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PENNSYLVANIA YOUTH SURVEY

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This questionnaire is part of a statewide study of middle school, junior high, and high school students conducted every two years. The questions ask your opinions about a number of things concerning your community, your neighborhood, your family, your friends, and you. In a sense, many of your answers on this questionnaire will count as "votes" on a wide range of important issues.

If this study is to be helpful, it is important that you answer each question as thoughtfully and frankly as possible. All your answers are completely confidential. They will never be seen by anyone at your school or by anyone who knows you. Your name will not be on the questionnaire.

This study is completely voluntary. If there is any question that you do not wish to answer for any reason, just leave it blank.

Other students have said that these questionnaires are very interesting and that they enjoy filling them out. We hope you will too. Be sure to read the instructions on the other side of this cover page before you begin to answer.

Thank you very much for being an important part of this project.

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- This is not a test, so there are no right or wrong answers.
- Each question should be answered by marking only one of the answer spaces. If you don't find an answer that fits exactly, use one that comes closest. If any question does not apply to you, or you are not sure of what it means, leave it blank.
- Your answers will be read by a computer. Please follow these instructions carefully.

- Use a #2 pencil only.
- Make heavy marks inside the circles.
- Completely erase any answer you want to change.
- Make no other markings or comments on the answer pages.



- Some of the questions have the following format: **NO! no yes YES!**
Please fill in the circle for the word that best describes how you feel.

Mark (the BIG) **NO!** if you think the statement is **DEFINITELY NOT TRUE** for you.
 Mark (the little) **no** if you think the statement is **MOSTLY NOT TRUE** for you.
 Mark (the little) **yes** if you think the statement is **MOSTLY TRUE** for you.
 Mark (the BIG) **YES!** if you think the statement is **DEFINITELY TRUE** for you.

Example: Pepperoni pizza is one of my favorite foods.

NO! no yes YES!

In the example above, the student marked "yes" because he or she thinks the statement is mostly true.

The survey begins with item X1 below.

X1. How old are you?

- | | |
|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| <input type="radio"/> 10 or younger | <input type="radio"/> 15 |
| <input type="radio"/> 11 | <input type="radio"/> 16 |
| <input type="radio"/> 12 | <input type="radio"/> 17 |
| <input type="radio"/> 13 | <input type="radio"/> 18 |
| <input type="radio"/> 14 | <input type="radio"/> 19 or older |

X2. What grade are you in?

- | | |
|---------------------------|----------------------------|
| <input type="radio"/> 6th | <input type="radio"/> 10th |
| <input type="radio"/> 7th | <input type="radio"/> 11th |
| <input type="radio"/> 8th | <input type="radio"/> 12th |
| <input type="radio"/> 9th | |

X3. Are you of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin?

- No, not of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin
- Yes, Mexican, Mexican Am., Chicano
- Yes, Puerto Rican
- Yes, Cuban
- Yes, another Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin (for example, Argentinean, Columbian, Dominican, Nicaraguan, Salvadoran, Spaniard, etc.)

X4. What is your race? (Mark all that apply.)

- White
- Black, African American
- American Indian or Alaska Native
- Asian Indian, Japanese, Native Hawaiian, Chinese, Korean, Guamanian or Chamorro, Filipino, Vietnamese, Samoan, Other Asian

X5. Are you:

- Female Male

X6. How many times have you changed homes

a. in the last year?

- | | |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| <input type="radio"/> Never | <input type="radio"/> 5 or 6 |
| <input type="radio"/> 1 or 2 | <input type="radio"/> 7 or more |
| <input type="radio"/> 3 or 4 | |

b. in the last three years?

- | | |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| <input type="radio"/> Never | <input type="radio"/> 5 or 6 |
| <input type="radio"/> 1 or 2 | <input type="radio"/> 7 or more |
| <input type="radio"/> 3 or 4 | |

X7. Think of where you live most of the time. Which of the following people live there with you? (Mark all that apply.)

