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> Attachment 4c ChiCAS Questionnaire English

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Baseline and Follow-up Assessment Questionnaire (NOTE: The Spanish version of the baseline assessment will be used in the proposed study; this English version is included solely for purposes of review.)

Date:	
Interviewer:	
Participant ID:	
Place and city of interview:	
Time interview started:	
Time interview completed:	

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Again, we thank you for your time and participation in this assessment. Please remember that when answering these questions, it is very important to be honest. Some of the items will be very personal. Questions about your own health and sexual behaviors and feelings of discrimination, as examples, may be uncomfortable for you, but it is important that you be truthful.

Remember, all the information obtained you provide will be kept private. I am a trained professional and respect the trust you have given me. I will not make judgments about you or your answers. I will not tell anyone about what we talked about today and your answers will not be identifiable. Your name will be removed from the assessment so that others will not know your responses.

Also, there are no right or wrong answers, and we rely on you to be honest. The information that you provide will ensure the quality of this research. It will help us understand generally what is going on in the lives of transgender women like you and the needs of the community. It may create opportunities for new projects that are focused on these community needs. It will help us improve the quality of the lives of women like you. Simply, it will help us prevent HIV and support access to hormone therapy. Your honest answers can help us save lives.

Thanks for your participation. I hav	a few questions for you to get us started.
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1) Which of the following best describes your ethnicity?	$\square_1$ Hispanic or Latino $\square_0$ Not Hispanic or Latino [If not Hispanic or Latino, skip to end of assessment, item 134]
2) How old are you?	years old [If under 18 years old, skip to end of assessment, item 134]
3) In which language would you consider yourself to be fluent?	<ul> <li>□1 Only Spanish</li> <li>□2 More Spanish than English</li> <li>□3 Both equally</li> <li>□4 More English than Spanish [If more English than Spanish, skip to end of assessment, item 134]</li> <li>□5 Only English [If only English, skip to end of assessment, item 134]</li> </ul>
4) What sex was on your original birth certificate?	$\square_0 Male$ $\square_1 Female$

	[If female, skip to end of assessment, item 134]
5) How do you describe your gender identity?	□₀ Male □₁ Female □₂ Male-to-female transgender (MTF) □₃ Female-to-male transgender (FTM) □₄ Other gender identity (specify) [If "male", "female-to-male transgender", or some other specific category that indicates that they identify as male, skip to end of assessment,
	item 134]
6) What was the result of your recent HIV test?	<ul> <li>□₀ Positive</li> <li>[If "positive", skip to end of assessment, item 134]</li> <li>□₁ Negative</li> <li>□₂ I don't know</li> <li>□₃ Indeterminate</li> <li>□₄ Never tested</li> </ul>
7) In the past 6 months, have you had sex with a man at least once?	[If no, skip to end of assessment, item 134]

#### **GENERAL HEALTH & ACCESS TO CARE**

The next questions are about your general health and your access to health care. We are asking this question of everyone just to get a picture of your perception of your health.

8) Compared to other people your age, would you say your health is	1       Excellent $2$ Very good $3$ Good $4$ Fair $5$ Poor
9) When did you most recently see a medical provider such as a doctor or nurse in the US for a routine check-up, a routine physical examine, or something similar, <u>not</u> including an Emergency Department visit?	$\Box_0$ Never $\Box_1$ Within past 6 months $\Box_2$ Within the past year $\Box_3$ 1-2 years ago $\Box_4$ Over 2 years ago
10) When did you most recently see a medical provider such as a doctor or nurse <u>in the US</u> for help with hormone therapy for feminization?	$\Box_0$ Never $1$ Within past 6 months $2$ Within the past year $3$ 1-2 years ago $\Box_4$ Over 2 years ago
11) When did you most recently see a medical provider such as a doctor or nurse <u>in another country</u> for help with hormone therapy for feminization?	$\square_0$ Never $\square_1$ Within past 6 months

	$\square_2$ Within the past year $\square_3$ 1-2 years ago $\square_4$ Over 2 years ago
12) What country was that?	

BARRIERS TO HEALTH CARE		
Have any of the following reasons prevented you from seeking or obtaining genera care in the US in the past 12 months?	l health or medical	
13A) You did not have health insurance.	No Yes	
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13B) The clinic, health department, or hospital was too far away.	$\Box_0$ No $\Box_1$ Yes	
13C) You did not have transportation.	0 No 1 Yes	
13D) You could not take time off from work.	$\square_0$ No $\square_1$ Yes	
13E) The clinic, health department, or hospital was not open when you could go.	No Yes	
13F) The staff and providers did not speak your language.	0 No 1 Yes	
13G) You were not sure where to go for the services you needed.	$\bigcap_0$ No $\bigcap_1$ Yes	
13H) It took too long to get an appointment.	$\square_0$ No $\square_1$ Yes	
13I) During previous visits it took too long to see a doctor.	No Yes	
13J) You felt like you would be treated poorly.	$\square_0$ No $\square_1$ Yes	
13K) You didn't know whether you were eligible to be seen.	$\square_0$ No $\square_1$ Yes	
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13L) You were concerned about other people finding out about your health.	No Yes	
13M) You thought that the medical bill would be too high.	$\bigcap_0$ No $\bigcap_1$ Yes	

# ACCULTURATION

The following section is about language and how you prefer to communicate.	
14A) In general, what language(s) do you read and speak?	$\square_1$ Only Spanish
	$\square_2$ More Spanish than English
	$\square_3$ Both equally
	$\square_4$ More English than Spanish
	$\square_5$ Only English
	$\square_6$ Other language, please specify:

14B) What was the language(s) you used as a child?	<ul> <li>Only Spanish</li> <li><sup>1</sup> Only Spanish than English</li> <li><sup>3</sup> Both equally</li> <li><sup>4</sup> More English than Spanish</li> <li><sup>5</sup> Only English</li> <li><sup>6</sup> Other language, please specify:</li> </ul>
14C) What language(s) do you usually speak at home?	$\Box_1$ Only Spanish $\Box_2$ More Spanish than English $\Box_3$ Both equally $\Box_4$ More English than Spanish $\Box_5$ Only English $\Box_6$ Other language, please specify:
14D) In which language(s) do you usually think?	$\Box_1$ Only Spanish $\Box_2$ More Spanish than English $\Box_3$ Both equally $\Box_4$ More English than Spanish $\Box_5$ Only English $\Box_6$ Other language, please specify:
14E) What language(s) do you usually speak with your friends?	<ul> <li>Only Spanish</li> <li>2 More Spanish than English</li> <li>3 Both equally</li> <li>4 More English than Spanish</li> <li>5 Only English</li> <li>6 Other language, please specify:</li> </ul>
14F) In what language(s) are the TV programs you usually watch?	$\Box_1$ Only Spanish $\Box_2$ More Spanish than English $\Box_3$ Both equally $\Box_4$ More English than Spanish $\Box_5$ Only English $\Box_6$ Other language, please specify:
14G) In what language(s) are the radio programs you usually listen to?	<ul> <li>In Only Spanish</li> <li>Image: Provide the system of t</li></ul>
14H) In general, what language(s) are the movies, TV, and radio programs you prefer to watch and listen to?	$\Box_1 \text{ Only Spanish} \\ \Box_2 \text{ More Spanish than English} \\ \Box_3 \text{ Both equally} \\ \Box_4 \text{ More English than Spanish} \\ \Box_5 \text{ Only English} \\ \end{aligned}$

