Parent Questionnaire about Family Service Workers – DRAFT

In the following pages, we will ask questions about your child's care and early education.

We will ask about your Family Service Worker and about your feelings

towardsrelationship with him or /her. Some of these questions will be about how you and your Family Service Worker works together to care for your childwith your family.

71. Since September, how often have you met with or talked to your Family Service Worker about the following?

	Never	Rarely	Sometimes	Very often
a. <u>How y</u> Your child's <u>is doing experiences</u> in the <u>education and care settingHead</u> <u>Start program</u>				
ba. Your work and school goals				
c b. Your child's abilities				
c. Your child's general behavior				
 d. Your child's learning and/or development 				
e. Goals you have for your child f. Goals you have for yourself				
gf. How your child is progressing towards your goals you have set for him / her				
h. How you are progressing towards goals you have set for yourself				
g. How your child is progressing towards the goals of the program				
ih. What to expect at each stage of your child's development				
ji. Problems your child is having in the education and care setting Head Start program				
kj. Problems you may be having with work or school				
lkj. Your vision for your child's future				
lm. Your vision for your family's future				

2. Since September, Hhow often does has your Family Service Worker:

	Never	Rarely	Sometimes	Very often
a. Suggested activities for you and your child to do together?				
b. Answer <u>ed</u> your questions when they caome up?				
c. Taken your values and culture into account when serving you?				
d. Offered you books or materials on parenting?				

. How comfortable would or do you feel sharing the following information with your Family Service Worker?

	Very uncomfortable	Uncomfortable	Comfortable	Very comfortable
a. If your child has siblingsHow many children you have				
b. If you have other adult relatives living in your household How many adult relatives live in your household				
c. Your household schedule Your work and school schedule				
d. Your marital status				
e. Your personal relationship with a spouse or partner				
f. Your employment status				
g. Your financial situation				
h. Your parenting style				
i. Your family life				
j. The role that faith and religion play in your household				
k. Your family's culture and values				
l. What you do outside of the education and care Head Start setting to encourage your child's learning				
m. How you discipline your child				
n. Problems your child is having at home				
o. Changes happening at home				
p. Health issues your child has, such as food allergies or asthma				
q. Health issues you or other family members may have				

34. How much are the following statements like your Family Service Worker? My Family Service Worker...

		Not at all like my Family Service Worker	A little like my Family Service Worker	A lot like my Family Service Worker	Exactly like my Family Service Worker
a.	Encourages me to be involved in all aspects of my child's care and education in our Head Start program				
b.	Respects me as a parent				
c.	Is flexible in response to my work or school schedule				
d.	Treats me like an expert on my child				
e.	Asks me questions to show he/she cares about my family				
f.	Shows respect for different ethnic heritages				
g.	Is respectful of religious beliefs				
h.	Encourages parents to provide feedback on the services and support he/she provides them				
<u>5</u> 4	. How strongly do you agree or disagree [MARK ONE BOX IN EACH ROW.]	e with the follows Strongly disagree	owing stateme	ents? Agree	Strongly agree
a.	My Family Service Worker judges my family because of our faith and religion				
b.	My Family Service Worker judges my family because of our culture and values				
C.	My Family Service Worker judges my family because of our race/ethnicity				
d.	My Family Service Worker judges my family because of our financial situation				

<u>6</u> 5.	 Since September, how often have you met with or talked to you Worker about how you feel about the care and education you that your Family Service Worker provides you and your fam 	r child receives services
	[MARK ONLY ONE BOX.]	
	Never	
	Rarely	
	Sometimes	
	Very often	
<u>7</u> 6.	. If you had a problem with your Family Service Worker, how of feel talking to him or her about it?	comfortable would you
	[MARK ONLY ONE BOX.]	
	Very uncomfortable	
	Uncomfortable	
	Comfortable	
	Very comfortable	

8. How often does your Family Service Worker:

		Never	Rarely	Sometimes	Very often
a.	Ask about your family?				
	Work with you to develop strategies you can use at home to support your child's learning and development?				
c.	Listen to your ideas about ways to change or improve the care and education your child receives?				
d.	Offer you ideas or suggestions about parenting?				
e.	Provide you with opportunities to make decisions about your child's education and care?				
f.	Provide you with opportunities to give feedback on your Family Service Worker's performance?				
<u>e</u> g	Remember personal details about your family when speaking with you?				

