

SCHOOL HEALTH PROMOTION STUDY 2019: Questionnaire for the 1st and 2nd grade in vocational education institution

# Welcome to the School Health Promotion study!

- Let others work in peace and ensure that you can complete your form in peace yourself. Do not look at what other people are doing. Focus on your own answers.
- Choose the option that most closely matches your opinion or experience.

All information on this form will be processed in strict confidence. You do not need to give your name at any time. No one except the researchers will ever see this form. Participation is voluntary. Answers will be grouped, not processed individually. Answer all questions honestly.

The responses will be used for improving the services for young people, developing your educational institution's operations, and scientific research purposes. The information will be stored at the National Institute for Health and Welfare.

# **Background information**

- 1. What is your official gender?
  - o Boy
  - o Girl
- 2. Do you feel you are a...
  - o Boy
  - o Girl
  - o Both
  - Neither
  - o It varies

## 3. In what year were you born?

- o 1990 or earlier
- 0 1991
- o 1992
- 0 1993
- 0 1994
- 0 1995
- 0 1996
- 0 1997
- 0 1998
- o 1999
- o 2000
- o 2001
- o 2002
- o 2003
- 0 2004
- o 2005
- o 2006 or later

## 4. In what month were you born?

- January
- o February
- o March
- o April
- May
- o June
- o July
- o August
- o September
- October
- November
- o December

### 5. Field of education

- Humanities and education
- Culture
- o Social sciences, business and administration
- Natural sciences
- o Technology and transport
- o Natural resources and the environment
- o Social services, health and sports
- Tourism, catering and domestic services

## 6. What year are you in?

- o 1st year student
- 2nd year student
- o 3rd year student

- 7. Are you studying for a double or triple qualification in upper secondary school or at a vocational education institution?
  - o Yes
  - o No

# **Studies**

- 8. How do you like studying at this moment? I like studying
  - Very much
  - o Quite a lot
  - o Fairly little
  - Not at all
- 9. What do you think about your group?
- o Fully agree
- o Agree
- Disagree
- o Fully disagree

It's peaceful to work in my group

The atmosphere in our group is such that I dare to express my opinion freely

The students in my group get along well

10. What do you think about your teachers?

- Fully agree
- o Agree
- o Disagree
- Fully disagree

Teachers encourage me to express my opinions in class

Teachers are interested in how I am doing

Teachers treat us students fairly

11. What possibilities have you had to influence the following things at your school during **this school year**?

- Very good
- o Fairly good
- Neither good nor poor
- o Fairly poor
- Very poor

Contributing to lesson arrangements (e.g. working methods)

Study planning (placement of lessons, starting time of the day, examination arrangements, etc.)

Design or implementation of activities during recess or break

Drawing up ground rules for the school

Designing or improving outdoor areas at the school

School meals (menus, making the lunch room pleasant, etc.)

Organising theme days, celebrations, excursions or school trip

12. I feel I am an important member of

- Fully agree
- o Agree
- o Neither agree nor disagree
- o Disagree
- Fully disagree

My classroom community

My school community

13. How do you feel about recesses and breaks?

- Fully agree
- Agree
- Neither agree nor disagree
- Disagree
- o Fully disagree

I am frightened of recesses or of going to recess

I feel lonely at recesses

I would like to have more organised programme at recesses

14. Are you experiencing difficulties in any of the following thing:
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- Not at all
- Fairly little
- Quite a lot
- Very much

Following the teaching in class

Doing homework or other school tasks

**Preparing for exams** 

Performing tasks that require writing

Performing tasks that require reading

Performing tasks that require calculation

**Performing practical assignments** 

**Oral presentations** 

**Answering in class** 

Using devices used for studying (digital technology or software)

# 15. Have any of the following things bothered you at your school during **this** school year?

- Not at all
- o Some
- A lot

Too hot inside

Too cold inside

**Stuffy air (bad indoor air)** 

**Unpleasant odour** 

**Crowded teaching spaces** 

Noise

Lighting too bright or too dim

Uncomfortable chairs, desks or other furniture

Poor facilities (toilets, changing rooms, showers)

## 16. During this school year, how often have you experienced the following?

- Not at all
- o A few times in the year
- o Every month
- o Every week
- o Daily or almost daily

#### **Being late**

Being absent without permission, skipping school

Absences due to illness

- 17. Have you had any of the following feelings relating to your studies?
  - o Hardly ever
  - o A few times a month
  - o A few days a week
  - o Almost daily

I feel overwhelmed by school work
It feels like my studies have no meaning
I feel inadequate at my studies

# Bullying

In this questionnaire, bullying refers to the harassment of a student by another student or a group of students either verbally or physically. Teasing a student **repeatedly** in ways he or she does not like is also considered bullying. An argument between two roughly **equal** students is not considered bullying.

- 18. How often have you been bullied at school during **this semester**?
  - o Several times a week
  - About once a week
  - Less frequently
  - o Not at all
- 19. How often have you participated in bullying other students during **this** semester?
  - Several times a week
  - About once a week
  - Less frequently
  - o Not at all

If you have not been bullied and have not participated in bullying at school during this semester, go to question 22.