- | | |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| <input type="radio"/> Mother | <input type="radio"/> Older sister(s) |
| <input type="radio"/> Stepmother | <input type="radio"/> Younger sister(s) |
| <input type="radio"/> Foster mother | <input type="radio"/> Older stepsister(s) |
| <input type="radio"/> Grandmother | <input type="radio"/> Younger stepsister(s) |
| <input type="radio"/> Aunt | <input type="radio"/> Older brother(s) |
| <input type="radio"/> Father | <input type="radio"/> Younger brother(s) |
| <input type="radio"/> Stepfather | <input type="radio"/> Older stepbrother(s) |
| <input type="radio"/> Foster father | <input type="radio"/> Younger stepbrother(s) |
| <input type="radio"/> Grandfather | <input type="radio"/> Other children |
| <input type="radio"/> Uncle | |
| <input type="radio"/> Other Adults | |

X8. What is the language you use most often at home?

- English
- Spanish
- Another language

X9. How many times have the following things happened?

a. Worry that food at home would run out before your family got money to buy more?

- Never
- I've done it but not in the past year
- Less than once a month
- About once a month
- 2-3 times a month
- Once or more a week

b. Skip a meal because your family didn't have enough money to buy food?

- Never
- I've done it but not in the past year
- Less than once a month
- About once a month
- 2-3 times a month
- Once or more a week

X10. How willing are you to try or use the drugs listed below? These are not questions about current or past use of these drugs.

a. ALCOHOL (beer, wine, coolers, hard liquor)

- I would never use it
- I probably wouldn't use it
- I'm not sure whether or not I would use it
- I would like to try it or use it
- I would use it any chance I got

b. MARIJUANA (pot, hash, hemp, weed)

- I would never use it
- I probably wouldn't use it
- I'm not sure whether or not I would use it
- I would like to try it or use it
- I would use it any chance I got

X11. Have you ever smoked cigarettes?

- Never
- Once or twice
- Once in a while but not regularly
- Regularly in the past
- Regularly now

X12. How frequently have you smoked cigarettes during the past 30 days?

- Never
- Once or twice
- Once or twice per week
- About once a day
- More than once a day

X13. Have you ever used smokeless tobacco (chew, snuff, plug, dipping tobacco, or chewing tobacco)?

- Never
- Once or twice
- Once in a while but not regularly
- Regularly in the past
- Regularly now

X14. How frequently have you used smokeless tobacco during the past 30 days?

- Never
- Once or twice
- Once or twice per week
- About once a day
- More than once a day

X15. If you wanted to get prescription drugs not prescribed to you, how easy would it be for you to get some?

- Very hard
- Sort of hard
- Sort of easy
- Very easy

X16. Think back over the last two weeks. How many times have you had five or more alcoholic drinks in a row?

- None
- Once
- Twice
- 3-5
- 6-9
- 10 or more times

X17. How do you feel about someone your age:

a. Having one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage (beer, wine, liquor) nearly every day?

- Strongly disapprove
- Somewhat disapprove
- Neither approve or disapprove
- Approve
- Don't know/ Can't say

b. Smoking one or more packs of cigarettes a day?

- Strongly disapprove
- Somewhat disapprove
- Neither approve or disapprove
- Approve
- Don't know/ Can't say

c. Using marijuana once a month or more?

- Strongly disapprove
- Somewhat disapprove
- Neither approve or disapprove
- Approve
- Don't know/ Can't say

d. Using prescription drugs not prescribed to them?

- Strongly disapprove
- Somewhat disapprove
- Neither approve or disapprove
- Approve
- Don't know/ Can't say

X18. How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they:

a. Take five or more drinks of an alcoholic beverage (beer, wine, liquor) once or twice a week?

- No risk
- Slight risk
- Moderate Risk
- Great Risk

b. Take one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage (beer, wine, liquor) nearly every day?

- No risk
- Slight risk
- Moderate Risk
- Great Risk

c. Smoke marijuana once or twice a week?

- No risk
- Slight risk
- Moderate Risk
- Great Risk

d. Use prescription drugs not prescribed to them?

- No risk
- Slight risk
- Moderate Risk
- Great Risk

X19. How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to:

a. Have one or two drinks of alcoholic beverage (beer, wine, liquor) nearly every day?

- Not at all wrong
- A little bit wrong
- Wrong
- Very wrong

b. Use prescription drugs not prescribed to you?

- Not at all wrong
- A little bit wrong
- Wrong
- Very wrong

X20. On how many occasions (if any) have you, in your lifetime:

a. Had beer, wine, or hard liquor?

