

## **SURVEY INSTRUCTIONS**



- Answer each question by marking in the box to the left of your answer.
- You are sometimes told to skip over some questions in this survey. When this happens you will see a note that tells you what question to answer next, like this: ⊠Yes......Go to Question 1

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Please answer the questions for the child listed on the envelope. Please do not answer for any other children.  1. Our records show that your child is now in Sunshine Health. Is that right?  1  Yes Go to Question 3  2  No Go to Question 2	6. In the last 6 months, when you made an appointment for a check-up or routine care for your child at a doctor's office or clinic, how often did you get an appointment as soon as your child needed?  □ Never
2. What is the name of your child's health plan? (Please print)	<sup>2</sup> ☐ Sometimes <sup>3</sup> ☐ Usually <sup>4</sup> ☐ Always
YOUR CHILD'S HEALTH CARE IN THE LAST 6 MONTHS These questions ask about your child's health care. Do	7. In the last 6 months, <u>not</u> counting the times your child went to an emergency room, how many times did he or she go to a doctor's office or clinic to get health care?
not include care your child got when he or she stayed overnight in a hospital. Do not include the times your child went for dental care visits.  3. In the last 6 months, did your child have an illness, injury, or condition that needed care right away in a clinic, emergency room, or doctor's office?  1  Yes	○ □ None Go to Question 16     □ 1 time Go to Question 8     □ 2 Go to Question 8     □ 3 Go to Question 8     □ 4 Go to Question 8     □ 5 to 9 Go to Question 8
<ul> <li>NoGo to Question 5</li> <li>In the last 6 months, when your child needed care right away, how often did your child get care as</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>10 or more timesGo to Question 8</li> <li>8. In the last 6 months, did you and your child's doctor or other health provider talk about specific</li> </ul>
soon as he or she needed?  1 □ Never 2 □ Sometimes	things you could do to prevent illness in your child?  1 □ Yes 2 □ No
3 ☐ Usually 4 ☐ Always  5. In the last 6 months, did you make any  appointments for a check up or routing care for	9. In the last 6 months, how often did you have your questions answered by your child's doctors or other health providers?
appointments for a check-up or routine care for your child at a doctor's office or clinic?  ¹ □ Yes Go to Question 6  ² □ No Go to Question 7	<ul> <li>Never</li> <li>Sometimes</li> <li>Usually</li> <li>Always</li> </ul>

<ul> <li>10. In the last 6 months, did you and your child's doctor or other health provider talk about starting or stopping a prescription medicine for your child?</li> <li>□ Yes Go to Question 11</li> </ul>	18. In the last 6 months, did you get the help you needed from your child's doctors or other health providers in contacting your child's school or daycare?		
<sup>2</sup> No <b>Go to Question 14</b>	¹ ☐ Yes		
11. Did you and a doctor or other health provider talk	² □ No		
about the reasons you might want your child to take a medicine?	SPECIALIZED SERVICES		
1 ☐ Yes 2 ☐ No 42. Did you and a deater or other health provides talk	19. Special medical equipment or devices include a walker, wheelchair, nebulizer, feeding tubes, or oxygen equipment. In the last 6 months, did you		
12. Did you and a doctor or other health provider talk about the reasons you might <u>not</u> want your child to take a medicine?	get or try to get any special medical equipment or devices for your child?		
¹ □ Yes	1  YesGo to Question 20		
² □ No	<sup>2</sup> NoGo to Question 22		
. When you talked about your child starting or stopping a prescription medicine, did a doctor or other health provider ask you what you thought	20. In the last 6 months, how often was it easy to get special medical equipment or devices for your child?		
was best for your child?	¹ □ Never		
¹ □ Yes	<sup>2</sup> ☐ Sometimes		
<sup>2</sup> No	³ □ Usually ⁴ □ Always		
14. Using any number from 0 to 10, where 0 is the worst health care possible and 10 is the best health care possible, what number would you use to rate all your child's health care in the last 6 months?	21. Did anyone from your child's health plan, doctor's office, or clinic help you get special medical equipment or devices for your child?		
Worst health care Best health care	¹ ☐ Yes		
possible possible	² □ No		
0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 0 0 01 02 03 04 05 06 07 08 09 10	22. In the last 6 months, did you get or try to get special therapy such as physical, occupational, or speech therapy for your child?		
15. In the last 6 months, how often was it easy to get the care, tests, or treatment your child needed?	¹ ☐ YesGo to Question 23 ² ☐ NoGo to Question 25		
<ul> <li>Never</li> <li>Sometimes</li> </ul>	23. In the last 6 months, how often was it easy to get this therapy for your child?		
³ □ Usually	¹ □ Never		
<sup>4</sup> □ Always	<sup>2</sup> ☐ Sometimes		
16. Is your child now enrolled in any kind of school or daycare?	3 ☐ Usually 4 ☐ Always		
<ul> <li>Yes Go to Question 17</li> <li>No Go to Question 19</li> </ul>	24. Did anyone from your child's health plan, doctor's office, or clinic help you get this therapy for your child?		
17. In the last 6 months, did you need your child's doctors or other health providers to contact a school or daycare center about your child's health or health care?	¹ ☐ Yes ² ☐ No		
<ul> <li>Yes Go to Question 18</li> <li>No Go to Question 19</li> </ul>			