- 20. Have you told any adult at your school about bullying at the school during **this** semester?
  - o Yes
  - o No (go to question 22)
- 21. What has happened since you reported the bullying?
  - The bullying stopped
  - o There is less bullying now
  - o The bullying continued as before
  - o The bullying got worse
  - o Don't know

# Health

- 22. How is your health in general?
  - o Very good
  - o Fairly good
  - o Average
  - o Fairly bad or very bad
- 23. Height and weight (in integers)

Height \_\_\_\_ cm

Weight \_\_\_\_ kg

24. In the last **six months**, have you experienced any of the following symptoms, and how often?

- Seldom or never
- o Approximately once a month
- o Approximately once a week
- Almost daily

Neck or shoulder pain

Lower back pain

Stomach ache

Trouble falling asleep or waking up during the night

Headache

**Tiredness or dizziness** 

- 25. Do you have a chronic illness or health problem diagnosed by a physician?
  - o No
  - o Yes
- 26. Which of the following do you find easy or difficult?
  - No difficulties
  - Some difficulty
  - A lot of difficulty
  - o Cannot do at all

Do you have difficulty seeing (if you wear glasses or contact lenses, evaluate your vision while wearing them)?

Do you have difficulty hearing people's voices (if you use a hearing aid, evaluate your hearing with your hearing aid on)

Do you have difficulty walking about 500 m, for example once around a sports field?

Do you have difficulty with self-care, such as eating or putting on your shoes?

When you speak, do you have difficulty being understood by people outside your family?

- 27. Which of the following do you find easy or difficult?
  - No difficulties
  - Some difficulty
  - A lot of difficulty
  - o Cannot do at all

Do you have difficulty learning things?

Do you have difficulty remembering things?

Do you have difficulty concentrating on an activity that you enjoy doing?

Do you have difficulty accepting changes in your routine?

Do you have difficulty controlling your behaviour?

Do you have difficulty making friends?

## Mood

28. Over the **last 2 weeks**, how often have you been bothered by the following problems?

- o Not at all
- Several days
- More than half the days
- Nearly every day

Feeling nervous, anxious or on edge

Not being able to stop or control worrying

Worrying too much about different things

Trouble relaxing

Being so restless that it is hard to sit still

Becoming easily annoyed or irritable

Feeling afraid as if something awful might happen

Little interest in or little pleasure from doing various things

Low spirits, depression, feeling of hopelessness

29. Below you will find a number of claims about different features of your moods. Select one option in each group of sentences that best describes the way you feel at the moment.

- o I do not feel sad.
- o I feel blue or sad.
- o I am blue or sad all the time and I can't snap out of it.
- o I am so sad or unhappy that I can't stand it.
- o I am not particularly pessimistic or discouraged about the future.
- o I feel discouraged about the future.
- o I feel I have nothing to look forward to.
- o I feel that the future is hopeless and that things cannot improve.
- o I get as much satisfaction out of things as I used to.
- o I don't enjoy things the way I used to.
- o I don't get real satisfaction out of anything anymore.
- o I am dissatisfied or bored with everything.
- o I don't feel particularly guilty.
- o I feel guilty a good part of the time.
- o I feel quite guilty most of the time.
- o I feel guilty all of the time.

- o I don't feel disappointed in myself.
- o I am disappointed in myself.
- o I am disgusted with myself.
- o I hate myself.
- o I make decisions about as well as I ever could.
- o I put off making decisions more than I used to.
- o I have greater difficulty in making decisions more than I used to.
- o I can't make decisions at all anymore
- 30. Have you been worried about your mood during the past 12 months?
  - o No (go to question 32)
  - o Yes, and I have told someone about it
  - o Yes, but I have not told anyone about it
- 31. Have you received support and help concerning your mood during the past **12** months?
  - o Yes, a lot
  - o Yes, some
  - o No, but I would have needed it
  - I have not needed any help

From your school's adults (teacher, school health nurse, physician, psychologist, social worker)

From services outside the school (health centre, mental health services, youth services, etc.)

From your own parents

From friends and relatives

# Friends

- 32. At the moment, do you have a close friend with whom you can talk confidentially about almost everything concerning yourself?
  - o I do not have any close friends
  - o I have one close friend
  - o I have two close friends
  - o I have several close friends

- 33. Do you ever feel lonely?
  - Never
  - Very rarely
  - Sometimes
  - o Fairly often
  - o All the time

# Dating and sexual health

- 34. Which of the following best describes your sexual orientation at this moment?
  - o Straight
  - o Bisexual or pansexual
  - o Gay
  - o None of the above
  - o Don't know
- 35. Are you dating at this moment?
  - o No (go to question 37)
  - Yes
- 36. How do the following things describe your current dating?
  - o Fully agree
  - Agree
  - o Neither agree nor disagree
  - o Disagree
  - Fully disagree