	$\square_6$ Other language, please specify:
14I) Your close friends are	$\Box_1$ All Latinos/Hispanics $\Box_2$ More Latinos than Americans $\Box_3$ About half and half $\Box_4$ More Americans than Latinos $\Box_5$ All Americans $\Box_6$ Other, please specify:
14J) You prefer going to social gatherings/parties at which people are	<ul> <li>All Latinos/Hispanics</li> <li>More Latinos than Americans</li> <li>About half and half</li> <li>More Americans than Latinos</li> <li>All Americans</li> <li>Other, please specify:</li> </ul>
14K) The persons you visit or who visit you are	$\Box_1$ All Latinos/Hispanics $\Box_2$ More Latinos than Americans $\Box_3$ About half and half $\Box_4$ More Americans than Latinos $\Box_5$ All Americans $\Box_6$ Other, please specify:
14L) If you could choose your children's friends you would want them to be	<ul> <li>All Latinos/Hispanics</li> <li>More Latinos than Americans</li> <li>About half and half</li> <li>More Americans than Latinos</li> <li>All Americans</li> <li>Other, please specify:</li> </ul>

#### HORMONE THERAPY USE

I want to ask you a bit about your use of transition-related services such as hormone therapy. Remember that your answers are safe with me. I won't tell anyone what we talked about today, and this information will help us plan for future potential projects.

15) Have you <u>ever</u> used hormones for	$\square_0$ No $\square_1$ Yes
feminization?	[If no, skip to 21A]
16) Are you <u>currently</u> using hormones for	$\square_0$ No $\square_1$ Yes
feminization?	
17) When did you <u>first</u> start using hormones for	
feminization?	Month/year
18) When you <u>first</u> started using hormones for	$\Box_1$ Tienda in US
feminization, where did you get them?	$\Box_2$ Tienda in your country of origin

	<ul> <li><sup>3</sup> Flea market in US</li> <li><sup>4</sup> Flea market in your country of origin</li> <li><sup>5</sup> Traditional healer (e.g., Curandero, Botanico or Husero) in US</li> <li><sup>6</sup> Traditional healer (e.g., Curandero, Botanico or Husero) in your country of origin</li> <li><sup>7</sup> Friends in US</li> <li><sup>8</sup> Friends in your country of origin</li> <li><sup>9</sup> Family in US</li> <li><sup>10</sup> Family in your country of origin</li> <li><sup>11</sup> The internet</li> <li><sup>12</sup> A medical doctor or nurse in the US prescribed them and you obtained them at a pharmacy</li> <li><sup>13</sup> A medical doctor or nurse in your country of origin prescribed them and you obtained them at a pharmacy</li> <li><sup>14</sup> Other, please specify:</li> </ul>
19) When did you get your <u>most recent</u> hormones for feminization?	Month/Year
20A) Where did you get your <u>most recent</u> hormones for feminization?	<ul> <li><sup>1</sup> Tienda in US</li> <li><sup>2</sup> Tienda in your country of origin</li> <li><sup>3</sup> Flea market in US</li> <li><sup>4</sup> Flea market in your country of origin</li> <li><sup>5</sup> Traditional healer (e.g., Curandero, Botanico or Husero) in US</li> <li><sup>6</sup> Traditional healer (e.g., Curandero, Botanico or Husero) in your country of origin</li> <li><sup>7</sup> Friends in US</li> <li><sup>8</sup> Friends in your country of origin</li> <li><sup>9</sup> Family in US</li> <li><sup>10</sup> Family in your country of origin</li> <li><sup>11</sup> The internet</li> <li><sup>12</sup> A medical doctor or nurse in the US prescribed them and you obtained them at a pharmacy</li> <li><sup>13</sup> A medical doctor or nurse in your country of origin prescribed them and you obtained them at a pharmacy</li> </ul>
20B) Where did you go to get your <u>most recent</u> prescription?	99 I did not obtain hormones prescribed by a medical doctor or nurse in the US. Name of place and provider:
	Address: City:

	State:
	Zip:
20C) What pharmacy did you use to get your <u>most</u> <u>recent</u> prescription filled?	<sup>99</sup> I did not obtain hormones prescribed by a medical doctor or nurse in the US.
	Name:
	Address:
	City:
	State:
	Zip:

HORMONE THERAPY KNOWLEDGE			
Please tell me if the following statements are true or false. But don't worry if you don't know an answer; you can also tell me that you don't know.	False	True	Don't Know
21A) Only a medical doctor or nurse can determine the appropriate hormone therapy and dose.	0	$\Box_1$	88
21B) Transgender women who are taking hormones should have periodic checkups with a medical doctor or nurse.	0		88
21C) It is dangerous to use hormones without supervision of a medical doctor or nurse.	0	$\square_1$	88
21D) Hormones obtained from a tienda, the internet, or one's friends are safe to use.	0	1	88
21E) Using hormones other than as prescribed by a medical doctor or nurse can cause damage to the kidneys, liver, and heart, and could increase risk for diabetes.	0	$\square_1$	88
21F) Taking hormones changes the size of one's adam's apple.	0		88
21G) Taking hormones completely eliminates facial hair.	0	$\square_1$	88
21H) There are places in NC that offer medically supervised hormone therapy for transgender women at reduce cost without insurance.	0	1	88
21I) A prescription for hormone therapy must be obtained from a medical doctor or nurse.	0		88

<b>READINESS FOR MEDICALLY SUPERVISED HORMONES</b>							
	Not at all likely	A little likely	Moderately likely	Very likely	Extremely likely	I am already taking medically supervised hormone therapy	
22) How likely is it that you would initiate medically supervised hormone therapy from a medical doctor or nurse in the US?		2	3	4	5	Skip to [Ska]	
23) Are you planning to initiate med next 6 months?	ically supe	ervised ho	ormone thera	py in the	$\Box_0$ No	<sup>1</sup> Yes	

24) Are you planning to initiate medically supervised hormone therapy in the next 30 days?	$\square_0$ No $\square_1$ Yes
25) Have you made an appointment with a doctor or at a clinic to obtain medically supervised hormone therapy?	$\Box_0$ No $\Box_1$ Yes

BARRIERS TO MEDICALLY SUPERVISED HORMONE THERAPY		
Have any of the following reasons prevented you from seeking or obtaining medical hormone therapy in the US in the past 12 months?	ly supervised	
26A) You did not have health insurance.	$\square_0$ No $\square_1$ Yes	
26B) The clinic, health department, or hospital was too far away.	$\square_0$ No $\square_1$ Yes	
26C) You did not have transportation.	$\square_0$ No $\square_1$ Yes	
26D) You could not take time off from work.	$\Box_0$ No $\Box_1$ Yes	
26E) The clinic, health department, or hospital was not open when you could go.	$\square_0$ No $\square_1$ Yes	
26F) The staff and providers did not speak your language.	$\Box_0$ No $\Box_1$ Yes	
26G) You were not sure where to go for medically supervised hormone therapy.	$\square_0$ No $\square_1$ Yes	
26H) It took too long to get an appointment.	$\Box_0$ No $\Box_1$ Yes	
26I) During previous visits it took too long to see a doctor.	$\square_0$ No $\square_1$ Yes	
26J) You felt like you would be treated poorly.	$\square_0$ No $\square_1$ Yes	
26K) You didn't know whether you were eligible to be seen.	$\square_0$ No $\square_1$ Yes	
26L) You were concerned about other people finding out about your health.	$\Box_0$ No $\Box_1$ Yes	
26M) You thought that the medical bill would be too high.	o No 1 Yes	

ACCESSING MEI	DICALLY SUPERVISED HORMONE THERAPY	
27) If you wanted to learn more		88
about hormones for feminization,		Don't
where would you go?		know
28) If you wanted to get a		88
prescription for hormones for		Don't
feminization, where would you go?		know

#### HIV KNOWLEDGE

I'd like to ask you about what you know about HIV.

By answering the following questions as honestly as possible, you will help ensure that this and future projects are meeting the health needs of Latinas like yourself.

Please tell me if the following statements are true or false.			
	False	True	Don't Know
29A) HIV is a virus that causes AIDS.	0		88
29B) Coughing and sneezing do not spread HIV.	0		88
29C) A person can get HIV by sharing a glass of water with someone who has HIV.	0		88
29D) Showering, douching, or washing one's genitals/private parts after sex keeps a person from getting HIV.	0		88
29E) If a man looks good, he doesn't have HIV.	0	1	88
29F) All pregnant women infected with HIV will have babies born with HIV.	0		88
29G) People who have been infected with HIV quickly show physical signs of being infected.	0		88
29H) I am safe from HIV if I only have unprotected sex with married men.	0		88
29I) There is a vaccine that can stop adults from getting HIV.	0		88
29J) An animal skin condom works better against HIV than does a latex condom.	0		88
29K) A person will not get HIV if she or he is taking antibiotics.	0		88
29L) Vaseline and baby oil are products that should be used with latex condoms.	0		88
29M) There is a cure for HIV.	0		88
29N) Latinos in the US have higher rates of HIV infection than whites.	0		88
29O) During anal sex, the "top" (or insertive partner) is not at risk for HIV.	0		88
29P) The southeastern US has higher rates of HIV infection than other regions of the US.	0		88
29Q) North Carolina has one of the fastest growing HIV infection rates in the US.	0	1	88
29R) North Carolina ranks within the top 10 US states with new HIV diagnoses.	0		88
29S) Transgender women have higher rates of HIV than than the general population.	0		88

#### STD KNOWLEDGE

Next are a few statements about sexually transmitted diseases, also known as STDs.

Please tell me if the following statements are true or false.

False True

Don't Know

30A) Someone infected with an STD will always develop symptoms within 2 months.		$\square_1$	88
30B) There is a vaccine that prevents Hepatitis B.	0		88
30C) It is possible to self-diagnosis for STD infection.	0		88
30D) Female infertility can result from an untreated STD.	0		88
30E) People who have another STD, such as herpes, chlamydia, and gonorrhea are at greater risk for contracting HIV.	0		88
30F) People infected with genital herpes (Herpes Simplex Virus-type 2) can only pass the infection to someone else during the time that they have blisters or sores in the genital region.	0		88
30G) Oral-anal sexual contact ('rimming') can spread Hepatitis A infection.	0	$\square_1$	88
30H) Chlamydia is the most common bacterial STD in the United States.	0		88
30I) There is an STD that can cause cancer.	0	$\square_1$	88
30J) Genital warts can never be transmitted as long as condoms are used.			88
30K) Painful urination is a symptom of gonorrhoea.	0		88
30L) I was treated for an STD so I am now immune from getting it again.	0		88
30M) If someone is being treated for HIV, they cannot get an STD.	0		88
30N) Only those with lots of partners are at risk for STD infection.	0		88
30O) Syphilis infection in North Carolina is increasing among men who have sex with men.	0		88

#### PrEP

# One way to prevent HIV is to use a medication called PrEP. PrEP stands for pre-exposure prophylaxis.

31) Have you heard of PrEP?	0 No 1 Yes
32) Are you <u>currently</u> using PrEP?	$\square_0$ No $\square_1$ Yes
	[If no, skip to 38]
33) When did you <u>first</u> start using PrEP?	
	Month/year
34) When you <u>first</u> started using PrEP,	Name of place and provider:
where did you go to get a prescription?	
	Address:
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	City:
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	State:
	Zip:
35) Where did you go to get your <u>most</u>	Name of place and provider:
recent prescription?	Address:
	City:
	State:
	Zip:
36) What pharmacy did you use to get	Name:
your <u>most recent</u> prescription filled?	Address:
	City:
	State:
	Zip:
37) In the past seven days, how many	
days did you <u>not</u> take PrEP?	[Fill in number here:] $\Box_0$ I took PrEP as prescribed
38) On a scale from 0 to 10, with 0	
being knowing nothing at all and 10 being a lot, how much would you say	0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 (Nothing (A lot)
you know about PrEP?	at all)

PrEP KNOWLEDGE			
Please tell me if the following statements are true or false. But don't worry if you don't know an answer; you can also tell me that you don't know.	False	True	Don't Know
39A) PrEP can reduce the chances of getting HIV among those without HIV.	0		88
39B) The medication that is currently approved for use as PrEP is called Truvada.	0	1	88
39C) If taken every day as directed by a doctor, PrEP can be 99% effective against getting HIV.	0		88
39D) PrEP protects against other STDs.	0	1	88
39E) PrEP is a cure for HIV.	0		88
39F) Most people who take PrEP report side effects.	0	1	88
39G) PrEP can be taken with food.	0		88
39H) Someone who has HIV should take PrEP.	0	1	88

39I) PrEP interacts with female hormones that some transgender take or plan to take.	0		88
39J) To be effective, PrEP must be taken every day.	0		88
39K) A prescription for PrEP must be obtained from a medical doctor or nurse.	0	1	88
39L) Only a pharmacy can provide PrEP.	0	1	88
39M) There are no places available to get PrEP in the local community.	0	1	88

READINESS FOR PrEP						
	Not at all	A little	Moderately	Very	Extremely	I am already
	likely	likely	likely	likely	likely	using PrEP
40) How likely is it that you'd use PrEP?		2	3	4	5	99
						[Skip to
						44A]

41) Are you planning to initiate PrEP use in the next 6 months?	No Yes
42) Are you planning to initiate PrEP use in the next 30 days?	0 No 1 Yes
43) Have you made an appointment with a doctor or at a clinic to obtain a prescription for PrEP?	$\square_0$ No $\square_1$ Yes

BARRIERS TO PrEP		
Have any of the following reasons prevented you from seeking or obtaining PrEP 12 months?	in the US in the past	
44A) You did not have health insurance.	$\square_0$ No $\square_1$ Yes	
44B) The clinic, health department, or hospital was too far away.	$\Box_0$ No $\Box_1$ Yes	
44C) You did not have transportation.	$\square_0$ No $\square_1$ Yes	
44D) You could not take time off from work.	$\Box_0$ No $\Box_1$ Yes	
44E) The clinic, health department, or hospital was not open when you could go.	$\square_0$ No $\square_1$ Yes	
44F) The staff and providers did not speak your language.	$\Box_0$ No $\Box_1$ Yes	
44G) You were not sure where to go to get PrEP.	$\square_0$ No $\square_1$ Yes	
44H) It took too long to get an appointment.	$\Box_0$ No $\Box_1$ Yes	
44I) During previous visits it took too long to see a doctor.	$\square_0$ No $\square_1$ Yes	
44J) You felt like you would be treated poorly.	$\Box_0$ No $\Box_1$ Yes	
44K) You didn't know whether you were eligible to be seen.	$\bigcap_0$ No $\bigcap_1$ Yes	

