A. BACKGROUND

1. Your sex: 1. Male  2. Female

2. How old were you at your last birthday: _____ years old.

3. How many siblings do you have?
   Biological siblings: _____ sisters  _____ brothers
   Half siblings: _____ half-sisters  _____ half-brothers
   Step siblings: _____ step-sisters  _____ step-brothers
   Other children who grew up with you (specify relationship): __________________________
   _____ girls  _____ boys

4. Your racial/ethnic identification:
   1. Asian
   2. African-American/Black
   3. Caucasian/White
   4. Native American/Pacific Islander
   5. Hispanic/Latino
   6. Other
   7. More than one race

5. What is your parents’ marital status? (circle a number to answer):
   1. Your biological parents are married to each other
   2. Your biological parents are not married but are currently together
   3. Your biological parents are separated or divorced
   4. Your biological parents never lived together
   5. One or both of your biological parents has died (___ Mother  ___Father)

6. If separated, divorced, or never together, what is the marital status of your biological mother?
   1. Single
   2. Remarried
   3. Living with partner
   4. Widowed
   5. Other __________________

7. If separated, divorced, or never together, what is the marital status of your biological father?
   1. Single
   2. Remarried
   3. Living with partner
   4. Widowed
   5. Other __________________

- If you have been raised exclusively by your biological parents, you should answer the following questions about them.
- If you have been raised by someone in addition to your biological parents, you should answer for the mother-figure and father-figure that currently have the biggest role in raising you.
- If you were raised by parents of the same sex, please explain under Other (for example, report on biological father as “Father” and other father as “Mother,” or biological mother as “Mother” and grandmother as “Father”).
8. Which mother-figure will you be describing (the person who has the biggest role in disciplining you)?
   1. Biological mother
   2. Adoptive mother
   3. Foster mother
   4. Stepmother
   5. Father’s girlfriend
   6. Other adult female relative (specify relationship)_________________
   7. Other (specify relationship and gender)______________________________

9. Which father-figure will you be describing (the person who had the biggest role in disciplining you)?
   1. Biological father
   2. Adoptive father
   3. Foster father
   4. Stepfather
   5. Mother’s boyfriend
   6. Other adult male relative (specify relationship)_________________
   7. Other (specify relationship and gender)______________________________

The following questions will refer to the mother-figure you listed above as “Mother” and the father-figure above as “Father.”

10. What was the last grade you finished in school? _____
    Are you still in school? Yes No

11. Please circle a number in each column for how much education your parents finished:

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12. Please estimate your family’s total household income before taxes for the last year:
   1. $0-$2,999
   2. $3,000-$7,999
   3. $8,000-$12,999
   4. $13,000-$19,999
   5. $20,000-$29,999
   6. $30,000-$39,999
   7. $40,000-$49,999
   8. $50,000-$59,999
   9. $60,000-$79,999
  10. $80,000-$99,999
  11. $100,000 and over

13. How many people (include both adults and children/stepchildren) lived on this income? ________
B. YOUR MISBEHAVIOR

1. Children misbehave in many different ways and in many different situations (e.g. bedtime, eating, picking up their belongings, disobedience, fights with siblings, etc.). Please list two examples of minor misbehaviors you have done in the past year, and two examples of serious misbehaviors in the past year.

MINOR
1. ___________________________________________________________________

MISBEHAVIORS
2. ___________________________________________________________________

SERIOUS
1. _____________________________________________________________________

MISBEHAVIORS
2. ___________________________________________________________________

We would like to find out how often you repeated a minor misbehavior after your parents corrected you, or engaged in a serious misbehavior. Please use this answer key:

HOW OFTEN IN THE PAST YEAR DID YOU?

5. Repeat a minor misbehavior after being corrected for it? N 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

6. Do a serious misbehavior? N 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

7. Who has the most responsibility for disciplining you? (circle one)
   1. My mother has much more responsibility for discipline than my father
   2. My mother has somewhat more responsibility than my father
   3. My parents share responsibility equally
   4. My father has somewhat more responsibility than my mother
   5. My father has much more responsibility than my mother
C. WHAT DID YOUR PARENTS DO TO CORRECT MISBEHAVIOR?

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N = Never
0 = Not in the past year, but in another year
1 = 1-2 times in the past year
2 = 3-5 times in the past year
3 = 6-9 times in the past year
4 = Monthly (10 to 14 times in the past year)
5 = A few times a month (2-3 times a month)
6 = Weekly (1-2 times a week)
7 = Several times a week (3-4 times)
8 = Daily (5 or more times a week)
9 = Two or more times a day
WHEN YOU MISBEHAVED (MINOR OR SEVERE)
IN THE PAST YEAR:

15. How often did your parents give you money or other material rewards for finally stopping something you had been told not to do, or for finally doing something you were expected to do but had not done?

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16. How often did your parents show or demonstrate to you the right thing to do?

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18. How often did your parents give you extra chores as a consequence?

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19. How often did your parents make you do something to make up for some misbehavior; for example, pay for a broken window?

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20. When you didn’t do jobs, were messy, or behaved badly to others, how often did your parents tell you that you were lazy, sloppy, thoughtless, or some other name like that?

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23. How often did your parents check on your behavior to catch you doing something right?

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24. How often did your parents make you apologize or say you were sorry for a misbehavior?

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25. How often did your parents wash your mouth out with soap, put hot sauce on your tongue, or something similar?

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26. How often did your parents ground you or restrict your activities outside the home because of misbehavior?

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D. OTHER THINGS THAT HAPPENED WHEN CORRECTING MISBEHAVIOR

These questions are about things your parents have done in the past year when they had to correct you for misbehavior, and about your reactions.

0. Never
1. Almost Never
2. Sometimes
3. Usually
4. Always or Almost Always

1. You know what behaviors your parents expect from you
   Mother: 0 1 2 3 4
   Father: 0 1 2 3 4

2. Your parents check to make sure you are behaving after they correct a misbehavior
   Mother: 0 1 2 3 4
   Father: 0 1 2 3 4

3. When correcting misbehavior, your parents do or say things to show that they love and support you
   Mother: 0 1 2 3 4
   Father: 0 1 2 3 4

4. Your parents make the consequences of misbehavior clear to you
   Mother: 0 1 2 3 4
   Father: 0 1 2 3 4

5. When your parents do something to correct misbehavior, you ignore it
   Mother: 0 1 2 3 4
   Father: 0 1 2 3 4

6. Your parents get very angry when you misbehave
   Mother: 0 1 2 3 4
   Father: 0 1 2 3 4

7. When you misbehave, your parents tend to act on the spur of the moment
   Mother: 0 1 2 3 4
   Father: 0 1 2 3 4

8. You think your parents do the right thing when they correct your misbehavior
   Mother: 0 1 2 3 4
   Father: 0 1 2 3 4

9. Your mother disagrees with the way your father corrects your misbehavior
   Your father disagrees with the way your mother corrects your misbehavior
   0 1 2 3 4

10. Your parents explain why they do what they do to correct you
    Mother: 0 1 2 3 4
    Father: 0 1 2 3 4

11. Your parents correct you again if you repeat a misbehavior
    Mother: 0 1 2 3 4
    Father: 0 1 2 3 4

12. When your parents correct a misbehavior, you know they still love you
    Mother: 0 1 2 3 4
    Father: 0 1 2 3 4

13. Your parents count to let you know that at the end of the count, they will do something else to correct the behavior
    Mother: 0 1 2 3 4
    Father: 0 1 2 3 4

14. Your parents have problems managing your misbehavior
    Mother: 0 1 2 3 4
    Father: 0 1 2 3 4
15. Your parents seem stressed out by your misbehavior
   Mother: 0 1 2 3 4
   Father: 0 1 2 3 4

16. Your parents seem to “lose it” when you misbehave
   Mother: 0 1 2 3 4
   Father: 0 1 2 3 4

17. You wish your parents would do things differently when correcting your misbehavior
   Mother: 0 1 2 3 4
   Father: 0 1 2 3 4

18. Your mother disagrees with your father’s rules for your behavior
    Your father disagrees with your mother’s rules for your behavior
    0 1 2 3 4

19. Your parents follow through on what they say they will do
   Mother: 0 1 2 3 4
   Father: 0 1 2 3 4

20. When your parents correct misbehavior, you still feel encouraged and supported
   Mother: 0 1 2 3 4
   Father: 0 1 2 3 4

21. Your parents change how they discipline you as you get older
   Mother: 0 1 2 3 4
   Father: 0 1 2 3 4

22. No matter what your parents try, they can not get you to behave
    Mother: 0 1 2 3 4
    Father: 0 1 2 3 4

23. Your parents make changes to their discipline when something does not work for you
    Mother: 0 1 2 3 4
    Father: 0 1 2 3 4
E. YOUR OPINIONS ABOUT DISCIPLINE

We would like to have your current opinion about how parents in general should discipline children who are around the same age as you.

**I THINK IT IS:**
1. Never OK
2. Rarely OK
3. Usually OK
4. Always or Almost Always OK

1. Explain what the rules are to children my age to try to prevent misbehavior
2. Take away allowance, toys, or other privileges from children my age because of misbehavior
3. Put children my age in “time out” (or send them to their room)
4. Shout or yell at children my age
5. Grab or shake children my age to get their attention
6. Give children my age something else to do instead of what they were doing wrong
7. Try to make children my age feel shamed or guilty
8. Deliberately not pay attention to a bad behavior of children my age
9. Spank, slap, smack, or swat children my age
10. Use an object such as a paddle, hairbrush, belt, etc. on children my age
11. Praise children my age for finally stopping something they had been told not to do or were expected to do but had not done
12. Hold back affection from children my age by acting cold or not giving hugs or kisses
13. Send children my age to bed without dinner
14. Let children my age know that you are watching or checking to see if the behavior happens again or continues
15. Give children my age money or other material rewards for finally stopping something they had been told not to do or for finally doing something they were expected to do but had not done
16. Show or demonstrate the right thing to do for a child my age
17. Let children my age misbehave so that they have to deal with the result of their behavior
18. Give children my age extra chores
19. Make children my age do something to make up for a misbehavior, for example, pay for a broken window
I THINK IT IS:
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20. When children my age don’t do their jobs, are messy, or behave badly to others, tell them that they are lazy, sloppy, thoughtless, or some other name like that

21. Withhold allowance, toys, or other privileges until children my age have completed a desired behavior

22. Check on children my age to catch them doing something wrong

23. Check on children my age to catch them doing something right

24. Make children my age apologize or say they are sorry for a misbehavior

25. Wash the mouths of children my age out with soap, put hot sauce on their tongue, or something similar

26. Ground children that age or restrict their activities outside the home because of misbehavior

THANK YOU FOR YOUR HELP WITH THIS IMPORTANT STUDY!!!