

**INTERVIEWER AUTHORIZATION LETTER**

To Whom It May Concern:

[INTERVIEWER NAME] is authorized to work as a field interviewer on the National Survey of Family Growth (NSFG). This major study is sponsored by the National Center for Health Statistics, part of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). This survey provides information on health and health care, plans and experiences related to having children, and other general health behaviors.

About 19,000 households in the U.S. will be scientifically selected per year to be screened for potential participation in this study.

The interviewers working on this study have been hired and trained by RTI International (RTI), a nonprofit research organization. The National Center for Health Statistics hired RTI (Contract # 75D301-20C-0973) to collect the data for the survey.

If you would like more proof that [INTERVIEWER NAME] is an interviewer working for RTI on this study, please call RTI at [CONTACT INFORMATION] (toll-free).

If you would like to know more about the NSFG, you may visit the study's website: [www.cdc.gov/nchs/nsfg.htm](http://www.cdc.gov/nchs/nsfg.htm). You may also call Dr. Joyce Abma or Dr. Gladys Martinez, at the National Center for Health Statistics at 1-866-227-8347 (toll-free), Monday through Friday.

Thank you in advance for your help with this important study.

Sincerely,

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