- 0 3-5 10-19 40 or more
 1-2 6-9 20-39

b. Used marijuana?

- 0 3-5 10-19 40 or more
 1-2 6-9 20-39

c. Sniffed glue, breathed the contents of an aerosol spray can, or inhaled other gases or sprays in order to get high?

- 0 3-5 10-19 40 or more
 1-2 6-9 20-39

d. Used cocaine?

- 0 3-5 10-19 40 or more
 1-2 6-9 20-39

e. Used crack?

- 0 3-5 10-19 40 or more
 1-2 6-9 20-39

f. Used heroin?

- 0 3-5 10-19 40 or more
 1-2 6-9 20-39

g. Used hallucinogens (acid, LSD, shrooms)?

- 0 3-5 10-19 40 or more
 1-2 6-9 20-39

h. Used methamphetamine (meth, crystal meth, crank)?

- 0 3-5 10-19 40 or more
 1-2 6-9 20-39

i. Used Ecstasy?

- 0 3-5 10-19 40 or more
 1-2 6-9 20-39

j. Taken performance enhancing drugs (such as steroids, human growth hormone) without a doctor's orders?

- 0 3-5 10-19 40 or more
 1-2 6-9 20-39

k. Used prescription pain relievers (such as Vicodin, OxyContin, Percocet, or Tylox) without a doctor's orders?

- 0 3-5 10-19 40 or more
 1-2 6-9 20-39

l. Used prescription tranquilizers (such as Ambien, Lunesta, Valium, or Xanax) without a doctor's orders?

- 0 3-5 10-19 40 or more
 1-2 6-9 20-39

m. Used prescription stimulants (such as Ritalin or Adderall) without a doctor's orders?

- 0 3-5 10-19 40 or more
 1-2 6-9 20-39

n. Used synthetic drugs (man-made drugs such as Bath Salts, K2, Spice, Mr. Smiley, Blaze)?

- 0 3-5 10-19 40 or more
 1-2 6-9 20-39

o. Used nitrodones (such as Pink Pandora)?

- 0 3-5 10-19 40 or more
 1-2 6-9 20-39

X21. On how many occasions (if any) have you, during the past 30 days:

a. Had beer, wine, or hard liquor?

- 0 3-5 10-19 40 or more
 1-2 6-9 20-39

b. Used marijuana?

- 0 3-5 10-19 40 or more
 1-2 6-9 20-39

c. Sniffed glue, breathed the contents of an aerosol spray can, or inhaled other gases or sprays in order to get high?

- 0 3-5 10-19 40 or more
 1-2 6-9 20-39

d. Used cocaine?

- 0 3-5 10-19 40 or more
 1-2 6-9 20-39

e. Used crack?

- 0 3-5 10-19 40 or more
 1-2 6-9 20-39

f. Used heroin?

- 0 3-5 10-19 40 or more
 1-2 6-9 20-39

g. Used hallucinogens (acid, LSD, shrooms)?

- 0 3-5 10-19 40 or more
 1-2 6-9 20-39

h. Used methamphetamine (meth, crystal meth, crank)?

- 0 3-5 10-19 40 or more
 1-2 6-9 20-39

i. Used Ecstasy?

- 0 3-5 10-19 40 or more
 1-2 6-9 20-39

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 1-2 6-9 20-39

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 1-2 6-9 20-39

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- 0 3-5 10-19 40 or more
 1-2 6-9 20-39

n. Used synthetic drugs (man-made drugs such as Bath Salts, K2, Spice, Mr. Smiley, Blaze)?

- 0 3-5 10-19 40 or more
 1-2 6-9 20-39

o. Used nitrodones (such as Pink Pandora)?

- 0 3-5 10-19 40 or more
 1-2 6-9 20-39

Please continue the survey

A1. In the past 12 months have you:

a. Gambled for money or anything of value?

- Yes
 No

b. Bet money or anything of value on sporting events (includes participating in sports pools)?

- Yes
 No

c. Bought lottery tickets?

- Yes
 No

d. Bet money or anything of value on table games like poker or other card games, dice, backgammon, or dominoes?

- Yes
 No

A2. In the last 30 days have you:

a. Gambled for money or anything of value?