In can be fully myself in my relationship with my partner

I am happy with my body

My partner appreciates my body

I can trust my partner fully

We talk to each other respectfully

We are able to express closeness and love for each other in our relationship

- 37. Have you ever had sexual intercourse (vaginal or anal intercourse)?
  - o No (go to question 39)
  - Yes

38. What did you use for contraception the last time you had sexual intercourse? *You may choose several options*.

- o Condom
- o Birth control pills, contraceptive ring or contraceptive patch
- o Hormonal IUD
- o Emergency contraception after intercourse
- o Some other method
- Nothing, we want to have a baby
- Nothing, for other reasons
- o Don't know
- 39. Have you had other types of sex besides intercourse (vaginal or anal intercourse)?
  - o No (go to question 41)
  - Yes
- 40. How many sexual partners have you had in your life?

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- 41. Do you need one of the following?
- Yes
- o No
- o Don't know

An opportunity to talk to somebody about relationships and sexuality

More information about the body

More information about the possibility of getting pregnant

**Free condoms** 

**Cheaper methods of contraception** 

More information about sexually transmitted diseases

More information about how to order a chlamydia test

Clinics providing tests and advice that are open at weekends or in the evenings

Female or male circumcisions are practiced in some countries, and they may affect health.

Male **non-medical** circumcision is a procedure where a piece of foreskin is removed from the penis based on cultural or religious reasons.

Female circumcision is a procedure where female external genital organs are partially or completely removed or harmed in another way based on cultural or other **non-medical** reasons.

## 42. Have you been circumcised?

- o No
- Yes
- Don't know

# Brushing your teeth

## 43. How often do you brush your teeth?

- Never
- Less often than once a week
- o At least once a week, but not every day
- o Once a day
- More than once a day

# Meals

44. How often do you have the following meals during a school week?

- o On 5 days
- o On 3-4 days
- o On 1-2 days
- Never

### **Breakfast**

**School lunch** 

# Sleeping

45. At what time do you usually go to bed? *Please give an answer to both parts of the question*.

## On weekdays

#### On weekends

- o At about 19.00 or earlier
- o At about 19.30
- o At about 20.00
- o At about 20.30
- o At about 21.00
- o At about 21.30
- o At about 22.00
- o At about 22.30
- At about 23:00
- o At about 23:30
- o At about midnight
- o At about 00.30
- At about 01.00
- At about 01.30
- o At about 02.00
- At about 02.30
- At about 03.00
- o At about 03.30
- o At about 04.00 or later

46. At what time do you usually wake up? *Please give an answer to both parts of the question*.

### On weekdays

#### On weekends

- o At about 05.00 or earlier
- o At about 05.30
- o At about 06.00
- o At about 06.30
- o At about 07.00
- o At about 07.30
- o At about 08.00
- o At about 08.30
- At about 09.00
- At about 09.30At about 10.00
- O At about 10.00
- At about 10.30At about 11.00
- o At about 11.30
- At about 11.30At about 12.00
- o At about 12.30
- o At about 13.00 or later

# Physical exercise

- 47. During **your spare time**, how many hours per week do you usually engage in physical exercise that causes shortness of breath and sweating?
  - o None
  - o About 0.5 hours
  - About 1 hour
  - o About 2 to 3 hours
  - o About 4 to 6 hours
  - o About 7 hours or more
- 48. How often do you take exercise or participate in sports led by an instructor or on your own initiative **in your leisure time**?
  - Almost daily
  - o Every week
  - Every month
  - o Less frequently
  - Never

In instructor-led classes, training sessions or competitions/matches organised by a club or an organisation

### On my own initiative

In this questionnaire, physical exercise is any activity that increases your heart rate and causes shortness of breath for a while, for example in sports activities, playing games with friends, on the way to or from school, at recess or in PE class. Examples of physical exercise include brisk walking, running and cycling.

- 49. Think about all the moving around you have done over the past **7 days**. On how many days have you been on the move for at least one hour per day?
  - o On 0 days
  - o On 1 day
  - o On 2 days
  - o On 3 days
  - On 4 days
  - o On 5 days
  - On 6 days
  - o On 7 days

# Smoking and other intoxicants

- 50. How many cigarettes, pipefuls and cigars have you smoked altogether?
  - o None (go to question 53)
  - Just one (go to question 53)
  - o About 2–50
  - o More than 50
- 51. Which of the following alternatives best describes your **current smoking** habits?
  - o I smoke once a day or more often
  - o I smoke once a week or more often, but not every day
  - o I smoke less often than once a week
  - o I have quit smoking (temporarily or permanently)
- 52. How often do you smoke at school?
- o Never
- Occasionally
- o Every day

At school, in the school grounds

Near the school during school hours

53. Have you ever used any of these?

- o Not at all
- I have tried it once or twice
- o I use it now and then
- o I use it every day
- o I used to use it, but I quit

Snuff

Water pipe (hookah/shisha)

54. Do you smoke e-cigarettes that contain the following substances? *Please give an answer for each item*.

- o Not at all
- o I have tried it once or twice
- o I use it now and then
- o I use it every day
- o I used to use it, but I quit

#### **Nicotine**

**Tobacco flavours** 

Other flavourings (e.g. fruit)

Other

55. Where did you get the tobacco products that you have used in the **past 30** days? *Please give an answer to both parts of the question*.

