



12M SAQ – Adult

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Event:	12M
Administration:	N/A
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Instrument Respondent:	Primary Caregiver
Domain:	Questionnaire
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Multiple Child/Sibling Consideration:	Per Event
Special Considerations:	Administer only if primary caregiver is married or is unmarried but living with a partner.
Version:	1.0
MDES Release:	4.0

*This instrument is OMB-approved for multi-mode administration but this version of the instrument is designed for administration in this/these mode(s) only.

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GENERAL PROGRAMMER INSTRUCTIONS:

WHEN PROGRAMMING INSTRUMENTS, VALIDATE FIELD LENGTHS AND TYPES AGAINST THE MDES TO ENSURE DATA COLLECTION RESPONSES DO NOT EXCEED THOSE OF THE MDES. SOME GENERAL ITEM LIMITS USED ARE AS FOLLOWS:

DATA ELEMENT FIELDS	MAXIMUM CHARACTERS PERMITTED	DATA TYPE	PROGRAMMER INSTRUCTIONS
ADDRESS AND EMAIL FIELDS	100	CHARACTER	
UNIT AND PHONE FIELDS	10	CHARACTER	
_OTH AND COMMENT FIELDS	255	CHARACTER	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Limit text to 255 characters
FIRST NAME AND LAST NAME	30	CHARACTER	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Limit text to 30 characters
ALL ID FIELDS	36	CHARACTER	
ZIP CODE	5	NUMERIC	
ZIP CODE LAST FOUR	4	NUMERIC	
CITY	50	CHARACTER	
DOB AND ALL OTHER DATE FIELDS (E.G., DT, DATE, ETC.)	10	NUMERIC CHARACTER	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> DISPLAY AS MM/DD/YYYY STORE AS YYYY-MM-DD HARD EDITS: MM MUST EQUAL 01 TO 12 DD MUST EQUAL 01 TO 31 YYYY MUST BE BETWEEN 1900 AND CURRENT YEAR.
TIME VARIABLES	TWO-DIGIT HOUR AND TWO-DIGIT MINUTE, AM/PM DESIGNATION	NUMERIC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> HARD EDITS: HOURS MUST BE BETWEEN 00 AND 12; MINUTES MUST BE BETWEEN 00 AND 59

Instrument Guidelines for Participant and Respondent IDs:

PRENATALLY, THE **P_ID** IN THE MDES HEADER IS THAT OF THE PARTICIPANT (E.G. THE NON-PREGNANT WOMAN, PREGNANT WOMAN, OR THE FATHER).

POSTNATALLY, A RESPONDENT ID WILL BE USED IN ADDITION TO THE PARTICIPANT ID BECAUSE SOMEBODY OTHER THAN THE PARTICIPANT MAY BE COMPLETING THE INTERVIEW. FOR EXAMPLE, THE PARTICIPANT MAY BE THE CHILD AND THE RESPONDENT MAY BE THE MOTHER, FATHER, OR ANOTHER CAREGIVER.

THEREFORE, MDES VERSION 2.2 AND ALL FUTURE VERSIONS CONTAIN A **R_P_ID** (RESPONDENT PARTICIPANT ID) HEADER FIELD FOR EACH POST-BIRTH INSTRUMENT. THIS WILL ALLOW ROCs TO INDICATE WHETHER THE RESPONDENT IS SOMEBODY OTHER THAN THE PARTICIPANT ABOUT WHOM THE QUESTIONS ARE BEING ASKED.

A REMINDER:

ALL RESPONDENTS MUST BE CONSENTED AND HAVE RECORDS IN THE PERSON, PARTICIPANT, PARTICIPANT_CONSENT AND LINK_PERSON_PARTICIPANT TABLES, WHICH CAN BE PRELOADED INTO EACH INSTRUMENT. ADDITIONALLY, IN POST-BIRTH QUESTIONNAIRES WHERE THERE IS THE ABILITY TO LOOP THROUGH A SET OF QUESTIONS FOR MULTIPLE CHILDREN, IT IS IMPORTANT TO CAPTURE AND STORE THE CORRECT CHILD **P_ID** ALONG WITH THE LOOP INFORMATION. IN THE MDES VARIABLE LABEL/DEFINITION COLUMN, THIS IS INDICATED AS FOLLOWS: **EXTERNAL IDENTIFIER: PARTICIPANT ID FOR CHILD DETAIL.**

12-MONTH SAQ SPECIFICATION - ADULT CAREGIVER

SSA01100. Thank you for agreeing to participate in the National Children’s Study. This self-administered questionnaire will take about 1 minute to complete. There are questions about your relationships.

Your answers are important to us. There are no right or wrong answers. You can skip over any question. We will keep everything that you tell us confidential.

SSA01200. These items are about your relationship with your spouse or partner. Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with each statement.

SSA01000/(SP_LISTEN). My spouse/partner listens to me when I need someone to talk to.

Label	Code	Go To
Strongly disagree	1	
Somewhat disagree	2	
Neither agree nor disagree	3	
Somewhat agree	4	
Strongly agree	5	

SOURCE

NICHD Study of Early Child Care Love and Relationships Questionnaire (modified)

SSA02000/(SP_FEEL). I can state my feelings without my spouse/partner getting defensive.

Label	Code	Go To
Strongly disagree	1	
Somewhat disagree	2	
Neither agree nor disagree	3	
Somewhat agree	4	
Strongly agree	5	

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SSA03000/(SP_DISTANT). I often feel distant from my spouse/partner.

Label	Code	Go To
Strongly disagree	1	
Somewhat disagree	2	
Neither agree nor disagree	3	
Somewhat agree	4	
Strongly agree	5	

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SSA04000/(SP_UNDERSTAND). My spouse/partner can really understand my hurts and joys.

Label	Code	Go To
Strongly disagree	1	
Somewhat disagree	2	
Neither agree nor disagree	3	
Somewhat agree	4	
Strongly agree	5	

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SSA05000/(SP_NEGLECT). I feel neglected at times by my spouse/partner.

Label	Code	Go To
Strongly disagree	1	
Somewhat disagree	2	
Neither agree nor disagree	3	
Somewhat agree	4	
Strongly agree	5	

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SSA06000/(SP_LONELY). I sometimes feel lonely when we're together.

Label	Code	Go To
Strongly disagree	1	
Somewhat disagree	2	
Neither agree nor disagree	3	
Somewhat agree	4	
Strongly agree	5	

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SSA07000. Thank you for participating in the National Children's Study and for taking the time to complete this survey.

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FOU01000/(P_ID). PARTICIPANT ID: _____