44L) You were concerned about other people finding out about your health.	$\Box_0$ No $\Box_1$ Yes
44M) You thought that the medical bill would be too high.	$\square_0$ No $\square_1$ Yes

ACCESSING PrEP		
45) If you wanted to learn more		88
about PrEP, where would you go?		Don't
		know
46) If you wanted to get a		88
prescription for PrEP, where would		Don't
you go?		know

## PROVIDER TRUST AND COMMUNICATION

# Thinking about doctors in general, please tell me how strongly you agree or disagree with the following statements.

	Strongly			Strongly
	disagree	Disagree	Agree	agree
47A) Sometimes doctors care more about what is convenient for them than about their patients' medical needs.		2	3	4
47B) Doctors are extremely thorough and careful.		2	3	4
47C) I completely trust doctors' decisions about which medical treatments are best.		2	3	4
47D) A doctor would never mislead me about anything.		2	3	4
47E) All in all, I trust doctors completely.		2	3	
48A) When all is said and done, I am the person who is responsible for managing my health.		2	3	4
48B) Taking an active role in my own health care is the most important factor in determining my health and ability to function.		2	3	
48C) I am confident that I can take actions that will help prevent or minimize some symptoms or problems associated with my health.		2	3	4
48D) I know what each of my prescribed medications do.		2	3	
48E) I am confident that I can tell when I need to go get medical care and when I can handle a health problem myself.		2	3	4
48F) I am confident I can tell my health care provider concerns I have even when he or she does not ask.		2	3	4
48G) I am confident that I can follow through on medical treatments I need to do at home.		2	3	4
48H) I understand my health.		2	3	4
48I) I know the different medical treatment options available for me.	1	2	3	4
48J) I have been able to maintain the lifestyle changes for my health that I have made.		2	3	4

48K) I know how to prevent problems with my health.		2	3	4
48L) I am confident I can figure out solutions when situations or problems arise with my health.	<b>1</b>	2	3	4
48M) I am confident that I can maintain lifestyle changes even during times of stress		2	3	4

SEXUAL IDENTITY			
Now I am going to ask you few more very personal questions about sex and sexual behaviors. Remember that your responses are private, and you do not have to answer any question you are not comfortable with. Just be honest. These questions help us understand the behaviors and needs of Latina women just like you.			
49) Which of the following best represents how you think of yourself?	<ul> <li>Gay (lesbian or gay)</li> <li>Straight, this is not gay (or lesbian or gay)</li> <li>Bisexual</li> <li>Something else</li> <li>I don't know the answer</li> </ul>		
50) What is your <u>current</u> relationship status?	<ul> <li>□<sub>1</sub> Single and not dating anyone special [Skip to 52]</li> <li>□<sub>2</sub> Dating someone special and having sex with other people also</li> <li>□<sub>3</sub> Dating someone special and not having sex with other people</li> <li>□<sub>4</sub> Partnered or married and have sex with other people also</li> <li>□<sub>5</sub> Partnered or married and don't have sex with other people</li> </ul>		
51) If dating, partnered, or married, what is that person's gender?	$\Box_0$ Female $\Box_1$ Male $\Box_2$ Male to female transgender $\Box_3$ Female to male transgender $\Box_4$ Other [please specify]:		

#### SEX WITH MEN AND WOMEN

Now, I want to ask you about sex with men. In these next questions when we say "sex" we mean "oral" or "anal" sex. Oral sex is when someone puts their penis in another person's mouth. Anal sex is when someone puts their penis in another person's anus. Do you understand these terms?

52) How many men have you had sex with in the <u>past 6 months</u> ?	# men
53) How many women have you had sex with in the <u>past 6 months</u> ?	# women

First, I want to ask you about the times that	a man put his penis in your anus to have sex.
54) About when was the <u>most recent time</u> that a man put his penis in your anus?	<ul> <li>Transformation</li> &lt;</ul>
55) Thinking about the most <u>recent time</u> that a man put his penis in your anus, did he use condoms?	$\square_0$ No $\square_1$ Yes
56) Thinking about all the times that a man put his penis in your anus during the past 30 days, how often did he use condoms?	<ul> <li>I have not had a man put his penis in my anus in the past 30 days.</li> <li>Never</li> <li>Once in awhile</li> <li>About half the time</li> <li>Most of the time</li> <li>Always</li> </ul>
57) Thinking about all the times that a man put his penis in your anus during the past 3 months, how often did he use condoms?	<ul> <li>I have not had a man put his penis in my anus in the past 3 months.</li> <li>Never</li> <li>Once in awhile</li> <li>About half the time</li> <li>Most of the time</li> <li>Always</li> </ul>

Some transgender women have vaginas. If you have a vagina, we want to know about your use of condoms when a man puts his penis in your vagina.		
58) About when was the <u>most recent time</u> that a man put his penis in your vagina, if you have a vagina?	<ul> <li>I have never had a man put his penis in my vagina or I don't have a vagina. [Skip to 62]</li> <li>Within the past week</li> <li>Within the past 30 days, but more than a week ago</li> <li>Over one month ago but within the past 3 months</li> <li>3 months but less than 6 months ago</li> <li>6 months ago but less than a year ago</li> <li>A year or more ago</li> </ul>	
59) Thinking about the most <u>recent time</u> that a man put his penis in your vagina, did he use condoms?	0 No 1 Yes	
60) Thinking about all the times that a man put his penis in your vagina during the past 30 days, how often did he use condoms?	<ul> <li>I have not had a man put his penis in my vagina in the past 30 days</li> <li>Never</li> <li>Once in awhile</li> </ul>	

	$\Box_3 \text{ About half the time} \\ \Box_4 \text{ Most of the time} \\ \Box_5 \text{ Always}$
61) Thinking about all the times that a man put his penis in your vagina during the past 3 months, how often did he use condoms?	<ul> <li>I have not had a man put his penis in my vagina in the past 3 months</li> <li>Never</li> <li>Once in awhile</li> <li>About half the time</li> <li>Most of the time</li> <li>Always</li> </ul>

# Some transgender women have penises. If you have a penis, we want to know about your use of condoms when you have sex with men and women.

First, I want to ask you about the times you put your penis in the anus of a man to have sex.

62) About when was the <u>most recent time</u> that you put your penis in the anus of a man?	<ul> <li>I never have put my penis in the anus of a man or I don't have a penis [Skip to 66]</li> <li>Within the past week</li> <li>Within the past 30 days, but more than a week ago</li> <li>Over one month ago but within the past 3 months</li> <li>3 Over one month ago but within the past 3 months</li> <li>6 months ago but less than 6 months ago</li> <li>6 months ago but less than a year ago</li> <li>A year or more ago</li> </ul>
63) Thinking about the most <u>recent time</u> you put your penis in the anus of a man, did you use condoms?	$\Box_0$ No $\Box_1$ Yes
64) Thinking about all the times you put your penis in the anus of a man during the past 30 days, how often did you use condoms?	<ul> <li>I have not put my penis in the anus of a man in the past 30 days</li> <li>Never</li> <li>Once in awhile</li> <li>About half the time</li> <li>Most of the time</li> <li>Always</li> </ul>
65) Thinking about all the times you put your penis in the anus of a man during the past 3 months, how often did you use condoms?	<ul> <li>I have not put my penis in the anus of a man in the past 3 months</li> <li>Never</li> <li>Once in awhile</li> <li>About half the time</li> <li>Most of the time</li> <li>Always</li> </ul>