### **Cigarettes**

#### Snuff

- o I have not used any in the past 30 days
- o I bought them at a shop myself
- o I bought them myself at a mini market (kiosk) or petrol station
- o I bought them myself at a restaurant or bar
- o I bought them myself on a ship or abroad
- o I ordered them online
- o I got them through the social media
- o Parents or older siblings got them or offered them
- o I took them from home without permission
- o My friends got them or offered them
- o Another adult or an unknown person got them or offered them
- Other

56. Where did you get the e-cigarettes or e-cigarette accessories that you have used in the **past 30 days**? *Please give an answer for all items*.

## **E-cigarettes**

### E-liquid nicotine

#### Other liquids

- o I have not used any in the past 30 days
- o I bought them at a shop myself
- o I bought them myself at a mini market (kiosk) or petrol station
- o I bought them myself at a restaurant or bar
- o I bought them myself on a ship or abroad
- I ordered them online
- o I got them through the social media
- o Parents or older siblings got them or offered them
- o I took them from home without permission
- o My friends got them or offered them
- o Another adult or an unknown person got them or offered them
- o Other

# 57. What do you think about the warnings on tobacco product packages you have seen in the **past six months**?

- I have not seen a tobacco product package
- I have not noticed the warnings
- o The warnings made me think about quitting smoking
- o The warnings made me think about never starting smoking
- o They did not make me think about anything much

## 58. During your life, have your parents smoked?

#### **Mother**

#### **Father**

#### Other parent

- o Never smoked
- Used to smoke but has quit
- Smokes nowadays
- o Don't know

# 59. On the whole, how often do you consume alcohol, a half-bottle of beer or more, for example?

- Once a week or more often
- o A couple of times a month
- o About once a month
- Less frequently
- o I do not drink alcoholic beverages (go to question 62)

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- o Once a week or more often
- o About 1 to 2 times a month
- Less frequently
- o Never

61. How did	you get the alco	holic beverages	you consumed	last time?
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o Yes

o No

I bought them at Alko myself

I bought them at a shop myself

I bought them myself at a mini market (kiosk) or petrol station

I bought them myself at a restaurant or bar

I bought them myself on a ship or abroad

My father or mother got them or offered them

Older siblings got them or offered them

I took them from home without permission

My friends got them or offered them

Another adult or an unknown person got them or offered them

- 62. In your opinion, does one of your parents consume too much alcohol?
  - o No (go to question 64)
  - o Yes
- 63. Has this caused you harm?
  - o No
  - Yes

64. Have you ever tried or used the following substances?

- Never
- o Once
- o 2 to 4 times
- o 5 times or more

Marijuana or hashish (cannabis)

Sniffing a narcotic substance (glue, butane, etc.) to become intoxicated

Drugs (sedatives, sleeping pills, painkillers) or alcohol and drugs combined to become intoxicated

Ecstasy, amphetamines, Subutex, heroin, cocaine, LSD, gamma or similar narcotic substances

A narcotic substance that you did not know what it was

65. Consider the **past 30 days**. During this period, how many times have you used the narcotic substances mentioned in the previous question?

- Not at all
- o Once
- o 2 to 4 times
- o 5 times or more

Marijuana or hashish (cannabis)

Another of the narcotic substances mentioned in the previous question

66. In your opinion, what opportunities does a person your age have to obtain narcotics, such as marijuana or hashish (cannabis), where you live?

- o Very easy
- Fairly easy
- o Fairly difficult
- Very difficult
- o Don't know

- 67. People have differing views on what is acceptable and what is not. Do you find the following acceptable for people of your age?
  - o Yes
  - o No
  - o Don't know

**Smoking** 

**Using snuff** 

**Smoking e-cigarettes** 

Consuming small amounts of alcohol

Consuming alcohol enough to get drunk

Smoking marijuana (cannabis)

# **Accidents**

68. During **this school year**, have you had an accident at school or on your way to or from school that has required the medical attention of a physician, school health nurse or nurse?

- No, never
- o Once
- o Twice or more often

**During recess** 

**During PE class** 

**During some other class** 

**During a work placement period** 

On my way to or from school

69. During **this school year**, have you had an accident **not** on a school day and **not** on your way to or from school that has required the medical attention of a physician, public health nurse or nurse?

