Appendix E

2020 National Survey of Children's Health Traditional Production Sample Letters



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Sincerely,

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Thank you again for your participation. We hope to hear from you soon.

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Steva D. Ollinghan

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We've attempted to reach you to ask for your help with the **National Survey of Children's Health**. Your response will help us better understand the health care needs of children in your state and across the United States.

If you have already responded to the survey, please accept our sincere thanks. If you have not yet completed the survey, please do so right away.

Responding to this survey is easy:

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## 2. Enter your Login ID:

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We recently sent you a questionnaire for the **National Survey of Children's Health**. The questionnaire asks questions about the health and health care for a child in your household. Your response is important and will help us better understand the health care needs of children in the U.S.

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