#### Now, I want to ask you about the times you put your penis in the vagina of a woman to have sex.

66) About when was the most recent time that you	$\square$ <sub>77</sub> I never have put my penis in the vagina of a
put your penis in the vagina of a woman?	woman or I don't have a penis [Skip to 70]

	<ul> <li>I Within the past week</li> <li>Within the past 30 days, but more than a week ago</li> <li>Over one month ago but within the past 3 months</li> <li>3 Over one month ago but within the past 3 months</li> <li>4 3 months but less than 6 months ago</li> <li>6 months ago but less than a year ago</li> <li>A year or more ago</li> </ul>
67) Thinking about the most <u>recent time</u> you put your penis in the vagina of a woman, did you use condoms?	0 No 1 Yes
68) Thinking about all the times you put your penis in the vagina of a woman during the past 30 days, how often did you use condoms?	<ul> <li>I have not put my penis in the vagina of a woman in the past 30 days</li> <li>Never</li> <li>Once in awhile</li> <li>About half the time</li> <li>Most of the time</li> <li>Always</li> </ul>
69) Thinking about all the times you put your penis in vagina of a woman during the past 3 months, how often did you use condoms?	<ul> <li>I have not put my penis in the vagina of a woman in the past 3 months</li> <li>Never</li> <li>Once in awhile</li> <li>About half the time</li> <li>Most of the time</li> <li>Always</li> </ul>

Now, I want to ask you about the times you put	your penis in the anus of a woman to have sex.
70) About when was the <u>most recent time</u> that you put your penis in the anus of a woman?	<ul> <li>I never have put my penis in the anus of a woman or I don't have a penis [Skip to 74]</li> <li>Within the past week</li> <li>Within the past 30 days, but more than a week ago</li> <li>Over one month ago but within the past 3 months</li> <li>3 Over one month ago but within the past 3 months</li> <li>6 months ago but less than 6 months ago</li> <li>6 months ago but less than a year ago</li> <li>A year or more ago</li> </ul>
71) Thinking about the most <u>recent time</u> you put your penis in the anus of a woman, did you use condoms?	$\square_0$ No $\square_1$ Yes
72) Thinking about all the times you put your penis in the anus of a woman during the past 30 days, how often did you use condoms?	<ul> <li>I have not put my penis in the anus of a woman in the past 30 days.</li> <li>Never</li> <li>Once in awhile</li> <li>About half the time</li> <li>Most of the time</li> <li>Always</li> </ul>

73) Thinking about all the times you put your penis in the anus of a woman during the past 3 months, how often did you use condoms?	<ul> <li>I have not put my penis in the anus of a woman in the past 3 months.</li> <li>Never</li> <li>Once in awhile</li> <li>About half the time</li> <li>Most of the time</li> <li>Always</li> </ul>
74) Where did you first meet your <u>most recent male</u> sex partner?	<ul> <li>□1 Adult bookstore</li> <li>□2 Through friend(s)</li> <li>□3 Gay bar / Club</li> <li>□4 Sex club / Bathhouse</li> <li>□5 Non-gay bar / Club</li> <li>□6 Gym / health club / athletic activity</li> <li>□7 Facebook</li> <li>□8 Internet dating or social networking site, including apps like Grindr, Jackd, Adam4Adam, and badoo</li> <li>□9 Public places including park, shopping mall, library, public transportation</li> <li>□10 School</li> <li>□11 Social organizations / volunteer service activities</li> <li>□12 Private party or social club</li> <li>□13 Work</li> <li>□14 Grocery store</li> <li>□16 Church, political group</li> <li>□17 Some other way (please specify):</li> </ul>

## **CONDOM USE SKILLS**

There are certain steps to using a condom correctly.

The following are statements about using a condom, some of which are correct, and some of which are incorrect. Tell me whether the statement is correct or incorrect.

	Correct	Incorrect	Don't know
75A) Use a latex condom.		$\Box_1$	□ 88
75B) Tear along one side of the foil, being sure not to rip the condom inside.			□ <sub>88</sub>
75C) Put the condom on anytime before ejaculation.		$\square_1$	□ 88
75D) Put the condom on when the penis is erect, before there is any contact between the penis and the other partner's anus or vagina.			□ 88
75E) Completely unroll the condom before placing on the penis.		$\Box_1$	□ 88

75F) Withdraw the penis while it is still erect by holding the condom firmly in place, then remove the condom.		□ 88
75G) If the penis is uncircumcised, pull the foreskin towards the base (hair) of the penis before putting the condom on.		□ 88
75H) Use a water-based lubricant (e.g., KY Jelly).		□ 88
75I) Squeeze the closed end of the condom between your forefinger and thumb and unroll the condom over the erect penis.	$\Box_1$	□ 88
75J) Wrap the used condom back in the foil to save for the next time.		
75K) Unroll the condom to the base (hair) of the penis.		
75L) Use an oil-based lubricant. (i.e., oil, Vaseline, baby oil)		
75M) Check the expiration date on the condom.		
75N) Tear the condom package open with your teeth		
75O) With one hand pinch the tip of the condom to leave space and prevent air bubbles, and with the other hand, unroll the condom		□ 88
75P) Dispose of the used condoms.		□ 88
75Q) Wash the condom to use it again.	$\Box_1$	□ 88
75R) Use a lambskin condom.		□ <sub>88</sub>

#### **CONDOM USE INTENTIONS**

# Now I am going to read some statements and want you to tell me how likely the following statement is to occur. You can choose:

## Not at all likely; A little likely; Moderately likely; Very likely; and Extremely likely

	Not at all	A little	Moderately	Very	Extremely
	likely	likely	likely	likely	likely
76A) During the next month, you intend to try to		2		4	5
persuade your partner(s) to use condoms every time you					
have sex.					
76B) You intend to get condoms during the next month.				4	5
76C) You intend to always have condoms handy during	$\Box_1$	2	3	4	5
the next month.					
76D) You intend to use condoms every time you have		2		4	5
sex during the next month.					

#### **STD SELF REPORT**

Now I'm going to ask questions about specific sexual activities and sexually transmitted diseases. You can stop and ask me if you don't understand the names of these diseases.

Have you <u>ever</u> been to a clinic, hospital, health department, or doctor's office for either of the following?			
77) To be tested for sexually transmitted diseases (STDs)	$\square_0$ No $\square_1$ Yes		
78) To be tested for HIV	No 1 Yes		

79) During the past 12 months, have you been to a clini or doctor's office to be tested for sexually transmitted d include testing for HIV.	0 No 1 Yes			
80) During the past 6 months, have you been to a clinic doctor's office to be tested for sexually transmitted dise include testing for HIV.	No 1 Yes			
81) During the past 12 months, have you been to a clini or doctor's office to be tested for HIV?	$\square_0$ No $\square_1$ Yes			
82) During the past 6 months, have you been to a clinic doctor's office to be tested for HIV?	$\square_0$ No $\square_1$ Yes			
83) Where did you take your <u>most recent</u> HIV				
test? (What place or location? Examples include				
health department, free clinic, doctor's office)				
84) What was the result of your <u>most recent</u> HIV test?	1 Negative			
	Positive			
	Indeterminate			
Did not get the result of the most recent past tes				

## Has a doctor or nurse ever told you that you have the following sexually transmitted diseases (STDs)? If a doctor or nurse has told you, how long ago was the <u>most recent</u> diagnosis:

	Never (0)	Less than 1 year ago (1)	1-5 years ago (2)	More than 5 years ago (3)
85) Gonorrhoea				
86) Syphilis				
87) Chlamydia				
88) Herpes				
89) Hepatitis A/B/C				
90) HIV / AIDS				
91) HPV / Genital Warts				
92) Other:				

	No	Yes
93) In the past 3 months, have you given something to a man in exchange for sex?		