25. In the last 6 months, did you get or try to get treatment or counseling for your child for an emotional, developmental, or behavioral problem?	32. In the last 6 months, how often did your child's personal doctor explain things about your child's health in a way that was easy to understand?
<ul> <li>Yes Go to Question 26</li> <li>No Go to Question 28</li> <li>In the last 6 months, how often was it easy to get this treatment or counseling for your child?</li> <li>Never</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Never</li> <li>Sometimes</li> <li>Usually</li> <li>Always</li> <li>In the last 6 months, how often did your child's</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Sometimes</li> <li>Usually</li> <li>Always</li> <li>Did anyone from your child's health plan, doctor's office, or clinic help you get this treatment or counseling for your child?</li> <li>Yes</li> </ul>	personal doctor listen carefully to you?  1  Never 2  Sometimes 3  Usually 4  Always  34. In the last 6 months, how often did your child's personal doctor show respect for what you had to
<ul> <li>No</li> <li>28. In the last 6 months, did your child get care from more than one kind of health care provider or use more than one kind of health care service?</li> <li>Yes Go to Question 29</li> <li>No Go to Question 30</li> </ul>	say?  1  Never 2  Sometimes 3  Usually 4  Always
29. In the last 6 months, did anyone from your child's health plan, doctor's office, or clinic help coordinate your child's care among these different providers or services?  1  Yes	<ul> <li>35. Is your child able to talk with doctors about his or her health care?</li> <li>YesGo to Question 36</li> <li>NoGo to Question 37</li> <li>36. In the last 6 months, how often did your child's personal doctor explain things in a way that was</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>YOUR CHILD'S PERSONAL DOCTOR</li> <li>30. A personal doctor is the one your child would see if he or she needs a checkup, has a health problem or gets sick or hurt. Does your child have a</li> </ul>	easy for your child to understand?  Never  Sometimes  Usually  Always
personal doctor?  1	<ul> <li>37. In the last 6 months, how often did your child's personal doctor spend enough time with your child?</li> <li>¹ □ Never</li> <li>² □ Sometimes</li> <li>³ □ Usually</li> <li>⁴ □ Always</li> <li>38. In the last 6 months, did your child's personal doctor talk with you about how your child is feeling, growing, or behaving?</li> <li>¹ □ Yes</li> <li>² □ No</li> </ul>

<ul> <li>39. In the last 6 months, did your child get care from a doctor or other health provider besides his or her personal doctor?</li> <li>1 ☐ Yes Go to Question 40</li> <li>2 ☐ No Go to Question 41</li> </ul>	45. Specialists are doctors like surgeons, heart doctors, allergy doctors, skin doctors, and other doctors who specialize in one area of health care. In the last 6 months, did you make any appointments for your child to see a specialist?
40. In the last 6 months, how often did your child's personal doctor seem informed and up-to-date	YesGo to Question 46     NoGo to Question 49
about the care your child got from these doctors or other health providers?  1 □ Never	46. In the last 6 months, how often did you get an appointment for your child to see a specialist as soon as you needed?
<ul> <li>Sometimes</li> <li>Usually</li> <li>Always</li> <li>Using any number from 0 to 10, where 0 is the worst personal doctor possible and 10 is the best personal doctor possible, what number would you use to rate your child's personal doctor?</li> <li>Worst personal Best personal doctor possible</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Never</li> <li>Sometimes</li> <li>Usually</li> <li>Always</li> <li>How many specialists has your child seen in the last 6 months?</li> <li>None</li></ul>
0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10  □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □  00 01 02 03 04 05 06 07 08 09 10	3 □ 3 Go to Question 48 4 □ 4 Go to Question 48 5 □ 5 or more specialists Go to Question 48
<ul> <li>42. Does your child have any medical, behavioral, or other health conditions that have lasted for more than 3 months?</li> <li>□ Yes Go to Question 43</li> <li>□ No Go to Question 45</li> </ul>	48. We want to know your rating of the specialist your child saw most often in the last 6 months. Using any number from 0 to 10, where 0 is the worst specialist possible and 10 is the best specialist possible, what number would you use to rate that
<ul> <li>43. Does your child's personal doctor understand how these medical, behavioral, or other health conditions affect your child's day-to-day life?</li> <li>¹ ☐ Yes</li> <li>² ☐ No</li> <li>44. Does your child's personal doctor understand how your child's medical, behavioral, or other health conditions affect your family's day-to-day life?</li> </ul>	specialist?           Worst specialist         Best specialist           possible         possible           0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10           0 0 01 02 03 04 05 06 07 08 09 10    YOUR CHILD'S HEALTH PLAN
¹ ☐ Yes ² ☐ No	The next questions ask about your experience with your child's health plan.
When you answer the next questions, do <u>not</u> include dental visits or care your child got when your child stayed overnight in a hospital.	<ul> <li>49. In the last 6 months, did you get information or help from customer service at your child's health plan?</li> <li>¹ ☐ YesGo to Question 50</li> <li>² ☐ NoGo to Question 52</li> </ul>

