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CHILD HISTORY QUESTIONNAIRE

Name: _____ **Grade:** _____

Age: _____ **School:** _____

Person Completing Form: _____

Family History

Parents

With whom does the child live at this time? _____

Are parents divorced or separated? _____

Date of Divorce: _____ If divorced, who has legal custody? _____

If divorced, please describe visitation schedule: _____

Were the child's parents ever married? Yes No

Is there any significant information about the parents' relationship or treatment toward the child which might be beneficial in counseling? _____ Yes No If Yes, describe:

Client's Mother

Name: _____ Age: _____ Occupation: _____ Hours worked per week _____

Where employed: _____

Mother's education: _____

Is the child currently living with mother? Yes No

Natural parent Step-parent Adoptive parent Foster home Other (specify): _____

Is there anything notable, unusual or stressful about the child's relationship with the mother? Yes No If Yes, please explain: _____

Client's Father

Name: _____ Age: _____ Occupation: _____ Hours worked per week: _____

Where employed: _____

Father's education: _____

Is the child currently living with father? Yes No

Natural parent Step-parent Adoptive parent Foster home Other (specify): _____

Is there anything notable, unusual or stressful about the child's relationship with the father? Yes No

If Yes, please explain: _____

Client's Siblings and Others Who Live in the Household

Names of Siblings	Age	Gender	Lives	Quality of relationship with the client
_____	___	___ F ___ M	___ home ___ away	___ poor ___ average ___ good
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Others living in the household _____ Relationship (e.g., cousin, foster child)

_____	___	___ F ___ M	_____	___ poor ___ average ___ good
_____	___	___ F ___ M	_____	___ poor ___ average ___ good

What languages (other than English) are spoken in the home? _____

Has the child experienced any physical abuse sexual abuse or neglect? ___ Yes ___ No

If Yes, describe: _____

Has the child/adolescent experienced death? (friends, family pets, other) ___ Yes ___ No

At what age? ___ If Yes, describe the child's/adolescent's reaction: _____

Have there been any other significant changes or events in your child's life? (family, moving, fire, etc.)

___ Yes ___ No If Yes, describe: _____

Developmental History

Pregnancy/Birth

Has the child's mother had any occurrences of miscarriages or stillborns? ___ Yes ___ No

If Yes, describe: _____

Length of pregnancy: ___ Mother's age at child's birth: _____

Did the mother use drugs, cigarettes or alcohol? ___ Yes ___ No If Yes, type/amount: _____

While pregnant, did the mother have any medical or emotional difficulties? (e.g., surgery, hypertension, medication) ___ Yes ___ No

If Yes, describe: _____

Length of labor: _____ Induced: ___ Yes ___ No Caesarean? ___ Yes ___ No

Baby's birth weight: _____ Baby's birth length: _____

Describe any physical or emotional complications with the delivery: _____

Describe any complications for the mother or the baby after the birth: _____

Length of hospitalization: Mother: _____ Baby: _____

Developmental History

Please note the age at which the following behaviors took place:

Sat alone: _____ Dressed self: _____

Took 1st steps: _____ Tied shoe laces: _____

Spoke words: _____ Rode two-wheeled bike: _____

Spoke sentences: _____ Toilet trained-- Day: _____ Night: _____

Compared with others in the family, child's development was: ___ slow ___ average ___ fast

Age for following developments (fill in where applicable) Began puberty: _____ Menstruation: _____

Issues that affected child's development (e.g., inadequate nutrition, neglect, etc.) _____

Medical/Physical Health

Health Conditions

Abortion Hayfever Pneumonia Asthma Heart trouble Polio Blackouts Hepatitis Pregnancy
 Bronchitis Hives Rheumatic Fever Cerebral Palsy Influenza Scarlet Fever Chicken Pox Seizures
 Congenital problems Measles Severe colds Croup Meningitis Concussions/Head injury Diabetes
 Diphtheria Multiple sclerosis Thyroid disorders Dizziness Mumps Vision problems Ear aches
 Wearing glasses Ear infections Nose bleeds Whooping cough Eczema Other skin rashes Fevers

List any current health concerns: _____

Current prescribed medications	Dose	Dates	Purpose	Side effects
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

List dates/reasons of any hospitalizations: _____

Immunization record: Has the child received all immunizations? Yes No

Name of Physician: _____

Is there a family history of mental illness, learning problems, or substance abuse? Please describe: _____

Nutrition

Does your child eat fruit/vegetables? Yes No Does your child engage in "emotional eating"? Yes No

Would you describe your child as a picky eater? Yes No

Does your child eat meals that are prepared for the entire family? Yes No

Describe any concerns regarding your child's weight or eating habits: _____

Education

Current school: _____ Grade: _____ Teacher: _____

Type of school: Public Private Home schooled Other (specify): _____

In special education? Yes No If Yes, describe: _____

In gifted program? Yes No If Yes, describe: _____

Has your child ever received speech/language therapy? Yes No If Yes, describe: _____

Has child ever repeated a grade in school? Yes No If Yes, describe: _____

Which subjects does the child enjoy in school? _____

Which subjects does the child dislike in school? _____

What grades does the child usually receive in school? _____

Have there been any recent changes in the child's grades? Yes No If Yes, describe: _____

Has the child been tested psychologically? Yes No Describe: _____

Briefly describe the child's performance and any concerns in each grade:

Kindergarten: _____

1st Grade: _____

2nd Grade: _____

3rd Grade: _____

4th Grade: _____

5th Grade: _____

6th to 8th Grade: _____

High School: _____

What percentage of homework time requires adult supervision? _____ Average time per night spent on homework _____

Check the descriptions which specifically relate to your child.

Feelings about School Work:

Anxious Passive Enthusiastic Fearful Eager No expression Bored Rebellious

Other (describe): _____

Approach to School Work:

Organized Industrious Responsible Interested Self-directed No initiative Refuses Perfectionism

Does only what is expected Sloppy Disorganized Cooperative Doesn't complete assignments

Other (describe): _____

Performance in School (Parent's Opinion):

Satisfactory Underachiever Overachiever Other (describe): _____

Child's Peer Relationships:

Spontaneous Follower Leader Difficulty making friends Makes friends easily Long-time friends

Shares easily Other (describe): _____

If the child is involved in a vocational program or works a job? Describe: _____

Are there any problems? _____

Leisure/Recreational

Describe special areas of interest or hobbies (e.g., art, books, physical fitness, sports, church activities etc.)

Chemical Use History

Does the child/adolescent use or have a problem with alcohol or drugs? Yes No

If Yes, describe: _____

Counseling/Prior Treatment History

	Yes	No	When	Provider's Name	Overall experience
Counseling	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Psychiatric	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Drug/alcohol treatment	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Hospitalizations	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Psych. Testing	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Additional Comments:	_____				

Current Evaluation

Please describe your reasons for having your child tested at this time: _____

Legal History

Please describe your child's current or past involvement with the legal system: _____

Other

Please describe any other concerns you have regarding your child/adolescent:
