

Activity Survey: Questionnaire

This questionnaire asks about your health, activity and things which may affect the amount of activity you do.

Please complete this questionnaire as soon as is convenient and return it along with the red monitor and green activity diary at the end of the week. A pre-paid envelope is provided.

It is important that we receive this package as soon as possible after you have had the monitor for seven days.

All the information that you provide will be treated as strictly confidential and will only be seen by the Research Team. If you have any questions about this survey please phone us on 020 7830 2335.

Thank you very much for your help.

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1.0	,		/ 20					
4.4	Day	/ Mon	th / / 19	Year				
1.1	Day	/ Mon	th /	Year				
VOI	(This information is necessary for us to ensure that you are the c JR CURRENT HEALTH	orrect r	ecipient).					
2.0	f the followir	ng						
			Yes	No	Year of las			
а	Heart at (coronary thrombosis or myocardial infarc							
b	Heart fai	lure						
С	An	gina						
d	Other heart tro	uble						
е	Diab	etes						
f	Str	oke						
g	Osteopor	osis						
h	Arthritis affecting knees, hips or	feet						
i	Narrowing or hardening of the leg arte							
j	Chest trouble (eg bronchitis or emphyse	ema)						
k	Parkinson's dise	ase						
I	Depres	sion						
Sm	oking & Drinking				Yes	No		
3.0	Do you currently smoke cigarettes?							
3.1	Do you currently smoke cigars or a pipe?							
3.2	In the past week, how many units of alcohol have	you	drunk?					
	(1 unit is half a pint of beer, a glass of wine or sherry, or a	neasu	re of spiri	ts)	units/w	veek		
Wei	ight							
4.0	What is your present weight(indoor clothes, without	ut sho	es)?					
	Stones Pounds or				Kilograms			
	If you have no scales and have made an estimate please tick here							

5.0	Please indicate which statements best describe your health in the past week (tick one answer for each question)										
5.1	General Health						Е	xcelle			
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5.2	Pain / discomfor	't		I	have	no paiı	n or dis	scomfo	ort		
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				I have	extrer	ne paii	n or dis	scomfo	ort	ⅎ	
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5.3	Usual Activities	` •				•			,	Ц	
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5.4	Self Care	Ιh	ave no pr	oblems	with v	vashin	g and o	dressir	ng	\square_{l}	
	I hav	e some	problems	with w	ashing	and d	Iressin	g myse	elf	□₂	
			l a	am una	ble to	wash d	or dres	s myse	elf	$\square_{\!\scriptscriptstyle 3}$	
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5.5	Mobility				•		walkir			•	
				ave so	•			Ŭ		ㅁ.	
			ı	am con	itined t	to a ch	air /wh	eelcha	air	□ ₈	
5.6	Anxiety/Depress	sion:-		l ar	n not a	anxious	s or de	presse	ed	П	
			I am mod					•			
			I am ext	remely	anxio	us and	l /or de	presse	ed	□ ₈	
5.7	Health Scale										
0.7	We have drawn a		scale (rath	er like a	thermo	meter) (on whic	ch perf	ect hea	ılth is 1	00
	and very poor hea		the scale	to refle	ect hov	v aood	or had	l vour	health i	s todav	/
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										OFF	ICE USE

LONG	GSTANDING ILLNESS OR D	DISABILITY			Yes	No	
6.0	Do you have any long-stand	ding illness, disability of	or infirmity?				
"long-	standing" means anything whicl	n has troubled you over	a period of tir	ne or is likel	y to do s	0	
6.1	If YES , does this illne	ss or disability limit yo	ur activities i	n any way?	· 🗆		
6.2		do you receive	e a disability	allowance?	· 🗆		
7.0	7.0 Do you currently have difficulty carrying out any of the following activities on you as a result of a long term health problem? (tick one box for each statement)						
		No difficulty	Yes, a little difficulty		s, a lot lifficulty		
а	Going up or down stairs	□₁	\square_2		□₃	_	
b	Bending down	□₁	\square_2		\square_3		
С	Straightening up	□₁	\square_2		□₃		
d	Keeping your balance □₁ □₂						
е	Going out of the house □₁ □₂						
f	Walking 400 yards □₁ □₂						
8.0	8.0 Please indicate if you have difficulty doing any of the following activities: (tick one box)						
			No Difficulty	Some Difficulty	Unable or need		
а	Getting in and out of a chai	r on your own				-	
b	Dressing and undressing y	ourself on your own		\square_{2}		3	
С	Bathing or showering					3	
d	Feeding yourself, including	cutting food				3	
е	Shopping for personal item or medicine by yourself	s such as toilet items	□ 1	□ ²		3	
f	Doing light housework such	n as washing up		□₂		3	
g	Preparing your own meals	by yourself		□₂		3	
h	Using the telephone by you	ırself		□²		3	
i	Taking medications by you	rself		□ ²		3	
j	Managing money (e.g. payin	g bills etc)		□ ²		3	
k	Using public transport on year	our own		□²		3	
ı	Driving a car on your own.			□ 2		3	

YOU	JR MOBILITY								
9.0	Do you have any difficulties getting about outdoors? (tick one box only)								
	No difficulty □₁ Slight □₂ Moderate □₃ Severe □₄ Unable	to do	□5						
GOIN	GOING OUT OF THE HOUSE								
9.1	Thinking about the last seven days, on which days (if any) did you go out of house? (tick <u>all</u> that apply, it doesn't matter if you were wearing the monito	•)						
	Monday \square_1 Tuesday \square_1 Wednesday \square_1 Thursday	\Box_1							
	Friday □₁ Saturday □₁ Sunday □₁								
	I did not go out of the house in the last seven days □₁								
MOB	SILITY AIDS	Yes	No						
9.2	Do you use any mobility aids?								
9.3	If YES, which aids or appliances do you use to help with day to day act	ivities	?:						
	Walking stick \square_1 Toilet raised se	eat	\square_1						
	Walking frame □ ₁ Bath board/show	er	\square_1						
	Push wheelchair □₁ Extra rails in bathroo	m	\square_1						
	Electric wheelchair or mobility scooter \square_1 Stair	lift	□₁						
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FALI	LS	Yes	No						
10.0	Have you had a fall in the past 12 months?								
10.1	If YES , How many falls have you had in past 12 months?		_falls						
		Yes	No						
10.2	Did you receive medical attention for any of these falls?								
10.3	Did you suffer any of the following:								
а	Cuts and bruises	□₁							
b	Damage to muscle or ligament	\square_1							
С	Broken or fractured hip bone	□₁							
d	Broken or fractured wrist bone	\square_1							
е	Other Broken or fractured bone(s)	\Box_1							

10.4	At the present time, are you afraid that you may fall over? (tick one box)								
	Very fearful Somewhat fearful Not fearful								
	\square_1 \square_2 \square_3								

PHYS	ICAL ACTIVITY	
11.0	Do you make regular journeys every day or most days either walking or	cycling? (tick <u>one</u> box)
а	No	□₁
b	Walking	\square_2
С	Cycling	\square_3
d	Both	\square_4
11.1	How many hours do you normally spend walking (eg. on errands or for leaverage week?	eisure) in an
	Hours/week in winterHours/week in summer	
11.2	Which of the following best describes your usual walking pace? Slow	□₁
	Steady average	\square_2
	Fast	$\square_{\!\scriptscriptstyle 3}$
11.3	How long do you spend cycling in an average week?	
	Hours/week in WinterHours/week in Summer	
11.4	On a normal day, how many times do you climb a flight of stairs (assuming that 1 flight of stairs has 10 steps)?	
11.5	Compared with a man who spends four hours on most weekends on acti as walking, gardening, household chores, DIY projects, how physically a you consider yourself?	
	Much more active	\square_1
	More active	\square_2
	Similar	\square_3
	Less active	\square_{4}
	Much less active	\square_{5}

11.6	Do you take active sporting physical exercise such as running golf, tennis, squash, jogging, bowls, cycling, hiking, etc.?	ing, sw	imminç	g, danc	ing,
			No		կ
	Occasionally (less than on	ice a m	onth)		<u>l</u>
	Frequently (once a mo	nth or r	more)		ļ
11.7	If you ticked frequently , please list the types of activities:				
11.8	How many times a month (on average) do you take part in times /month in Winter times /month			es?	
		i iii Sui	IIIIIGI		
				Yes	No
11.9	Do you engage in exercises to increase muscle strength an endurance such as lifting weights, doing push-ups, using exmachines?				
11.10	If YES, on average, how many hours per week do you enga	_		exercise	s?
		hours/\	week		
				Yes	No
12.0	Do you own a dog at the moment?				
12.1	Do you regularly walk a dog at the moment?				
13.0	On a normal day, how many hours do you spend sitting (egor lying down, excluding your night time sleep?	g to eat	, read,	watch	
					TV)
	hours/day	y No	ne		TV)
14.0	On a normal day, how much time do you spend watching to and DVDs)?				ŕ
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BREA	On a normal day, how much time do you spend watching to and DVDs)? hours minutes/day THLESSNESS Do you ever get short of breath walking with other people	elevisio No Yes	n (inclione [Unal	ideos ole to

YOUR FEELINGS ABOUT EXERCISE (eg. going for a walk, doing particular sports, gardening or DIY)									
16.0	How much do you agree with the following statements about the exercise you do? (tick one box for each statement)								
		Strongly agree	Agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Disagree	Strongly disagree			
а	Makes me feel better physically	□₁		□₃	\square_4	\square_5			
b	Makes my mood better in general	\square_1	\square_2	\square_3	\square_4	\square_5			
С	Helps me feel less tired	□₁	\square_2	\square_3	\square_{4}	\square_5			
d	Makes my muscles stronger	\square_1	\square_2	\square_3	\square_4	\square_5			
е	Is an activity I enjoy doing		\square_2	\square_3	\square_4	\square_5			
f	Gives me a sense of personal accomplishment	□₁	\square_2	\square_3	□₄	\square_5			
g	Makes me more alert mentally		\square_2	\square_3	\square_4				
h	Improves my endurance in performing daily activities	□₁	\square_2	\square_3	\square_{4}	\square_{5}			
i	Helps to strengthen my bones	□₁	\square_2	\square_3	\square_4	\square_5			

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Helps to improve my balance and prevent me falling over

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HOW	YOU FEEL ABOUT EXERCIS	SE									
17.0	O Please indicate how confident you are that you could exercise (or walk) if you had to, for 20 minutes three times a week in each of the following cases: (tick one box for each statement)										
	Not confident Ver									/ conf	
	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8										10
а	If the weather was bothering you			\square_3			\square_6	□ ₇	□8	\square_9	
b	If you were bored by the activity	□₁	\square_2	\square_3	\square_4	\square_5	\square_6	\square_7	\square_8	\square_9	□10
С	If you felt pain when exercising			\square_3	\square_4		\square_6	□ ₇	□8	\square_9	□10
d	If you had to exercise alone	□₁		\square_3	\square_4	\square_5	\square_6	\square_7	□8	□,	□10
е	If you did not enjoy it	□₁		\square_3	\square_4	\square_5	\square_6	□7	□8	□ ₉	□10
f	If you were too busy with other activities	□₁		\square_3	\square_4	\square_5	\square_6	□ ₇	□8	\square_9	□10
g	If you felt tired	□₁	\square_2	\square_3	\square_4	\square_5	\square_6	\square_7	□8	□9	□10
h	If you felt stressed	□₁	\square_2	\square_3	\square_4	\square_5	\square_6	\square_7	□8	□9	□10
i	If you felt depressed	□₁		\square_3	□₄	\square_5	\square_6	□7	□8	□,	□10
YOUR	R FEELINGS										
18.0	Please tell us about how you	have	been	feelin	g in th	ne pas	st wee	k:		Yes	No
а		Ar	e you	basic	ally sa	atisfie	d with	your	life?		
b			Do	you '	feel th	at you	ur life	is em	pty?		
С	Are you afraid that	at som	ethin	g bad	is goi	ng to I	happe	n to y	ou?		
d			Do	you fe	el hap	ору т	ost of	the ti	me?		
е	Have you dr	opped	l man	y of yo	our ac	tivities	and i	intere	sts?		
f	Do you prefer to stay at ho	me, r	ather	than g	going (out to	do ne	w thir	ıgs?		

FAMI	LY AND FRIENDS		-				
19.0	FAMILY: Considering the people to	whom y	ou are r	related e	either by l	oirth or m	arriage:
		None	1	2	3 or 4	5 to 8	9 or more
а	How many relatives do you see or hear from at least once a month?			\square_3	$\square_{\!\scriptscriptstyle 4}$		
b	How many relatives do you feel emotionally close to, such that you could call on them for help?			\square_3	\square_4	\square_5	ㅁ
С	How many relatives do you feel at ease with that you can talk about private matters?		\square_2	\square_3	$\square_{\!\scriptscriptstyle 4}$		ㅁ
20.0	EDIENDS: Considering all of your fr	riondo in	oludina	thoso w	ha liva in	vour noi	abbourbood:
20.0	FRIENDS: Considering all of your fr	None	1	2	3 or 4		9 or more
а	How many friends do you see or hear from at least once a month?	□₁	\square_2	□₃	\square_4	\square_5	\square_6
b	How many friends do you feel emotionally close to, such that you could call on them for help?	□₁	\square_2	\square_3	$\square_{\!\scriptscriptstyle 4}$	\square_{5}	\square_6
С	How many friends do you feel at ease with that you can talk about private matters?	□₁	$\square_{\!\scriptscriptstyle 2}$	\square_3	$\square_{\!\scriptscriptstyle 4}$	ᄆᇸ	\square_6
PRES	SENT CIRCUMSTANCES						
21.0	Are you at present:					Single	□₁
					N	Married	\square_2
_					Wi	dowed	\square_3
				Divorce	ed or sep		□₄
						Other	→
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22.0	At present are you living:			At ho	me, with	family	\square_1
					At home,	alone	\square_2
				In a re	esidential	home	\square_3
				In a	a nursing	home	\square_4

The next questions ask about *your* local area. We want to know how you feel about the place that you live, and what it is like to live there.

YOUR	YOUR LOCAL AREA Yes No										
23.0	Would you say that this is an	area in which	ch you er	njoy living	?		. 🗖				
23.1	Please rate the following thing	gs in your Ic	ocal area	and neig		ne box on ea	ach line)				
			Very Good	Good	Average	Poor	Very Poor				
а	Social and leisure activities for like yourself	or people			\square_3		ᄆ				
b	Facilities for people of your ag	ge	\square_1	\square_2	\square_3	$\square_{\!\scriptscriptstyle 4}$	口。				
С	The quality & frequency of rul collection			\square_3		ц					
d	Your local health service (e.g or the local hospital)	\square_1	\square_2	\square_3	$\square_{\!\scriptscriptstyle 4}$	Д					
е	Local transport to where you					밐					
f	Your area for having somewh go for a walk	ere nice to		\square_2	\square_3		밐				
23.2	In the area you live in, how sa	afe (from cri	me) do y	ou feel w	hen:						
		Very Safe	Fairly Safe	A bit unsafe	Very unsafe	Never (_				
а	Walking alone in the daytime	□₁		\square_3	□₄		5				
b	Walking alone after dark	□₁	\square_2	\square_3	□₄		5				
23.3	How much do you agree with	the followin	ng statem				d?				
	•	Strongly agree	Agree	Neither nor dis	r agree Sagree	agree di	trongly sagree				
	Your neighbourhood has lots of green space.		\square_{2}		3	$\square_{\!\scriptscriptstyle 4}$	\square_5				

23.4	In your neighbourhood, how much of a problem are the following?			
		Serious problem	Minor problem	Not a problem
а	The speed of traffic?			\square_3
b	The volume of traffic?			\square_3
С	Noise (eg. neighbours, traffic)	□₁		\square_3
d	The amount of crime?	□₁		\square_3
е	The quality of air you breathe?	□₁		\square_3
f	Rubbish or litter lying around?	□₁		\square_3
g	Graffiti and vandalism?	□₁		\square_3
h	Uneven or dangerous pavements?	□₁		\square_3
			Yes No	Someone else shops for me
24.0	Do you do most of your shopping (food, honecessities etc) at shops within easy walkin (less than 15 minutes) of your home?		- -	
25.0	How do you mostly go shopping?(tick one box only)			
	Walking □₁ By bus □₂ Other public	transport [_₃ Dial a ric	le □₄
	By taxi □ ₅ Drive myself □ ₆ A friend/re	lative drives n	ne <u>□</u> 7 Inter	net delivery □ ₈
	I don't go shopping □9			
TDAN	SPORT			Yes No
26.0	Do you own a car?			
26.1	Do you drive a car?			
26.2	Which of the following means of transport of	do vou use re	nularly2 (tick s	
20.2				
	-	cle □ ₁ V	/alk □₁ Di	al a ride □1
	Not applicable □₁			

Thank you very much for completing the questionnaire.

Please return it to us, along with the green activity diary and red monitor, in the pre-paid envelope provided.