- o No, never
- o Once
- o Twice or more often

While operating a motor vehicle or as a passenger
When riding a bicycle
When walking (e.g. being hit or run over by a car)
In sports at a sports club or at a hobby
At home or in the garden
At work or at the workplace

70. During **this school year**, have you had an accident while intoxicated that has required the medical attention of a physician, public health nurse or nurse?

o No, never

In other leisure time

- o Once
- o Twice or more often

# Harassment and violence

## **Physical violence**

71. During the past 12 months, have you experienced any of the following?

- Yes
- o No

Someone stole or attempted to steal something from you by using violence or threats of violence

Someone stole something from you otherwise

Someone threatened to harm you physically

Someone attacked you physically (hitting, kicking, or by using a weapon)

### Sexual harassment and violence

You have the right to decide how you want to be touched. If somebody has touched you in a way that you find confusing or upsetting or forced you to touch them, it is important that you tell an adult you can trust. For example, you can tell your teacher or the nurse at your educational institution.

72. Have you experienced inappropriate sexual proposals or harassment during the past **12 months**?

YesNo

On the phone or online

At your educational institution

During an on-the-job learning period

In your hobbies

In the street, at a shopping centre or in another public space

In your home, in another person's home or in another private space

If you answered 'no' to all items in the previous question, you can go to question 74.

73. Who harassed you sexually in the manner described in the previous question in the last **12 months**? *You may select several persons*.

- o A friend or other child/adolescent you know
- o An adult in your family (mother, stepmother, father, stepfather, someone your parent is dating)
- o Foster family mother or father
- Sibling (sister, brother, half-sister, half-brother)
- o Other relative (grandparent, aunt, uncle, cousin)
- o Instructor or carer at a family care home or a child welfare institution
- o Teacher or other adult at your school
- o Coach at a hobby, instructor or similar
- o Stranger
- Other person

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YesNo

### **Being forced to undress**

Unwanted touching of intimate parts of the body

Being pressured or coerced into sexual intercourse or other sexual acts

Being offered money, goods or intoxicants in exchange for

If you answered 'no' to all items in the previous question, you can go to question 76.

# 75. Who subjected you to the sexual violence described in the previous question in the last **12 months**? *You may select several persons*.

- o A friend or other child/adolescent you know
- o An adult in your family (mother, stepmother, father, stepfather, someone your parent is dating)
- o Foster family mother or father
- o Sibling (sister, brother, half-sister, half-brother)
- Other relative (grandparent, aunt, uncle, cousin)
- o Instructor or carer at a family care home or a child welfare institution
- o Teacher or other adult at your school
- o Coach at a hobby, instructor or similar
- Stranger
- Other person

# 76. Have you told an adult you can trust about the harassment or sexual violence you experienced in the last **12 months**?

- o Yes
- o No
- o I have not experienced harassment or violence (go to question 78)

77. Have you received support and help concerning the sexual harassment or violence you have experienced during the past **12 months**?

- o Yes, a lot
- o Yes, some
- o No, but I would have needed it
- o I have not needed any help

From your educational institution's adults (teacher, school health nurse, physician, psychologist, social worker)

From services outside the educational institution (health centre, police, child welfare services, etc.)

From your own parents

From friends and relatives

## Violence in the family

In these questions parents mean, for example, your mother or stepmother, father or stepfather, adopted parents, foster family parents or instructors at a child welfare institution.

78. Did your parent for long periods of time not provide **you** with enough food or drink, clean clothes, or a clean and warm place to live?

- Never
- o Once or twice in my life
- o Several times in my life

79. Did a parent swear at **you**, insult **you**, humiliate **you**, threaten **you** or make **you** feel unwanted?

- Never
- o Once or twice in my life
- o Several times in my life

# 80. Has one of your parents done any of the following **to you** in the past **12 months**?

- o No
- o 1 to 2 times
- o 3 times or more
- They have but I cannot remember the number of times

Refused to talk to you for a long time
Verbally abused you, for example called you names
Humiliated or embarrassed you
Threatened to abandon you or leave you alone
Thrown, hit or kicked things (e.g. slammed doors)

Locked you up

Threatened you with violence

If you answered 'no' to all items in the previous question, you can go to question 82.

- 81. Who has done the things described in the previous question **to you** in the past **12 months**? *You may select several persons*.
  - o Mother or stepmother
  - o Father or stepfather
  - o Foster family mother
  - Foster family father
  - o Instructor or carer at a family care home or a child welfare institution
  - Other parent or guardian
- 82. And have you personally seen or heard someone in your family doing one of the following to another member of your family in the past 12 months?
  - Yes
  - o No

Refused to talk to them for a long time

Verbally abused them, for example called them names

**Humiliated or embarrassed them** 

Threatened to abandon them or leave them alone

Thrown, hit or kicked things (e.g. slammed doors)

Locked them up

Threatened them with violence

In these questions parents mean, for example, your mother or stepmother, father or stepfather, adopted parents, foster family parents or instructors at a child welfare institution.

- 83. Did a parent hit, beat, kick or physically try to hurt **you** in any way?
  - o Never
  - o Once or twice in my life
  - o Several times in my life
- 84. Has one of your parents done any of the following **to you** in the past **12 months**?
  - o No
  - o 1 to 2 times
  - o 3 times or more
  - They have but I cannot remember the number of times

Grabbed you so hard that it hurt

Pushed or shaken you angrily

**Pulled your hair** 

Slapped you

Hit you with their fist or an object

**Kicked** you

Otherwise hurt you physically

If you answered 'no' to all items in the previous question, you can go to question 86.

- 85. Who has done the things described in the previous question **to you** in the past **12 months**? *You may select several persons*.
  - o Mother or stepmother
  - o Father or stepfather
  - o Foster family mother
  - o Foster family father
  - o Instructor or carer at a family care home or a child welfare institution
  - o Other parent or guardian

86. And have you personally seen or heard someone in your family doing one of the following **to another member of your family** in the past **12 months**?

- o Yes
- o No

Grabbed them so hard that it hurt

Pushed or shaken them angrily

**Pulled their hair** 

Slapped them

Hit them with their fist or with an object

**Kicked them** 

Otherwise hurt them physically

87. Have you reported the mental or physical violence you have experienced in your family during the past **12 months** to an adult you trust?

- o Yes
- o No
- o I have not experienced violence in my family (go to question 89)

88. Have you received help and support regarding the violence you have experienced in your family in the past **12 months**?

- o Yes, a lot
- o Yes, some
- o No, but I would have needed it
- o I have not needed any help

From your educational institution's adults (teacher, school health nurse, physician, psychologist, social worker)

From services outside the educational institution (health centre, police, child welfare services, etc.)

From your own parents

From friends and relatives

If you have experienced harassment or violence, it is very important that you tell an adult. For example, you can talk to your teacher or the nurse at your educational institution. You can also call the helpline for children and young people maintained by the Mannerheim League for Child Welfare, or Victim Support Finland.

# Getting help and services

The school health nurse and physician regularly conduct medical examinations on students. Usually the school health nurse invites students to examinations or books them an appointment. Students may also visit the school health nurse or physician as needed.

89. During **this school year**, have you visited your school's nurse, physician, social worker or psychologist?

- $\circ$  No, there was no need for it
- No, I tried but could not get an appointment
- o Yes, 1–2 times
- o Yes, 3–5 times
- Yes, more than 5 times

School health nurse, other than for a regular checkup Physician, other than for a regular checkup Social worker

**Psychologist** 

90. During **this school year**, how easy has it been to get an appointment with your school's nurse, physician, social worker or psychologist?

- Very easy
- Fairly easy
- Neither easy nor difficult
- Fairly difficult
- o Very difficult

School health nurse, other than for a regular checkup

Physician, other than for a regular checkup

Social worker

**Psychologist** 

91. When did you last have a **health examination** provided by school health care? Select one option for both nurse and physician.

- o Upper-level comprehensive school
- o 1st year of studies
- o 2nd year of studies
- o Don't know

School health nurse

**Physician** 

92.	How were	the follo	owing things	at vour	latest	nealth	examination	n?
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- o Fully agree
- o Agree
- o Neither agree nor disagree
- o Disagree
- o Fully disagree

Issues that are important to me were addressed

My views were listened to

Things about my home were discussed

I was able to talk about my situation honestly

- 93. Is there an adult at your educational institution with whom you can talk about things that worry you if necessary?
  - o No
  - Yes
  - o Don't know
- 94. During **this school year**, have you been given support and help for your wellbeing by the following adults at your school?
  - o Yes, a lot
  - o Yes, some
  - o No, but I would have needed it
  - o I have not needed any help

**School health nurse** 

**Physician** 

**Psychologist** 

**Social worker** 

**Teacher** 

Other adult at your educational institution

# Family and housing

## 95. Where do you live? Select the option that best describes your situation.

- o In a shared home with my parents (go to question 97)
- o I live roughly for the same length of time with both parents, who do not live together, for example in alternative weeks (go to question 97)
- o I mainly live with one of my parents and stay with the other parent from time to time, for example at weekends (go to question 97)
- With one of my parents (go to question 97)
- o I live with my grandparents or other relatives, without my parents
- o I live in a foster family (go to question 97)
- o At a children's home, a youth home or a reform school (go to question 97)
- o I live in a family home (go to question 97)
- In a dormitory (go to question 97)
- o In a shared apartment or household (go to question 97)
- o Independently, for example in a rented home or a home owned by me (go to question 97)
- o I live with my spouse (married or cohabiting) (go to question 97)
- o I live with my spouse and child/children (go to question 97)
- o I live alone with a child/children (go to question 97)
- o I live with my parents together with my child/children (go to question 97)
- o None of the above (go to question 97)

## 96. Why are you living with your grandparents or other relatives?

- A social worker has told me where to live
- For other reasons
- o Cannot say

# 97. Which of the following describe your family? *You can select more than one answer*.

- o I have one parent
- I have two parents
- I have more than two parents
- o I have no parents, or I have no contact with my parents
- My parents are divorced
- I live in a blended family
- I live in a rainbow family
- o There are twins, triplets or quadruplets in my family
- I am adopted

98. Are you helping or caring for a family member or some other person close to you who has, for example, a serious illness or an injury or who is very old?