9. Please indicate how much the following words are like your Family Service Worker. My Family Service Worker is...

[CHECK ONE BOX IN EACH ROW.]

		Not at all like my Family Service Worker	A little like my Family Service Worker	A lot like my Family Service Worker	Exactly like my Family Service Worker
a.	Caring				
b.	Understanding				
c.	Rude				
d.	Flexible				
e.	Dependable				
f.	Trustworthy				
g.	Impatient				
h.	Unfriendly				
i.	Respectful				
j.	Judgmental				
k.	Available				

10. Please indicate how much you agree or disagree with the following statements.

		Strongly disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly agree
a.	My Family Service Worker is open to learning new-different ways to assist-help parents and children				
b.	My Family Service Worker and I work together to make sure my child has the best care and support				
c.	My Family Service Worker has increased my confidence to accomplish goals for myself.				
d.	My Family Service Worker has my best interests at heart.				
e.	My Family Service Worker has my child's best interests at heart. My				

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	<u>jus</u>	<u>st a paycheck</u>
1	1.	How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statement?
-		My Family Service Worker sees this job as just a paycheck.
-	MA	RK ONLY ONE BOX.]
S	tron	gly disagree
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S	tron	gly agree ———
1	<u>21</u> .	How easy or difficult is it for you to reach your Family Service Worker during the day if you have a question or if a problem comes up?
		[MARK ONLY ONE BOX.]
		Very difficult
		Difficult
		Easy
		Very easy
1	<u>2</u> 3.	On a scale of 1-5, where 1 is the worst you can imagine and 5 is the best you can imagine, how would you describe your relationship with your Family Service Worker? [MARK THE BOX NEXT TO THE NUMBER THAT BEST DESCRIBES YOUR RELATIONSHIP.]
		Worst Best
		1 2 3 4 5
T	The r	next set of questions asks about the age of your child, your experience with Family Service Workers, and your background.
1	<u>43</u> .	How old is your child?
		[MARK ONLY ONE BOX.]
		Less than 1 year old
		1- 2 years old
		3- 4 years old
		5 years or older

1 <u>4</u> 5.	For how long has your current Family Service Worker been working with your family?
	[MARK ONLY ONE BOX.]
	Less than six months
	6 months-less than 1 year
	1 year-less than 2 years
	2 years or more
1 <u>5</u> 6.	Thinking about all of your children, how many Family Service Workers have you ever worked with?
	[MARK ONLY ONE BOX.]
	2-3
	4-5
	More than 5
1 <u>6</u> 7.	What language do you most speak at home?
	[MARK ONLY ONE BOX.]
	English
	Spanish
	English and Spanish equally
	English and another language equally
	Other language
10-	
1 8 7.	
	Yes
	∐ No

198. What is your race?
[MARK ALL THAT APPLY.]
White
Black or African American
American Indian or Alaska Native
Asian Indian
Chinese
Filipino
Japanese
Korean
Vietnamese
Other Asian
Native Hawaiian
Guamanian or Chamorro
Samoan
Other Pacific Islander
2019. What is the highest level of education you have completed? [MARK ONLY ONE BOX.]
Less than a high school diploma
High school diploma or GED
Some college, no degree
Associate's degree
Bachelor's degree
Graduate school degree
210. What would you say was your household's income last year, before taxes?
[MARK ONLY ONE BOX.]
Less than \$25,000
\$25,000- \$34,999
\$35,000- \$44,999
\$45,000-\$54,999
\$55,000- \$74,999
\$75,000 or more