every day or almost every day; a few times a week, a few times a month; about once a month; less than once a month; or never?

Please look at the card when deciding on your answer.

		Every day or almost every day	A few times a week	A few times a month	About once a month	Less than once a month	Never	D K	REF
a	Explain why something was wrong	5	4	3	2	1	0	d	r
b	Send you to your room, took away privileges or grounded you	5	4	3	2	1	0	d	r
c	Call you dumb or some other name like that, or threatened to hit you, but did not actually do it	5	4	3	2	1	0	d	r

d	Shout, yell, scream, swear or curse at you	5	4	3	2	1	0	d	r
e	Say [they/he/she] would send you away or kick you out of the house	5	4	3	2	1	0	d	r
f	Spank or hit you	5	4	3	2	1	0		
		CD13							

CD13
I(CD7 NE DK OR REF) AND CD8=NO
your IF [FIRST CARETAKER] IS NOT REAL A NAME

Now I will read to you things about [your] [FIRST CARETAKER]. After I read each one, please tell me whether it is very true, mostly true, a little bit true, or not at all true. Please look at the card when deciding on your answer.

[STATEMENT A THROUGH H] Is that very true, mostly true, a little bit true, or not at all true.

		Very true	Mostly true	A little bit true	Not at all true	DK	R EF
a	[FIRST CARETAKER] understands me	4	3	2	1	d	r
b	I like [FIRST CARETAKER]	4	3	2	1	d	r
c	[FIRST CARETAKER] likes me	4	3	2	1	d	r
d	If I have children of my own, I want to bring them up like [FIRST CARETAKER] raised me	4	3	2	1	d	r
e	[FIRST CARETAKER] and I spend a lot of time together	4	3	2	1	d	r
f	[FIRST CARETAKER] is easy to talk to	4	3	2	1	d	r
g	I get along well with [FIRST CARETAKER]	4	3	2	1	d	r
h	[FIRST CARETAKER] and I have a lot of fun together	4	3	2	1	d	r
		CD13.1 OR CD15					

CD13.1

(CD7 NE DK OR REF) AND CD9 NE DK OR REF)

your IF [SECOND CARETAKER] IS NOT A REAL NAME

Now I will read to you things about [PARENT] and you. After I read each one, please tell me whether it is very true, mostly true, a little bit true, or not at all true. Please look at the card when deciding on your answer.

[STATEMENT A THROUGH H] Is that very true, mostly true, a little bit true, or not at all true.

		Very true	Mostly true	A little bit true	Not at all true	DK	REF
a	[SECOND CARETAKER] understands me	4	3	2	1	d	r
b	I like [SECOND CARETAKER]	4	3	2	1	d	r
c	[SECOND CARETAKER] likes me	4	3	2	1	d	r
d	If I have children of my own, I want to bring them up like [SECOND CARETAKER] raised me	4	3	2	1	d	r
e	[SECOND CARETAKER] and I spend a lot of time together	4	3	2	1	d	r
f	[SECOND CARETAKER] is easy to talk to	4	3	2	1	d	r
g	I get along well with [SECOND CARETAKER]	4	3	2	1	d	r
h	[SECOND CARETAKER] and I have a lot of fun together	4	3	2	1	d	r
		CD14.1 OR CD15					

CD14.1
((CD7.2 NE 1 OR 3) AND CD7.1 = 1)) OR ((CD9.2 NE 1 OR 3) AND CD9.1 = 1))
your IF [PARENTS] IS/ARE NOT REAL NAMES
PARENTS = [FIRST CARETAKER] and [SECOND CARETAKER] IF (CD7 NE DK OR REF) AND (CD9 NE DK OR REF)
PARENT = [FIRST CARETAKER] IF (CD7 NE DK OR REF) AND (CD8 NE YES)

I would also like to ask you the same questions I just asked about you and [your] [PARENT(S)] but now ask these questions about you and your real or biological father

Do you know your real or biological father?

