

SECTION 1: CAREGIVER SCREENER QUESTIONS

CaregiverOfChild. Are there any teens between the ages of 12 and 18 currently living in your household?

- Yes **[CONTINUE]**
- No **[TERMINATE CAREGIVER AND CHILD]**

AgeGenderChild. Could you please tell me their age(s) and gender(s)? **[ENTER INFO FOR EACH CHILD]**

AGE/GENDER	RECORD NAME, IF OFFERED

ChildAsthma. Are there any teens between the ages of 12 and 18 currently living in your household who have asthma?

- Yes **[CONTINUE]**
- No **[TERMINATE CAREGIVER AND CHILD]**

[DETERMINE WHICH CHILD/CHILDREN LISTED ABOVE HAS ASTHMA; IF MULTIPLE, SELECT ONE BASED ON RECRUITING NEEDS.]

EmergencyRoom. During the past 12 months, did [NAME] have to visit an emergency room or urgent care center because of [his/her] asthma?

- Yes **[CONTINUE]**
- No **[CONTINUE]**

OvernightHospital. During the past 12 months, has [NAME] stayed overnight in a hospital because of asthma?

- Yes **[CONTINUE]**
- No **[CONTINUE]**

[IF EMERGENCYROOM = NO and OVERNIGHTHOSPITAL = NO, TERMINATE CAREGIVER AND CHILD]

MissSchool. During the past 12 months, how many days of [school/work] did [NAME] miss because of [his/her] asthma? **[RECORD NUMBER]**

CaregiverPerceivedLimit. To what extent does asthma interfere with or limit your child's normal activity?

- None [] **[CONTINUE]**
- Minor Limitation [] **[CONTINUE]**
- Some Limitation [] **[CONTINUE]**
- Extreme Limitation [] **[CONTINUE]**

CaregiverResearchExposure. Have you participated in a market research study, such as a consumer interview or a group discussion, on the topic of health in the past three months?

- Yes [] **[TERMINATE, SKIP TO CHILD]**
- No [] **[CONTINUE]**

CaregiverWorkExposure. Do you work in health care or market research?

- Yes [] **[TERMINATE CAREGIVER, SKIP TO CHILD]**
- No [] **[CONTINUE]**

READ: Great. I have a few more questions to ensure that we speak to a variety of people.

CaregiverGender. What is your gender? **[DO NOT READ LIST]**

- Male [] **[CONTINUE]**
- Female [] **[CONTINUE]**
- Other: _____ [] **[RECORD VERBATIM; CONTINUE]**

[PLEASE AIM TO RECRUIT A MIX OF GENDER FOR EACH GROUP]

CaregiverEthnicity. Are you Hispanic or Latino?

- Hispanic or Latino [] **[CONTINUE]**
 - Not Hispanic or Latino [] **[CONTINUE]**
- [CODE NON-CONFORMING RESPONSES AS FOLLOWS – DO NOT READ]**
- Refused [] **[CONTINUE]**

CaregiverRace. What is your race? You may select one or more races.

- American Indian or Alaska Native [] **[CONTINUE]**
- Asian [] **[CONTINUE]**
- Black or African American [] **[CONTINUE]**
- Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander [] **[CONTINUE]**
- White or Caucasian [] **[CONTINUE]**
- [CODE NON-CONFORMING RESPONSES AS FOLLOWS – DO NOT READ]
- Some other race [] **[CONTINUE]**
- Refused [] **[CONTINUE]**

[PLEASE AIM TO RECRUIT A MIX OF RACE/ETHNICITIES FOR EACH GROUP]

Education. What is the highest level of school you have completed or the highest degree you have received?