- Yes
 No

A3. How old were you the first time you gambled (bet money or something of value on sports, a game of chance or skill, played the lottery, or bet cards or dice games)?

- Never Have
 10 or younger
 11
 12
 13
 14
 15
 16
 17 or older

A4. Have you ever felt the need to:

a. Bet more and more money?

- Yes
 No

b. Lie to important people (e.g., family/friends) about how much you gamble?

- Yes
 No

A5. Have you ever:

a. Belonged to a gang?

- Yes
 No

b. If you have ever belonged to a gang, did that gang have a name?

- Yes
 No
 I have never belonged to a gang.

A6. How old were you when you first belonged to a gang?

- Never Have
 10 or younger
 11
 12
 13
 14
 15
 16
 17 or older

A7. Putting them all together, what were your grades like last year?

- Mostly As
 Mostly Bs
 Mostly Cs
 Mostly Ds
 Mostly Fs

A8. During the LAST FOUR WEEKS, how many whole days of school have you missed because you skipped or 'cut'?

- None
 1 day
 2 days
 3 days
 4-5 days
 6-10 days
 11 or more days

A9. How important do you think the things you are learning in school are going to be for your later life?

- Very important
 Quite important
 Fairly important
 Slightly important
 Not at all important

A10. How interesting are most of your courses to you?

- Very interesting and stimulating
 Quite interesting
 Fairly interesting
 Slightly dull
 Very dull

A11. Teachers ask me to work on special classroom projects.

- NO!
 no
 yes
 YES!

A12. There are lots of chances for students in my school to talk one-on-one with a teacher.

- NO!
 no
 yes
 YES!

A13. I have lots of chances to be part of class discussions or activities.

- NO!
 no
 yes
 YES!

A14. In my school, students have lots of chances to help decide things like class activities and rules.

- NO!
 no
 yes
 YES!

A15. There are lots of chances for students in my school to get involved in sports, clubs, and other school activities outside of class.

- NO!
 no
 yes
 YES!

A16. My teacher(s) notices when I am doing a good job and lets me know about it.

- NO!
 no
 yes
 YES!

A17. I feel safe at my school.

- NO!
 no
 yes
 YES!

A18. The school lets my parents know when I have done something well.

- NO!
 no
 yes
 YES!

A19. My teachers praise me when I work hard in school.

- NO!
 no
 yes
 YES!

A20. I like my neighborhood.

- NO!
 no
 yes
 YES!

A21. I'd like to get out of my neighborhood.

- NO!
 no
 yes
 YES!

A22. How often do you feel that the school work you are assigned is meaningful and important?

- Never
- Seldom
- Sometimes
- Often
- Almost always

A23. Now thinking back over the past year in school, how often did you:

a. Enjoy being in school?

- Never
- Seldom
- Sometimes
- Often
- Almost always

b. Hate being in school?

- Never
- Seldom
- Sometimes
- Often
- Almost always

c. Try to do your best work in school?

- Never
- Seldom
- Sometimes
- Often
- Almost always

A24. Are your school grades better than the grades of most students in your class?

- NO!
- no
- yes
- YES!

A25. There are lots of adults in my neighborhood I could talk to about something important.

- NO!
- no
- yes
- YES!

A26. My neighbors notice when I am doing a good job and let me know.

- NO!
- no
- yes
- YES!

A27. There are people in my neighborhood who are proud of me when I do something well.

- NO!
- no
- yes
- YES!

A28. There are people in my neighborhood who encourage me to do my best.

- NO!
- no
- yes
- YES!

A29. If a kid drank some beer, wine, or hard liquor (for example: vodka, whiskey, or gin) in your neighborhood would he or she be caught by the police?

- NO!
- no
- yes
- YES!

A30. If a kid smoked marijuana in your neighborhood would he or she be caught by the police?

- NO!
- no
- yes
- YES!

A31. If I had to move, I would miss the neighborhood I now live in.

- NO!
- no
- yes
- YES!

A32. Which of the following activities for people your age are available in your community?

a. Sports Teams and recreation

- Yes
- No

b. Scouts, Camp Fire, 4-H Clubs, or other service clubs

- Yes
- No

c. Boys and Girls Club, YMCA, or other activity clubs

- Yes
- No

d. After school activities programs

- Yes
- No

A33. How wrong would most adults (over 21) in your neighborhood think it was for kids your age:

a. To drink alcohol?