- o This situation or need for help does not concern my family
- o A few times in the year
- o Every month
- o Every week
- o Daily or almost daily

## 99. What is the highest educational level your parents have achieved?

#### Mother

#### **Father**

## Other parent

- o Comprehensive school or equivalent
- o Upper secondary school, high school or vocational education education institution
- Occupational studies in addition to upper secondary school, high school or vocational education institution
- o University, university of applied sciences or other higher education institution

## 100. How would you rate your family's financial situation?

- o Very good
- o Fairly good
- Moderate
- Fairly poor
- o Very poor

# 101. In which country were you and your parents born? *Please enter an answer for all of you*.

## You yourself

#### **Mother**

#### **Father**

- o Finland
- Sweden
- o Estonia
- o Russia or the former Soviet Union
- o Former Yugoslavia
- Other European country
- o Somalia
- o Iraq
- o Iran
- Afghanistan
- o China
- Thailand
- o Vietnam
- Other country

## 102. How long have you lived in Finland?

- o All my life
- o More than 10 years, but not always
- o 5-10 years
- o 1-4 years
- o Less than 1 year

## 103. Can you talk about things that concern you with your parents?

- Hardly ever
- Occasionally
- o Fairly often
- o Often

# Satisfaction with life in general

104. How satisfied are you with your life at the moment?

- Very satisfied
- o Fairly satisfied
- o Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied
- o Fairly dissatisfied
- o Very dissatisfied

105. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statements? For each statement, please select the alternative that best describes your personal experience.

- Fully agree
- o Agree
- Neither agree nor disagree
- o Disagree
- o Fully disagree

I feel that what I do every day is significant

I get positive feedback on what I do

I belong to a group or community that is important for me

Other people need me

I can influence the course of my life

I feel that my life has purpose

I can strive for things that are important for me

I get help when I really need it

I feel trusted

I can influence some things in my living environment

## Leisure time

In the following question, 'online' is used broadly to refer to the use of any applications, games, films or programmes available on various devices (phone, tablet, computer, TV). Social media and online services also come under 'online'.

## 106. How often have you experienced the following?

- Very often
- Fairly often
- Not very often
- o Never

I have tried spending less time online, but I have failed

I should spend more time with my family, friends or homework, but I spend all my time online

I have found that I was online even though I did not really feel like it

I have felt anxious when I do not get online

I have failed to eat or sleep because of being online

Gambling means games in which players **win or lose money**. Gambling includes betting, slot machines, scratch cards, online gaming (such as online poker) and private card games for money.

## 107. How often do you gamble?

- o On 6-7 days a week
- o On 3-5 days a week
- o On 1–2 days a week
- Less often than once a week
- o Less often than once a month
- I have not gambled during the past year

108. How often do you do the following things outside of school hours?

- Almost daily
- o Every week
- o Every month
- Less frequently
- o Never

I take exercise or participate in sports

I sing, play an instrument or compose

I participate in drama, circus or dance

I draw, paint or take photographs

Reading books for your own pleasure

I write poems or stories

I go to the cinema, theatre, concerts or exhibitions

I do needlework, carpentry or crafts or repair machinery or equipment

I do coding or programming

I play games with a smartphone, tablet, computer or other similar device

I make animations, videos or films

I publish media content, for example by blogging, vlogging or YouTubing

I care for a pet or a domestic animal

I participate in the activities of a club, association or organisation, including the scouts, the 4H club, volunteer firefighters, volunteering, parish activities

A regular hobby of some other kind

Engaging in arts and culture includes drawing, writing and coding or going to the theatre, festivals or a circus or visiting a museum. Listening to music, reading books, taking photographs and making videos are also engaging in arts and culture.

109. How often do you engage in art or cultural activities led by an instructor or on your own initiative **in your leisure time**?

- Almost daily
- Every week
- o Every month
- Less frequently
- Never

In instructor-led classes, for example at an art institution or an education institution's club

On my own initiative

- 110. Think about all of your art and cultural activities in the past **7 days**. On how many days have you engaged in artistic or cultural activities for at least one hour a day?
  - o On 0 days
  - o On 1 day
  - o On 2 days
  - o On 3 days
  - o On 4 days
  - o On 5 days
  - o On 6 days
  - o On 7 days
- 111. Are you working in paid employment on afternoons, nights or weekends while studying?
  - o No (go to question 113)
  - Yes
- 112. Yes, during the week I usually work
  - o 1–5 hours
  - o 6-10 hours
  - o More than 10 hours
- 113. Select the option that best describes your opinion. By 'home district' we mean the residential area that you live in, or the community or municipality you live in.
  - o Fully agree
  - o Agree
  - Neither agree nor disagree
  - o Disagree
  - o Fully disagree

Interesting leisure activities for young people are organised in my home district

There are enough leisure spaces for young people in my home district

I know about leisure opportunities in my home district

Leisure activities suitable for me are too far away

Leisure activities that interest me are too expensive

Please answer the remaining questions if you live with relatives, in a foster family or a family care home, or at a child welfare institution.