- 11th grade or below [] **[CONTINUE]**
- 12th grade, no diploma [] **[CONTINUE]**
- GED or equivalent [] **[CONTINUE]**
- High School Graduate [] **[CONTINUE]**
- Some college, no degree [] **[CONTINUE]**
- Associate degree (occupational, technical, vocational program) [] **[CONTINUE]**
- Associate degree (academic program) [] **[CONTINUE]**
- Bachelor’s degree (e.g., BA, BS, AB, BBA) [] **[CONTINUE]**
- Master’s, professional, or doctoral degree (e.g., MA, PhD, MD, JD)[] **[CONTINUE]**
- Refused [] **[CONTINUE]**

[PLEASE AIM TO RECRUIT A MIX OF EDUCATION LEVELS FOR EACH GROUP]

HealthLiteracy. How confident are you in filling out medical forms by yourself? Please select only one answer.

- Extremely [] **[CONTINUE]**
- Quite a bit [] **[CONTINUE]**

Somewhat [] **[CONTINUE]**
 A little bit [] **[CONTINUE]**
 Not at all [] **[CONTINUE]**

[PLEASE AIM TO RECRUIT A MIX OF HEALTH LITERACY LEVELS FOR EACH GROUP]

HEALTH LEVEL	LITERACY	Response
Low		Not at all A little bit
Medium		Somewhat
High		Quite a bit Extremely

[IF CAREGIVER IS ELIGIBLE, CONTINUE TO SECTION 2; OTHERWISE SKIP TO TRANSITION LANGUAGE FOR SECTION 3]

SECTION 2: INVITATION TO CAREGIVER TO PARTICIPATE IN FOCUS GROUPS

Thank you for your time today. We would like to invite you to participate in a focus group for caregivers of children with asthma. The focus group will take place at **[LOCATION]**. Portions of the interview will be recorded but only the audio

The focus groups will be held on **[DATE]** and will last **approximately 90 minutes**.

Your opinions are very important to us. You will be paid **\$75** to participate.

People who have been invited to participate in this type of project have found the experience to be enjoyable and informative.

CaregiverInterest. Are you interested in participating in this study?

Yes [] **[CONTINUE]**
 No [] **[TERMINATE CAREGIVER AND CONTINUE TO CHILD]**

[TRANSITION LANGUAGE]

READ: Okay, great! If your child is home, I would love to ask [him or her] some questions to see if [he or she] qualifies to participate in our teen focus groups. Before I ask you to put your [son/daughter] on the phone, do you have any questions for me?

[ANSWER CAREGIVER’S QUESTIONS, IF ANY]

READ: Now can you please put [NAME] on the phone so that I can ask [him or her] some questions to gauge their interest in participating and qualifying for the focus groups. I will ask to speak to you again to schedule a time that works for everyone.

CaregiverConsent. If your child qualifies, do you consent to allowing him/her to take part in a focus group?

Yes **[CONTINUE]**
No **[TERMINATE CHILD]**

CaregiverPermission. Fantastic, thank you for your time. May I please ask [NAME] a few quick questions to make sure he or she is qualified to participate?

Yes **[CONTINUE]**
No **[TERMINATE CHILD]**

[IF PARENT/GUARDIAN HAS NOT ALREADY SHARED CHILD'S NAME, ASK FOR CHILD'S FIRST NAME AT THIS POINT IN THE INTERVIEW]

[IF CHILD IS NOT AT HOME, ARRANGE FOR A CALL-BACK TIME WHEN THE CHILD AND PARENT WILL BE AVAILABLE]

CALL BACK DAY/TIME: _____

SECTION 3: CHILD SCREENER QUESTIONS

WHEN THE CHILD IS ON THE PHONE, PLEASE INTRODUCE YOURSELF AND

SAY: Hi [CHILD NAME]! I was just talking with your [mom/dad/guardian] and [he or she] said it would be okay if I ask you a few questions to see if you qualify to take part in a focus group in which a researcher will ask you and a small group of teens like you to share your opinions on a specific topic. May I ask you a few questions?

Yes **[CONTINUE]**
No **[THANK, ASK TO SPEAK TO CAREGIVER]**

READ: Great! The focus groups are being conducted to gather information about asthma management. Before we begin, you should know that there aren't right or wrong answers to the questions I'm going to ask you and you don't have to answer any questions if you don't want to answer them.

If one of your answers leads me to end the call, it doesn't mean that there was anything wrong with the answer you provided.

ReChildAsthma. Do you have asthma?

Yes **[CONTINUE]**
No **[TERMINATE CHILD & CAREGIVER]**

ChildPerceivedLimit. To what extent does asthma interfere with or limit your normal activity?

- None [] **[CONTINUE]**
- Minor Limitation [] **[CONTINUE]**
- Some Limitation [] **[CONTINUE]**
- Extreme Limitation [] **[CONTINUE]**

Grade. What grade are you in?

- 6th [] **[CONTINUE]**
- 7th [] **[CONTINUE]**
- 8th [] **[CONTINUE]**
- 9th [] **[CONTINUE]**
- 10th [] **[CONTINUE]**
- 11th [] **[CONTINUE]**
- 12th [] **[CONTINUE]**
- College [] **[TERMINATE]**

ChildResearchExposure. Have you ever participated in a research study?

- Yes [] **[CONTINUE]**
- No [] **[CONTINUE]**

[IF **ChildResearchExposure** = NO, SKIP TO **ChildEthnicity**]

ChildResearchExposureTopic. Have you participated in a research study on the topic of health in the past three months?

- Yes [] **[TERMINATE CHILD]**
- No [] **[CONTINUE]**

ChildEthnicity. Are you Hispanic or Latino?

- Hispanic or Latino [] **[CONTINUE]**
- Not Hispanic or Latino [] **[CONTINUE]**

[CODE NON-CONFORMING RESPONSES AS FOLLOWS – DO NOT READ]

- Refused [] **[CONTINUE]**

ChildRace. What is your race? You may select one or more races.

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- Asian [] **[CONTINUE]**
- Black or African American [] **[CONTINUE]**

- Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander **[CONTINUE]**
 White or Caucasian **[CONTINUE]**
[CODE NON-CONFORMING RESPONSES AS FOLLOWS – DO NOT READ]
 Some other race **[CONTINUE]**
 Refused **[CONTINUE]**

[PLEASE AIM TO RECRUIT A MIX OF RACE/ETHNICITIES FOR EACH GROUP]

SECTION 4: INVITATION TO CHILD TO PARTICIPATE IN FOCUS GROUP

READ: Thank you for your time today. We would like to invite you to participate in a focus group. The focus group will take place at **[LOCATION]**. Portions of the interview will be recorded, but only the audio.

The focus groups will be held on **[DATE]** and will last **approximately 90 minutes**.

Your opinions are very important to us. You will be paid **\$45** to participate. Additionally, your caregiver will receive **\$30** to help with transportation costs.

People who have been invited to participate in this type of project have found the experience to be enjoyable and informative.

ChildInterest. Are you interested in participating in this study?

- Yes **[CONTINUE]**
 No **[TERMINATE CHILD, ASK TO SPEAK TO CAREGIVER]**

READ: Okay, great! Before I ask you to put your [mom/dad/guardian] back on the phone, do you have any questions for me?

[ANSWER CHILD’S QUESTIONS, IF ANY]

READ: Now please put your [mom/dad/guardian] back on the phone so that we can schedule a time that works for everyone.

SECTION 4: SCHEDULING FOCUS GROUP (WITH PARENT)

READ: We would like to schedule a time for you both to participate in focus groups.

IF CHILD DOES NOT CONSENT OR QUALIFY BUT CAREGIVER QUALIFIES,

READ: We would like to schedule a time for you to participate in focus groups.

Schedule. The focus groups will be held on **[DATE/TIME]**. Can you arrange transportation for you and [NAME] to and from the focus group location on the day of the session?

Yes

[] **[SCHEDULE INTERVIEW]**

No

[] **[TERMINATE CAREGIVER AND CHILD]**

READ: Great! Please plan to arrive 15 minutes early in order to complete paperwork before the group starts. I am going to give you the address and contact information for the facility. Do you have a pen and paper?

[PROVIDE FACILITY ADDRESS AND CONTACT INFORMATION]

READ: Before we end the call, do you have any questions for me?

[ANSWER QUESTIONS, IF ANY. THANK AND END]