- Not at all wrong
- A little bit wrong
- Wrong
- Very wrong

b. To smoke cigarettes?

- Not at all wrong
- A little bit wrong
- Wrong
- Very wrong

c. To use marijuana?

- Not at all wrong
- A little bit wrong
- Wrong
- Very wrong

A34. How easy would it be for you to get some, if you wanted to get some:

a. Beer, wine, or hard liquor (for example: vodka, whiskey, or gin)?

- Very hard
- Sort of hard
- Sort of easy
- Very easy

b. Cigarettes?

- Very hard
- Sort of hard
- Sort of easy
- Very easy

c. A handgun?

- Very hard
- Sort of hard
- Sort of easy
- Very easy

d. A drug like cocaine, LSD, or amphetamines?

- Very hard
- Sort of hard
- Sort of easy
- Very easy

e. Marijuana

- Very hard
- Sort of hard
- Sort of easy
- Very easy

B1. In the past 12 months, how often have you:

a. Been threatened to be hit or beaten up on school property?

- Never 4 or 5 times
 Once 6 to 9 times
 2 or 3 times 10 times or more

b. Been attacked and hit by someone or beaten up on school property?

- Never 4 or 5 times
 Once 6 to 9 times
 2 or 3 times 10 times or more

c. Been threatened by someone with a weapon on school property?

- Never 4 or 5 times
 Once 6 to 9 times
 2 or 3 times 10 times or more

d. Been attacked by someone with a weapon on school property?

- Never 4 or 5 times
 Once 6 to 9 times
 2 or 3 times 10 times or more

B2. Do you feel very close to your:

a. Mother?

- NO!
 no yes
 YES!

b. Father?

- NO!
 no yes
 YES!

B3. Do you share your thoughts and feelings with your:

a. Mother?

- NO!
 no yes
 YES!

b. Father?

- NO!
 no yes
 YES!

B4. Do you enjoy spending time with your:

a. Mother?

- NO!
 no yes
 YES!

b. Father?

- NO!
 no yes
 YES!

B5. My parents notice when I am doing a good job and let me know about it.

- Never or almost never
 Sometimes
 Often
 All of the time

B6. How often do your parents tell you they're proud of you for something you've done?

- Never or almost never
 Sometimes
 Often
 All of the time

B7. How many times in the past 12 months have you:

a. Attacked someone with the idea of seriously hurting them?

- 0 occasions 10 to 19 occasions
 1 or 2 occasions 20 to 39 occasions
 3 to 5 occasions 40 or more occasions
 6 to 9 occasions

b. Been arrested?

- 0 occasions 10 to 19 occasions
 1 or 2 occasions 20 to 39 occasions
 3 to 5 occasions 40 or more occasions
 6 to 9 occasions

c. Been drunk or high at school?

- 0 occasions 10 to 19 occasions
 1 or 2 occasions 20 to 39 occasions
 3 to 5 occasions 40 or more occasions
 6 to 9 occasions

d. Been suspended from school?

- 0 occasions 10 to 19 occasions
 1 or 2 occasions 20 to 39 occasions
 3 to 5 occasions 40 or more occasions
 6 to 9 occasions

e. Sold illegal drugs?

- 0 occasions 10 to 19 occasions
 1 or 2 occasions 20 to 39 occasions
 3 to 5 occasions 40 or more occasions
 6 to 9 occasions

B8. How many times in the last 30 days have you:

a. Brought a weapon (such as a gun, knife, or club) to school?

- 0 occasions 10 to 19 occasions
 1 or 2 occasions 20 to 39 occasions
 3 to 5 occasions 40 or more occasions
 6 to 9 occasions

B9. In the past 12 months, have any of the family members close to you:

a. Been deployed to serve 6 months or more away from home (in another state or other country)?

- Yes
 No

b. Returned from deployment after serving 6 months or more away from home (in another state or other country)?

- Yes
 No

c. Joined the military and may be deployed for 6 months or more away from home (in another state or other country)?

- Yes
 No

Please continue the survey

B10. How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to:

a. Pick a fight with someone?