114. How old were you when you went to live with your relatives, a foster family, a family care home or a children's home **for the first time**?

o Less than 1 year o 1 year o 2 years o 3 years o 4 years o 5 years o 6 years o 7 years o 8 years o 9 years o 10 years o 11 years o 12 years o 13 years o 14 years o 15 years o 16 years

o I don't know or can't remember

115. Sometimes children and young people move around for different reasons. In how many foster families or institutions have you lived in your life? *Also include the place where you live now*.

o 1

o 17 years

- 0 2
- 0 3
- 0 4
- 0 5
- o 6 or more
- Don't know

# 116. For how many years have you lived in the foster family or institution where you are living **at the moment**?

- Less than 1 year
- o 1-3 years
- o 4-6 years
- o Seven years or more
- Don't know

Client plan negotiations are conducted to agree on matters concerning you with your social worker and the adults looking after you.

## 117. Have you taken part in client plan negotiations in the past 12 months?

- o Yes
- o No, I have not had one (go to question 119)
- o No, I did not want to take part (go to question 119)
- o I don't know what it is (go to question 119)

# 118. Think about your latest client plan negotiation. To what extent were the following true for you?

- Fully agree
- o Agree
- o Neither agree nor disagree
- o Disagree
- Fully disagree

#### Issues that are important to me were addressed

My views were listened to

Things about my home were discussed

#### I was able to talk about my situation honestly

Your personal child welfare social worker looks after all the matters associated with your placement. They prepare or make any decisions on your placement (including client plans). The social worker is not the same as your personal counsellor.

## 119. Do you know who your social worker is at the moment?

- Yes
- o No

## 120. Have you met your personal social worker in the past **12 months**?

- o Yes
- o No
- I did not want to meet them
- I do not have a social worker

121. Have you met your personal socia	I worker <b>privately</b> in the past <b>12 months</b> ?
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- o Yes
- o No
- o I did not want to meet them
- I do not have a social worker
- 122. Have you experienced any of the following in your current foster family or institution in the past **12 months**?
  - o Yes
  - o No

**Restrictions of your contacts** 

Restraining

Restrictions of your freedom of mobility

Having been denied food as a punishment

A group punishment (everyone is punished because one or a few people have broken the rules)

Being punished without knowing why

- 123. Sometimes children and young people feel they are being treated particularly badly or unfairly. Do you know who could help you if you were treated in this way?
  - Yes
  - o No
- 124. How do you feel about living in your current foster family or institution?
  - o Fully agree
  - o Agree
  - Neither agree nor disagree
  - o Disagree
  - o Fully disagree

I feel safe

This feels like a good place for me to live in

I am treated fairly

I can observe values that are important for me (including culture, religion, worldview)

125. What kind of possibilities have you had to influence the following in your current foster family or institution in the past **12 months**?

- Very good
- o Fairly good
- Neither good nor poor
- o Fairly poor
- Very poor

### Drawing up the common rules

Everyday life, including meals and leisure time

126. Are there other children or young people in your current foster family or institution?

- Yes
- o No (go to question 130)

127. Has another **child or young person** living in your current foster family or institution done some of the following to you in the past **12 months**?

- Not at all
- o A few times in the year
- Every month
- Every week
- Daily or almost daily

Called you nasty names, made you a laughing stock or teased you in a hurtful way

Deliberately provoked or annoyed you

Ignored or excluded you

Spread lies about you among other children or young people to hurt you

Taken your money or possessions or broken your things

Threatened you or forced you to do something you did not want to do

Shut or locked you up by force

Hit, kicked or pushed you

Done something else upsetting

If you answered 'no' to all items in the previous question, you can go to question 130.

128. Have you told some adult you can trust about your experiences of being bullied or treated violently by another child or young person in the past **12 months**?

- o Yes
- o No (go to question 130)

129. What happened after you reported being bullied or treated violently by another child or young person?

- o The bullying or violence has stopped
- There is less bullying or violence
- o The bullying or violence has continued as before
- o There is more bullying or violence
- o Don't know

130. Do you keep in touch with the following persons **by meeting** them? *This question means persons with whom you are not living at the moment.* 

- o Yes, too often
- o Yes, suitably often
- o Yes, but too seldom
- Never, because I don't want to meet them
- Never, for other reasons
- o I do not have any

Mother

**Father** 

The sister or brother closest to you

Other relative that you are close to, including a grandparent or a godparent

Your closest friend or mate

131. Do you keep in touch with the following persons **by other means besides meeting** them, for example by calling or messaging? *This question means persons* with whom you are not living at the moment.

- o Yes, too often
- Yes, suitably often
- o Yes, but too seldom
- Never, because I don't want to contact them
- Never, for other reasons
- I do not have any

Mother

**Father** 

The sister or brother closest to you

Other relative that you are close to, including a grandparent or a godparent

Your closest friend or mate

## Thank you for completing this questionnaire!

If anything in this questionnaire troubles you, please talk about it to your parents or some other adult you know. You can also contact your teacher, school health nurse, or your school psychologist or social worker.

You may give	e feedback on the	questionnaire if	vou wish:	
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