YES	1	CD14.2
NO	2	CD14.3
DK	DK	
REF	REF	

CD14.2
CD14.2=YES

Then I will read to you some things about you and your real father and you tell me whether it is very true, mostly true, a little bit true, or not at all true.

PROBE: Again, look at the card when deciding on your answer.

[STATEMENT A THROUGH H] Is that very true, mostly true, a little bit true, or not at all true.

		Very true	Mostly true	A little bit true	Not at all true	DK	REF
a	My real father understands me	4	3	2	1	d	r
b	I like my real father	4	3	2	1	d	r
c	My real father likes me likes me	4	3	2	1	d	r
d	If I have children of my own, I want to bring them	4	3	2	1	d	r

	up like my real father raised me						
e	My real father and I spend a lot of time together	4	3	2	1	d	r
f	My real father is easy to talk to	4	3	2	1	d	r
g	I get along well with my real father	4	3	2	1	d	r
h	My real father and I have a lot of fun together	4	3	2	1	d	r
		CD15					

CD14.3
CD14.1=NO,DK,REF

That is ok. Let's continue with some other questions.

CONTINUE	CD15
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CD15
ALL

Next, I will read you some things about you and how you are doing.

Each time tell me if what I read about you is not at all true, a little bit true, mostly true, or very true.

PROBE: Please look at the card when deciding on your answer.

[STATEMENT A THROUGH PP] Is that not at all true, a little bit true, mostly true, or very true?

		Not at all true	A little bit true	Mostly true	Very true	DK	REF
a	I often argue with other kids	4	3	2	1	d	r
b	It's hard for me to pay attention	4	3	2	1	d	r
c	I get distracted easily	4	3	2	1	d	r
d	It's hard for me to finish my school work	4	3	2	1	d	r
e	I get in trouble for talking and disturbing others	4	3	2	1	d	r
f	I get in trouble for fighting with other kids	4	3	2	1	d	r
g	Work in math is easy for me	4	3	2	1	d	r
h	I cannot wait to do math each day	4	3	2	1	d	r
i	I get good grades in math	4	3	2	1	d	r
j	I am interested in math	4	3	2	1	d	r
k	I can do very difficult problems in math	4	3	2	1	d	r
l	I like math	4	3	2	1	d	r
m	I enjoy doing work in math	4	3	2	1	d	r
n	I am good at math	4	3	2	1	d	r
o	I have lots of friends	4	3	2	1	d	r
p	I make friends easily	4	3	2	1	d	r

q	I get along with kids easily	4	3	2	1	d	r
r	I am easy to like	4	3	2	1	d	r
s	Other kids want me to be their friend	4	3	2	1	d	r
t	I have more friends than other kids	4	3	2	1	d	r
u	I get good grades in reading	4	3	2	1	d	r
v	I like reading	4	3	2	1	d	r
w	Work in reading is easy for me	4	3	2	1	d	r
x	I am interested in reading	4	3	2	1	d	r
y	I cannot wait to read each day	4	3	2	1	d	r
z	I am good at reading	4	3	2	1	d	r
aa	I like reading chapter book	4	3	2	1	d	r
bb	I enjoy doing work in reading	4	3	2	1	d	r
cc	I feel angry when I have trouble learning	4	3	2	1	d	r
dd	I often feel lonely	4	3	2	1	d	r
ee	I feel sad a lot of the time	4	3	2	1	d	r
ff	I worry about taking tests	4	3	2	1	d	r
gg	I worry about doing well in school	4	3	2	1	d	r
hh	I worry about finishing my work	4	3	2	1	d	r
ii	I worry about having someone to play with at school	4	3	2	1	d	r
jj	I feel ashamed when I make mistakes in school	4	3	2	1	d	r
kk	I am good at all school subjects	4	3	2	1	d	r
ll	I enjoy doing work in all school subjects	4	3	2	1	d	r
m m	Work in all school subjects is easy for me	4	3	2	1	d	r
nn	I like all school subjects	4	3	2	1	d	r
oo	I look forward to all school subjects	4	3	2	1	d	r
pp	I get good grades in all school subjects	4	3	2	1	d	r
CD16							

CD16

ALL

Next, I'm going to ask you some questions about your experiences with kids at school and in your neighborhood.