- Not at all wrong
- A little bit wrong
- Wrong
- Very wrong

b. Steal anything worth more than \$5?

- Not at all wrong
- A little bit wrong
- Wrong
- Very wrong

c. Draw graffiti, or write things or draw pictures on buildings or other property (without the owner's permission)?

- Not at all wrong
- A little bit wrong
- Wrong
- Very wrong

d. Drink beer, wine, or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin) regularly?

- Not at all wrong
- A little bit wrong
- Wrong
- Very wrong

e. Smoke cigarettes?

- Not at all wrong
- A little bit wrong
- Wrong
- Very wrong

f. Smoke marijuana?

- Not at all wrong
- A little bit wrong
- Wrong
- Very wrong

B11. My family has clear rules about alcohol and drug use.

- NO!
- no
- yes
- YES!

B12. People in my family often insult or yell at each other.

- NO!
- no
- yes
- YES!

B13. We argue about the same things in my family over and over.

- NO!
- no
- yes
- YES!

B14. People in my family have serious arguments.

- NO!
- no
- yes
- YES!

B15. How many of your brothers or sisters ever:

a. Drank beer, wine, or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin)?

- I don't have any
- None
- 1
- 2
- 3 or 4
- 5 or more

b. Smoked cigarettes?

- I don't have any
- None
- 1
- 2
- 3 or 4
- 5 or more

c. Smoked marijuana?

- I don't have any
- None
- 1
- 2
- 3 or 4
- 5 or more

d. Took a handgun to school?

- I don't have any
- None
- 1
- 2
- 3 or 4
- 5 or more

e. Been suspended or expelled from school?

- I don't have any
- None
- 1
- 2
- 3 or 4
- 5 or more

B16. Would your parents know if you did not come home on time?

- NO!
- no
- yes
- YES!

B17. If you skipped school, would you be caught by your parents?

- NO!
- no
- yes
- YES!

B18. If you carried a handgun without your parent's permission, would you be caught by them?

- NO!
- no
- yes
- YES!

B19. When I am not at home, one of my parents knows where I am and who I am with.

- NO!
- no
- yes
- YES!

B20. The rules in my family are clear.

- NO!
- no
- yes
- YES!

B21. My parents ask if I've gotten my homework done.

- NO!
- no
- yes
- YES!

B22. If you drank some beer, wine, or liquor (for example vodka, whiskey, or gin) without your parent's permission, would you be caught by them?

- NO!
- no
- yes
- YES!

B23. About how many adults (over 21) have you known personally who in the past year have:

a. Gotten drunk or high?

- None 3 or 4
 1 5 or more
 2

b. Used marijuana, crack, cocaine, or other drugs?

- None 3 or 4
 1 5 or more
 2

c. Sold or dealt drugs?

- None 3 or 4
 1 5 or more
 2

d. Done other things that could get them in trouble with the police, like stealing, selling stolen goods, mugging or assaulting others, etc.?

- None 3 or 4
 1 5 or more
 2

B24. Has anyone in your family ever had a severe alcohol or drug problem?

- Yes
 No

B25. In the past 12 months:

a. Have any of your friends or family members close to you died?

- Yes
 No

b. Have you seen someone get seriously hurt in a fight, a shooting, a car accident, etc.?

- Yes
 No

c. Have you yourself been seriously hurt - such as the result of a bad fight, a shooting, a car accident, etc.?

- Yes
 No

B26. In the past 12 months, did anyone on the Internet ever try to get you to talk online about sex, look at sexual pictures, or do something else sexual?

- Yes
 No

B27. My parents ask me what I think before most family decisions affecting me are made.

- NO!
 no
 yes
 YES!

B28. If I had a personal problem, I could ask my mom or dad for help.

- NO!
 no
 yes
 YES!

B29. My parents give me lots of chances to do fun things with them.

- NO!
 no
 yes
 YES!

B30. The next questions ask about bullying. Bullying is when one or more students tease, threaten, spread rumors about, hit, shove, or hurt another student over and over again. It is not bullying when two students of about the same strength or power argue or fight or tease each other in a friendly way.

a. During the past 12 months, have you ever been bullied on school property?

- NO!
 no
 yes
 YES!

b. During the past 12 months, have you ever been electronically bullied? (Include being bullied through e-mail, chat rooms, instant messaging, Web sites, or texting.)

- NO!
 no
 yes
 YES!

c. How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to bully another student or peer?

- Not at all wrong
 A little bit wrong
 Wrong
 Very wrong

d. How wrong do your parents feel it would be for you to bully another student or peer?

- Not at all wrong
 A little bit wrong
 Wrong
 Very wrong

B31. How often have you:

a. Driven a car while or shortly after drinking?

- I don't drive
 Never
 Before, but not in the past year
 About once or twice a year
 About once or twice a month
 About once or twice a week
 Almost every day

b. Driven a car while or shortly after smoking pot?

- I don't drive
 Never
 Before, but not in the past year
 About once or twice a year
 About once or twice a month
 About once or twice a week
 Almost every day

B32. How many times in the past 12 months have you: Been offered, given, or sold an illegal drug on school property?

- Never
 1 or 2 times
 3 to 5 times
 6 to 9 times
 10 times or more

C1. The next questions ask about sad feelings and attempted suicide. Sometimes people feel so depressed about the future that they may consider attempting suicide, that is, taking some action to end their own life. During the past 12 months:

a. Did you ever feel so sad or hopeless almost every day for two weeks or more in a row that you stopped doing some usual activities?

- NO!
- no
- yes
- YES!

b. Did you ever seriously consider attempting suicide?

- NO!
- no
- yes
- YES!

c. Did you make a plan about how you would attempt suicide?

- NO!
- no
- yes
- YES!

d. How many times did you actually attempt suicide?

- 0 times
- 1 time
- 2 or 3 times
- 4 or 5 times
- 6 or more times

e. If you attempted suicide during the past 12 months, did any attempt result in an injury, poisoning, or overdose that had to be treated by a doctor or nurse?

- I did not attempt suicide during the past 12 months
- Yes
- No

C2. In the past 12 months have you felt depressed or sad **MOST** days, even if you feel OK sometimes?

- NO!
- no
- yes
- YES!

C3. Sometimes I think that life is not worth it.

- NO!
- no
- yes
- YES!

C4. At times I think I am no good at all.

- NO!
- no
- yes
- YES!

C5. All in all, I am inclined to think that I am a failure.

- NO!
- no
- yes
- YES!

C6. How wrong do your friends feel it would be for you to:

a. Have one or two drinks of an alcoholic beverage **nearly every day**?

- Not at all wrong
- A little bit wrong
- Wrong
- Very wrong

b. Smoke tobacco?

- Not at all wrong
- A little bit wrong
- Wrong
- Very wrong

c. Smoke marijuana?

- Not at all wrong
- A little bit wrong
- Wrong
- Very wrong

d. Use prescription drugs not prescribed to you?

- Not at all wrong
- A little bit wrong
- Wrong
- Very wrong

C7. Think back over the last two months. How many times have you:

a. Been the passenger and saw the driver text and the vehicle (car, ATV, truck) was moving?

- Never
- Once
- Twice
- 3 - 5 times
- 6 - 9 times
- 10 or more times

b. Texted while driving and the vehicle (car, ATV, truck) was moving?

- Never
- Once
- Twice
- 3 - 5 times
- 6 - 9 times
- 10 or more times

C8. In the past 12 months, was a parent or parent figure (stepfather, etc.):

a. Deployed to a war zone in the military?

- Yes
- No

b. In jail or prison for more than one week?

- Yes
- No

If YES TO B : Did you ever go more than 3 months without seeing this person because they were in jail or prison during the last year?

- My parent or parent figure was not in jail or prison
- Yes
- No

Please continue the survey

C9. How wrong do you think it is for someone your age to:

a. Stay away from school all day when their parents think they are at school?

- Not at all wrong
- A little bit wrong
- Wrong
- Very wrong

b. Take a handgun to school?

- Not at all wrong
- A little bit wrong
- Wrong
- Very wrong

c. Steal anything worth more than \$5?

- Not at all wrong
- A little bit wrong
- Wrong
- Very wrong

d. Pick a fight with someone?

- Not at all wrong
- A little bit wrong
- Wrong
- Very wrong

e. Attack someone with the idea of seriously hurting them?