(i.e., money, drugs, alcohol, other)		
94) In the past 3 months, have you received something from a man in exchange for	0	
sex? (i.e., money, drugs, alcohol, other)		
95) In the past 3 months, have you given something to a woman in exchange for sex?	0	
(i.e., money, drugs, alcohol, other)		
96) In the past 3 months, have you received something from a woman in exchange for	0	
sex? (i.e., money, drugs, alcohol, other)		

# **BARRIERS TO HIV TESTING**

If you have never been tested for HIV, what are the reasons why y tell me all of the reasons that apply.	ou have never taken an HIV test? Please
97A) I have been tested for HIV <i>[Skip to 98A]</i>	1 Yes
97B) I don't have health insurance.	T <sub>1</sub> Yes
97C) I am afraid that my result will be reported to the government	T <sub>1</sub> Yes
97D) I am afraid I might be HIV positive.	1 Yes
97E) I am afraid people will think I'm transgender.	T <sub>1</sub> Yes
97F) I am afraid people might treat me differently.	T <sub>1</sub> Yes
97G) I don't have the time.	1 Yes
97H) I don't have transportation.	T <sub>1</sub> Yes
97I) I can't afford it.	1 Yes
97J) I have been practicing safer sex.	T <sub>1</sub> Yes
97K) I know my sexual partners don't have HIV.	1 Yes
97L) I am not at risk for HIV.	T <sub>1</sub> Yes
97M) I can't take time off from work.	1 Yes
97N) I don't think I am eligible to be seen.	T <sub>1</sub> Yes
97O) The hours aren't convenient to my work schedule.	T <sub>1</sub> Yes
97P) I don't know where to get tested.	T <sub>1</sub> Yes
97Q) It is not important.	T <sub>1</sub> Yes
97R) No one recommended getting tested to me.	T <sub>1</sub> Yes
97S) Other:	T <sub>1</sub> Yes

Now think about the past 12 months. If you have not been tested for reasons why you have not taken an HIV test? Please tell me all of	
98A) I have been tested for HIV in the past 12 months. <i>[Skip to 99A]</i>	1 Yes
98B) I don't have health insurance.	<sup>1</sup> Yes
98C) I am afraid that my result will be reported to the government.	T <sub>1</sub> Yes
98D) I am afraid I might be HIV positive.	<sup>1</sup> Yes
98E) I am afraid people will think I'm transgender.	1 Yes
98F) I am afraid people might treat me differently.	1 Yes
98G) I don't have the time.	1 Yes
98H) I don't have transportation.	<sup>1</sup> Yes
98I) I can't afford it.	1 Yes
98J) I have been practicing safer sex.	<sup>1</sup> Yes
98K) I know my sexual partners don't have HIV.	<sup>1</sup> Yes
98L) I am not at risk for HIV.	<sup>1</sup> Yes
98M) I can't take time off from work.	<sup>1</sup> Yes
98N) I don't think I am eligible to be seen.	<sup>1</sup> Yes
98O) The hours aren't convenient to my work schedule.	<sup>1</sup> Yes
98P) I don't know where to get tested.	<sup>1</sup> Yes
98Q) It is not important.	<sup>1</sup> Yes
98R) No one recommended getting tested to me.	<sup>1</sup> Yes
98S) Other:	T <sub>1</sub> Yes

# PERCEIVED DISCRIMINATION Now I want to ask you about feeling of discrimination. How strongly do you agree or disagree with each statement? Strongly Strongly disagree Disagree Agree Agree

99A) Since coming to the US, I often have the feeling that I am being treated unfairly because of my ethnicity/race.		2	3	4
99B) Since coming to the US, I have experienced violence due to my ethnicity/race.		2	3	4
99C) Since coming to the US, I have experienced discrimination due to my ethnicity/race.		2	3	4
99D) Since coming to the US, I often have the feeling that I am being treated unfairly because I am transgender.	<b></b> 1	2	3	4
99E) Since coming to the US, I have experienced violence because I am transgender.		2	3	4
99F) Since coming to the US, I have experienced discrimination because I am transgender.		2	3	4
99G) Since coming to the US, I often have the feeling that I am being treated unfairly because I have sex with men.		2	3	4
99H) Since coming to the US, I have experienced violence because I have sex with men.	<b>_</b> 1	2	3	4
99I) Since coming to the US, I have experienced discrimination because I have sex with men.		2	3	4
99J) Since coming to the US, I often have the feeling that I am being treated unfairly because of my documentation status.		2	3	4
99K) Since coming to the US, I have experienced violence due to my documentation status.		2	3	4
99L) Since coming to the US, I have experienced discrimination due to my documentation status.	<b></b> 1	2	3	4

#### SUBSTANCE USE

These next questions ask about substance use. Again, like in all of the questions, it is important to be honest so that we obtain the most accurate information and can develop the best programs to help Latinas.

#### Thinking about drug use over the past 12 months...

	Column A	Column B
Have you used?		About how frequently? [Read response options]
100) Marijuana	<sup>1</sup> Yes., go to column B <sup>0</sup> No	<ul> <li>7 Daily</li> <li>6 5-6 days a week</li> <li>5 3-4 days a week</li> <li>4 1-2 days a week</li> <li>3 Several times a month</li> <li>2 About once a month</li> <li>1 Several times in the past 12 months</li> </ul>
101) Cocaine	1 Yes., go to column B 0 No	<ul> <li>7 Daily</li> <li>6 5-6 days a week</li> <li>5 3-4 days a week</li> <li>4 1-2 days a week</li> <li>3 Several times a month</li> <li>2 About once a month</li> </ul>

		<sup>1</sup> Several times in the past 12 months
102) Crack	1 Yes., go to column B 0 No	<ul> <li>7 Daily</li> <li>6 5-6 days a week</li> <li>5 3-4 days a week</li> <li>4 1-2 days a week</li> <li>3 Several times a month</li> <li>2 About once a month</li> <li>1 Several times in the past 12 months</li> </ul>
103) Alkyl Nitrites such as poppers, Rush	1 Yes., go to column B 0 No	<ul> <li>Daily</li> <li>5-6 days a week</li> <li>3-4 days a week</li> <li>1-2 days a week</li> <li>Several times a month</li> <li>About once a month</li> <li>Several times in the past 12 months</li> </ul>
104) Pain Killers: Oxycotin, Percocet	1 Yes go to column B 0 No	<ul> <li>7 Daily</li> <li>6 5-6 days a week</li> <li>5 3-4 days a week</li> <li>4 1-2 days a week</li> <li>3 Several times a month</li> <li>2 About once a month</li> <li>1 Several times in the past 12 months</li> </ul>
105) What other Drug: 1	1	<ul> <li>Daily</li> <li>5-6 days a week</li> <li>3-4 days a week</li> <li>1-2 days a week</li> <li>Several times a month</li> <li>About once a month</li> <li>Several times in the past 12 months</li> </ul>
106) What other Drug: 2	2	<ul> <li>Daily</li> <li>5-6 days a week</li> <li>3-4 days a week</li> <li>1-2 days a week</li> <li>Several times a month</li> <li>About once a month</li> <li>Several times in the past 12 months</li> </ul>

107A) In the past 12 months, have you ever used a needle or syringe that	□₀ No [ <i>Skip to 108</i> ]
was used by someone else, even one time, outside of a medical setting to	$\square_1$ Yes
inject vitamins, medicines, drugs, or any other substances?	