In the past month, how often have kids in your school or neighborhood picked on you or said mean things to you?

PROBE: Please look at the card when deciding on your answer.

Would you say...

Every day or almost every day	1	CD17
About 2 or 3 days per week	2	
About once a week	3	
1 or 2 times last month	4	
Not in the past month	5	
DK	d	
REF	r	

CD17

ALL

In the past month, how often have kids in your school or neighborhood hit you?

PROBE: Please look at the card when deciding on your answer.

Would you say...

Every day or almost every day	1	CD18
About 2 or 3 days per week	2	
About once a week	3	
1 or 2 times last month	4	
Not in the past month	5	
DK	d	
REF	r	

CD18
ALL

In the past month, how often have kids in your school or neighborhood taken your things, like your money or lunch, without asking?

PROBE: Please look at the card when deciding on your answer.

Would you say...

Every day or almost every day	1	CD19
About 2 or 3 days per week	2	
About once a week	3	
1 or 2 times last month	4	
Not in the past month	5	
DK	d	
REF	r	

CD19
ALL

In the past month, how often have kids in your school or neighborhood purposely left you out of your friends' activities?

Would you say...

Every day	1	CD20 OR CD22
Almost every day	2	
About 2 or 3 days per week	3	
About once a week	4	
1 or 2 times last month	5	
Not in the past month	6	
DK	d	
REF	r	

CD20
CD4.1=MALE

I would like to talk next about changes in your body you may have noticed.

Have you noticed any skin changes, especially pimples?

Please look at the card to choose your answer. This time I will not read them to you unless you ask me to do so. Just look at the card and point at the answer that you want to give.

DEVELOPMENT COMPLETED	1	CD21
YES, DEFINITELY	2	
YES, BARELY	3	
NO	4	
DK	D	
REF	R	

CD21
CD4.1=MALE

Have you noticed a deepening of your voice?

Again, just look at the card and point at your answer.

DEVELOPMENT COMPLETED	1	CD22
YES, DEFINITELY	2	
YES, BARELY	3	
NO	4	
DK	D	
REF	R	

CD22

CD4.1=MALE

Have you begun to grow facial hair?

DEVELOPMENT COMPLETED	1	END
YES, DEFINITELY	2	
YES, BARELY	3	
NO	4	
DK	D	
R	R	

CD23

CD4.1 = FEMALE

I would like to talk next about changes in your body you may have noticed.

Have your breasts begun to grow?

Please look at the card to choose your answer. This time I will not read them to you unless you ask me to do so. Just look at the card and point at the answer that you want to give.

DEVELOPMENT COMPLETED	1	CD24
YES, DEFINITELY	2	
YES, BARELY	3	
NO	4	
DKI	D	
REF	R	

CD24

CD4.1 = FEMALE

Have you begun to menstruate or did you start having your period?

DEVELOPMENT COMPLETED	1	CD25
YES, DEFINITELY	2	
YES, BARELY	3	
NO	4	END
DK	D	
REF	R	

CD25

CD24 = 1 OR 2 OR 3

How old were you when you started menstruating or had your period for the first time?

AGE OF CHILD	FF	CD26
DK	d	END
REF	r	

CD26
CD25<>DK, REF

Had you just [ANSWER in CD25], were you about [ANSWER in CD25] and a half, or were you almost [ANSWER in CD25+1] when you started menstruating or first had your period?

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Just [ANSWER in CD25]	1	END
[ANSWER in CD25] and a half	2	
Almost [ANSWER in CD25+1]	3	
DK	d	
REF	r	