- Not at all wrong
- A little bit wrong
- Wrong
- Very wrong

f. Drink beer, wine, or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin) regularly?

- Not at all wrong
- A little bit wrong
- Wrong
- Very wrong

g. Smoke cigarettes?

- Not at all wrong
- A little bit wrong
- Wrong
- Very wrong

h. Use LSD, cocaine, amphetamines or another illegal drug?

- Not at all wrong
- A little bit wrong
- Wrong
- Very wrong

i. Smoke marijuana?

- Not at all wrong
- A little bit wrong
- Wrong
- Very wrong

C10. How much do you think people risk harming themselves (physically or in other ways) if they:

a. Smoke one or more packs of cigarettes per day?

- No risk
- Slight risk
- Moderate Risk
- Great Risk

b. Try marijuana once or twice?

- No risk
- Slight risk
- Moderate Risk
- Great Risk

c. Smoke marijuana regularly?

- No risk
- Slight risk
- Moderate Risk
- Great Risk

C11. I like to see how much I can get away with.

- Very false
- Somewhat false
- Somewhat true
- Very true

C12. I ignore the rules that get in my way.

- Very false
- Somewhat false
- Somewhat true
- Very true

C13. I do the opposite of what people tell me, just to get them mad.

- Very false
- Somewhat false
- Somewhat true
- Very true

C14. Think of the last 30 days, how did you get any alcohol, cigarettes, or drugs you may have used? (Mark all that apply)

- Parent
- Brother or Sister
- Friend
- Other person
- Bought it
- Stole it
- Took from home
- Did not use any in the last 30 days

C15. How often do you attend religious services or activities?

- Never
- Rarely
- 1-2 times a month
- Once a week or more

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Please continue the survey

C16. What are the chances you would be seen as cool if you:

a. Carried a handgun?

- No or very little chance
- Little chance
- Some chance
- Pretty good chance
- Very good chance

b. Began drinking alcoholic beverages regularly, that is, at least once or twice a month?

- No or very little chance
- Little chance
- Some chance
- Pretty good chance
- Very good chance

c. Smoked cigarettes?

- No or very little chance
- Little chance
- Some chance
- Pretty good chance
- Very good chance

d. Smoked marijuana?

- No or very little chance
- Little chance
- Some chance
- Pretty good chance
- Very good chance

C17. How many times have you done the following things?

a. Done what feels good no matter what.

- Never
- I've done it but not in the past year
- Less than once a month
- About once a month
- 2-3 times a month
- Once or more a week

b. Done something dangerous because someone dared you to do it.

- Never
- I've done it but not in the past year
- Less than once a month
- About once a month
- 2-3 times a month
- Once or more a week

c. Done crazy things even if they are a little dangerous.

- Never
- I've done it but not in the past year
- Less than once a month
- About once a month
- 2-3 times a month
- Once or more a week

C18. Think of your four best friends (the friends you feel closest to). In the past year (12 months), how many of your best friends have:

a. Been arrested?

- None 3
- 1 4
- 2

b. Dropped out of school?

- None 3
- 1 4
- 2

C18. Think of your four best friends (the friends you feel closest to). In the past 12 months, how many of your best friends have:

c. Stolen or tried to steal a motor vehicle such as a car or motorcycle?

- None 3
- 1 4
- 2

d. Been suspended from school?

- None 3
- 1 4
- 2

e. Carried a handgun?

- None 3
- 1 4
- 2

f. Tried beer, wine, or hard liquor (for example, vodka, whiskey, or gin) when their parents didn't know about it?

- None 3
- 1 4
- 2

g. Smoked cigarettes?

- None 3
- 1 4
- 2

h. Sold illegal drugs?

- None 3
- 1 4
- 2

i. Used LSD, cocaine, amphetamines or another illegal drug?

- None 3
- 1 4
- 2

j. Used marijuana?

- None 3
- 1 4
- 2

C19. I think it is okay to take something without asking as long as you get away with it.

- NO!
- no
- yes
- YES!

C20. It is all right to beat up people if they start the fight.

- NO!
- no
- yes
- YES!

C21. I think sometimes it's okay to cheat at school.

- NO!
- no
- yes
- YES!

C22. It is important to be honest with your parents, even if they become upset or you get punished.

- NO!
- no
- yes
- YES!