107B) If yes, please specify what substances you injected:	

Column A		Column B
108) Have you drunk alcohol in the past 12 months?	1 Yes→ go to column B 0 No	About how frequently? [Read response options]7 Daily6 5-6 days a week5 3-4 days a week4 1-2 days a week3 Several times a month2 About once a month1 Several times in the past 12 months

109) In a typical week how many days do you get drunk?	Days Don't drink alcohol
110) Considering all types of alcoholic beverages, how many <i>times</i> during the past 30 days did you have 5 drinks or more on an occasion?	Times Don't drink alcohol
111) In the past 30 days, how many times have you been drunk immediately before or during sex?	Times
112) In the past 30 days, how many times have you been high on drugs immediately before or during sex?	Times

#### TRANSPHOBIA

On a scale of 1 to 7, which best describes your response to the following statements? The following questions are about how you have felt <u>in the last 3 months</u> about being transgender. Give your first response and don't spend a lot of time on any of the statements.

113A) Being transgender makes me feel	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
special and unique.	(Strongly						(Strongly
special and anique.	,						
	disagree)						agree)
113B) Being perceived as transgender by	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
others is okay for me.	(Strongly						(Strongly
oulers is okay for file.							
	disagree)						agree)
113C) I sometimes resent my transgender	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
identity.	(Strongly						(Strongly
	disagree)						agree)
113D) Being transgender makes me feel		_	_		_	_	
, , ,	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
like a freak.	(Strongly						(Strongly
	(Strongly						(eacingly

	disagree)						agree)
113E) I feel isolated and separate from other	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
transgender people.	(Strongly						(Strongly
	disagree)						agree)
113F) I have no problem talking about my	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
transgenderism to almost anyone.	(Strongly						(Strongly
	disagree)						agree)
113G) Being transgender is a gift.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	(Strongly						(Strongly
	disagree)						agree)
113H) When I think of being transgender, I	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
feel depressed.	(Strongly						(Strongly
	disagree)						agree)
113I) For me, passing is everything.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	(Strongly						(Strongly
	disagree)		-			-	agree)
113J) I cannot be happy unless I am	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
perceived as a woman.	(Strongly						(Strongly
	disagree)						agree)
113K) Being read makes me try harder to	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
pass.	(Strongly						(Strongly
	disagree)		-			-	agree)
113L) I am like other people but I am also	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
special because I am transgender.	(Strongly						(Strongly
	disagree)						agree)
113M) Passing is my biggest concern.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	(Strongly						(Strongly
	disagree)	0	2		_	6	agree)
113N) When I think about being	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
transgender, I feel unhappy.	(Strongly						(Strongly
	disagree)	2	2	4	-	6	agree)
113O) Often, I feel weird like an outcast or	1	2	3	4	5	6	7 (Stars also
a pervert.	(Strongly						(Strongly
112D) I often only myself. Miley could I just	disagree)	n	3	1	F	C	agree) 7
113P) I often ask myself: Why can't I just	1 (Strongly	2	3	4	5	6	/ (Strongly
be normal?	(Strongly						
1120) It's much better to page as female	disagree)	2	3	4	5	6	agree) 7
113Q) It's much better to pass as female	1 (Strongly	Ζ	5	4	5	0	/ (Strongly
than to be recognized as transgender.	disagree)						agree)
113R) I sometimes feel that being	1	2	3	4	5	6	
	(Strongly	2	5	4	5	0	/ (Strongly
transgender is embarrassing.	disagree)						agree)
113S) I am proud to be a transgender	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	(Strongly	۷	5	+	5	U	/ (Strongly
person.	disagree)						agree)
113T) If I look the part, talk the talk, and	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
walk the walk of a woman, it will allow	(Strongly	2	3	4	3	U	/ (Strongly
others to accept me.	disagree)						agree)
*		2	3	1	Г	C	7
113U) Passing is a standard to measure my	1 (Strongly	2	3	4	5	6	,
success.	(Strongly						(Strongly
	l						28

	disagree)						agree)
113V) When interacting with members of	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
the transgender community, I often feel like	(Strongly						(Strongly
I don't fit in.	disagree)						agree)
113W) I envy people who are not	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
transgender.	(Strongly						(Strongly
	disagree)						agree)
113X) I'm not like other transgender people.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	(Strongly						(Strongly
	disagree)						agree)
113Y) I am comfortable revealing to others	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
that I am transgender.	(Strongly						(Strongly
	disagree)						agree)
113Z) I'd rather have people know	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
everything and accept me as transgender.	(Strongly						(Strongly
	disagree)						agree)

#### **EMPLOYMENT & EDUCATION**

The following questions	are about education and income.
114) What is the <u>highest</u> level of education you reached?	<ol> <li>Less than 5 years of school</li> <li>5-8 years of school</li> <li>Less than high school diploma or equivalent (GED)</li> <li>High school diploma or equivalent (GED)</li> <li>Some college</li> <li>2-year college degree</li> <li>4-year college degree</li> <li>Master's degree, professional degree, or more</li> </ol>
115) Are you currently in school, not including ESL?	0 No 1 Yes
116) Are you in school full or part time?	<ul> <li><sup>99</sup> I'm not in school</li> <li>Part-time</li> <li><sup>1</sup> Fulltime</li> </ul>
117) What best describes your current employment status?	<ul> <li>1 Employed year round</li> <li>2 Employed in seasonal work but not year round</li> <li>3 Retired</li> <li>4 Unemployed since arrived in US</li> <li>5 Unemployed seasonal worker</li> <li>6 Unemployed (but not '4' or '5' above)</li> <li>7 Disabled and not working</li> </ul>

118) Of the following, what types of work have you done the past 12 months in the US? (Please check all that apply.)

<sup>99</sup> Have not worked in US in past 12 months

9 Hair stylist / Barber

<ul> <li>Animal Slaughtering/ Processing</li> <li>Furniture Manufacturing</li> <li>Other type of factory (list)</li> <li>Construction</li> <li>Farming</li> <li>Lawn care / Landscaping</li> <li>Food services (waiter/cook)</li> <li>Janitor / Industrial Cleaning</li> <li>119) How much money do you take home each week?</li> </ul>	<ul> <li><sup>10</sup> Child care</li> <li><sup>11</sup> Clerical / Administrative</li> <li><sup>12</sup> Management</li> <li><sup>13</sup> Sales / Retail</li> <li><sup>14</sup> Odd jobs (work done from time to time)</li> <li><sup>15</sup> Cashier</li> <li><sup>16</sup> Bagging groceries</li> <li><sup>17</sup> Other, please specify:</li></ul>
120) About how much money do you receive each month from <u>all</u> sources?	<ul> <li>None</li> <li>\$1-\$99</li> <li>\$100-\$499</li> <li>\$500-\$999</li> <li>\$1,000-\$1,999</li> <li>\$2,000-\$2,999</li> <li>\$3000 or more</li> </ul>

## ETHNIC GROUP PRIDE

# Now I am going to read some statements and want you to tell me how much you agree or disagree with each statement. You can choose:

### Strongly disagree; Disagree; Agree; and Strongly agree.

	Strongly disagree	Disagree	Agree	Strongly agree
121A) I have spent time trying to find out more about my ethnic group, such as its history, traditions, and customs.		2	3	4
121B) I am active in organizations or social groups that include mostly members of my own ethnic group.			3	4
121C) I have a clear sense of my ethnic background and what it means for me.		2	3	4
121D) I think a lot about how my life will be affected by my ethnic group membership.		2	3	4
121E) I am happy that I am a member of the group I belong to.		2	3	4
121F) I have a strong sense of belonging to my own ethnic group.		2	3	4
121G) I understand pretty well what my ethnic group membership means to me.		2	3	4
121H) In order to learn more about my ethnic background, I have often talked to other people about my ethnic group.	1	2	3	4
121I) I have a lot of pride in my ethnic group.	1	2	3	4
121J) I participate in cultural practices of my own group, such as special food, music, or customs.	1	2	3	4
121K) I feel a strong attachment towards my own ethnic group.			<b></b> 3	
121L) I feel good about my cultural or ethnic background.				4

#### **IMMIGRATION & SOCIAL SUPPORT**

#### These are the final set of questions. Thanks for your cooperation and patience!

122) Where were you born?	[city]
	[region/state/department]
	[country]
123) How old were you when you first came to live in the United States?	Years old 99 I was born in the US
124) How long have you lived in the US, total years and/or months?	[years][months]
125) How long have you lived in NC total years and/or months?	[years][months]
126) What is your current zip code?	
127) What city do you live in now?	

We know that answering questions about your life, health, and immigration issues can sometimes be uncomfortable. As a reminder, the information that we gather in this interview will be kept confidential and in a safe place, and your name will never be revealed as a participant.

Your answers are important because they will allow us to create projects to help Latinos in this community to overcome the barriers they face to access health services.

The following questions have to do with your current immigration status, which affects eligibility for some services.	No	Yes
128A) Do you currently have a "green card"?		
		, 1
128B) Do you currently have a valid student visa, valid tourist visa, work permit, or other		1
legal immigration status such as deferred action?	Ŭ	1
128C) Do you have or have you obtained citizenship in the US?		
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COMMUNITY ATTACHMENT						
	Not at all	Very little	A little	Somewhat	Moderately	To a great extent
129A) Please indicate how much you feel a part of or connected to the gay community.			2		4	5

129B) Please indicate how much you feel a part of or connected to the Latino community.		2			<b>_</b> 5
129C) Please indicate how much you feel a part of or connected to the Latino gay community.					5
129D) Please indicate how much you feel a part of or connected to the transgender community.			3		5
129E) Please indicate how much you feel a part of or connected to the Latino transgender community.			3	4	5

The following questions have to do with the possible effects of your documentation status on your life in the US.	No	Yes
130A) Do you think that your documentation status has limited contact between your family, friends and you?		$\Box_1$
130B) Have you ever been questioned about your documentation status?		
130C) Do you think you will be deported or questioned about your documentation status if you go to a social agency or health department?		
130D) Do you think you will be deported or questioned about your documentation status if you go to a clinic for HIV and STDs testing services?		$\square_1$
130E) Do you think your documentation status has limited your ability to seek HIV and other STDs testing services?		$\Box_1$
130F) Do you avoid the police or other officials because of your documentation status?		$\square_1$
130G) Do you find it difficult to find legal services?		$\square_1$

#### SOCIAL SUPPORT

I am going to read a series of tasks and behaviors. Tell me if you know persons in NC or outside NC, with whom you are maintaining some form of regular contact, who would perform each helpful behavior.

	No one	Someone	A few	Several	
	would	would do	would	would do	Many would
	do this	this	do this	this	do this
131A) Comfort you whenever you feel					
homesick.					
131B) Listen and talk with you whenever you			$\square_2$		
feel lonely or depressed.					
131C) Share your good and bad times.		$\Box_1$	$\square_2$	$\square_3$	$\square_4$
131D) Spend some quiet time with you					
whenever you do not feel like going out.					
131E) Spend time chatting with you whenever				$\square_3$	
you are bored.					
131F) Accompany you to do things whenever			$\square_2$	$\square_3$	4

you need someone for company.					
131G) Visit you to see how you are doing.	$\square_0$	$\Box_1$	$\square_2$	$\square_3$	$\Box_4$
131H) Accompany you somewhere even if he			2		4
or she doesn't have to.					
131I) Reassure you that you are loved,		$\square_1$	2	3	4
supported, and cared for.					
131J) Provide necessary information to help		$\square_1$		$\square_3$	4
orient you to your new surroundings.					
131K) Help you deal with some local		$\square_1$	$\square_2$	$\square_3$	4
institutions' official rules and regulations.					
131L) Show you how to do something that you		$\square_1$	$\square_2$	<u></u> 3	4
didn't know how to do.					
131M) Explain things to make your situation		$\square_1$		<u></u> 3	4
clearer and easier to understand.					
131N) Tell you what can and cannot be done in North Carolina.				<u></u> 3	4
1310) Help you interpret things that you don't					
really understand.				<u> </u>	4
131P) Give you some tangible assistance in					
dealing with any communication or language	L0	L1	<u>2</u>	<b></b> 3	L4
problems that you might face.					
131Q) Explain and help you understand the		Γ.			Π.
local culture and language.	L[)		L12	<u>ل</u> ــــا	<b>L</b> 4
131R) Tell you about available choices and					
options.	U		<u> </u> 2	<u> </u>	<u> </u>

#### 132) Thank you for participating in this assessment. Is there anything else that you would like to share with us?

#### **INTERVIEWER NOTES**

133) Please document any observations or thoughts you have about this interview, the participant, etc. [Skip to 135A]

134) [If the participant was found ineligible as determined from items 1-7 the interviewer should say the following:] Thank you for your help. I really appreciate your interesting in this study but the information that you have shared with us indicates that you are not eligible. [The interviewer should politely terminate the interview.]

NOTE TO STAFF: Please detach these pages from the rest of the assessment and store in a separate lock box when completed.

Participant ID: \_\_\_\_\_

#### **CONTACT INFORMATION**

Because we need to get in touch with you in the future for follow-up questions, we want to collect some information that will help us get in touch with you.

What is your current address?	
135A) Street address:	
135B) City, State:	
135C) Zip code:	
135D) What is your current personal cell phone number?	
Is there another way to get in touch with you - maybe	135E) Telephone number:
another telephone number and an e-mail address?	135F) E-mail address:
135G) What about your Facebook name; what is it?	
Because you may forget to let us know that you h	ave moved or that your telephone number has
changed, we would like to get some supplemental w	
anything about you or the information you have p	ovide to me, we just want to be able to find you.
Who else would know how to find you?	

136B) Relationship to you:

136C) Street address:

136D) City, State:

136A) Name:

136E) Zip code:

136F) Telephone numbers:

Can you give me 2 more people who would know how to find you if we had trouble finding you? 137A) Name:	
137B) Relationship to you:	
137C) Street address:	
137D) City, State:	
137E) Zip code:	
137F) Telephone numbers:	
138A) Name:	
138B) Relationship to you:	
138C) Street address:	
138D) City, State:	
138E) Zip code:	
138F) Telephone numbers:	
I am also giving you a card for you to leave in you	wallet that has the telephone number, mailing

address, and e-mail address to get in touch with me in case your cell phone changes or address changes.

NOTE TO STAFF: Please provide a Stay-in-Touch card to the participant.