50. In the last 6 months, how often did customer service at your child's health plan give you the information or help you needed?	57. Did anyone from your child's health plan, doctor's office, or clinic help you get your child's prescription medicines?
<ul> <li>Never</li> <li>Sometimes</li> <li>Usually</li> </ul>	¹ ☐ Yes ² ☐ No
<sup>4</sup> □ Always	ABOUT YOUR CHILD AND YOU
51. In the last 6 months, how often did customer service staff at your child's health plan treat you with courtesy and respect?	58. In general, how would you rate your child's overall health?
<ul> <li>Never</li> <li>Sometimes</li> <li>Usually</li> <li>Always</li> <li>In the last 6 months, did your child's health plan give you any forms to fill out?</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>¹ □ Excellent</li> <li>² □ Very good</li> <li>³ □ Good</li> <li>⁴ □ Fair</li> <li>⁵ □ Poor</li> <li>59. In general, how would you rate your child's overall</li> </ul>
¹ ☐ Yes Go to Question 53 ² ☐ No Go to Question 54	mental or emotional health?  1 □ Excellent 2 □ Very good
53. In the last 6 months, how often were the forms from your child's health plan easy to fill out?  ¹ □ Never	<ul> <li><sup>3</sup> ☐ Good</li> <li><sup>4</sup> ☐ Fair</li> <li><sup>5</sup> ☐ Poor</li> </ul>
<ul> <li><sup>2</sup> □ Sometimes</li> <li><sup>3</sup> □ Usually</li> <li><sup>4</sup> □ Always</li> </ul>	60. Does your child currently need or use medicine prescribed by a doctor (other than vitamins)?
54. Using any number from 0 to 10, where 0 is the worst health plan possible and 10 is the best health plan possible, what number would you use to rate your child's health plan?	<ul> <li>YesGo to Question 61</li> <li>NoGo to Question 63</li> <li>Is this because of any medical, behavioral, or othe health condition?</li> </ul>
Worst health plan  possible  Best health plan  possible  possible	¹ ☐ YesGo to Question 62 ² ☐ NoGo to Question 63
0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10	62. Is this a condition that has lasted or is expected to last for at least 12 months?
00 01 02 03 04 05 06 07 08 09 10	¹ ☐ Yes ² ☐ No
PRESCRIPTION MEDICINES	63. Does your child need or use more medical care,
55. In the last 6 months, did you get or refill any prescription medicines for your child?	more mental health services, or more educational services than is usual for most children of the same age?
Yes Go to Question 56	¹ ☐ YesGo to Question 64
<ul> <li>NoGo to Question 58</li> <li>In the last 6 months, how often was it easy to get</li> </ul>	<sup>2</sup> NoGo to Question 66
prescription medicines for your child through his or her health plan?	64. Is this because of any medical, behavioral, or othe health condition?
<ul> <li>Never</li> <li>Sometimes</li> <li>Usually</li> <li>Always</li> </ul>	<sup>1</sup> ☐ YesGo to Question 65 <sup>2</sup> ☐ NoGo to Question 66

65.	Is this a condition that has lasted or is expected to		your child male or female?
	last for at least 12 months?		Male .
	☐ Yes		] Female
	No		s your child of Hispanic or Latino origin or
00.	Is your child limited or prevented in any way in his or her ability to do the things most children of the		escent?
	same age can do?		Yes, Hispanic or Latino
1	☐ Yes Go to Question 67		No, not Hispanic or Latino
	□ No		/hat is your child's race? Mark one or more.
	Is this because of any medical, behavioral, or other		□ White □ Black or African-American
	health condition?		Asian
1	☐ Yes Go to Question 68		Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander
2	□ NoGo to Question 69		American Indian or Alaska Native
68.	Is this a condition that has lasted or is expected to		Other
	last for at least 12 months?		/hat is <u>your</u> age?
1	☐ Yes		1 Under 18
2	□ No		1 18 to 24
69.	Does your child need or get special therapy such		1 25 to 34
	as physical, occupational, or speech therapy?	_	35 to 44
	Yes Go to Question 70		45 to 54
	No Go to Question 72		55 to 64
70.	Is this because of any medical, behavioral, or other health condition?		3 65 to 74
1	Yes Go to Question 71	7 □	75 or older
	□ No Go to Question 72	79. A	re you male or female?
	Is this a condition that has lasted or is expected to	1	Male
<i>,</i>	last for at least 12 months?	2	] Female
1	□ Yes	80. W	/hat is the highest grade or level of school that
	□ No	У	ou have completed?
72.	Does your child have any kind of emotional,		3 8th grade or less
	developmental, or behavioral problem for which he		Some high school, but did not graduate
	or she needs or gets treatment or counseling?		High school graduate or GED
1	☐ Yes Go to Question 73		Some college or 2-year degree
2	□ No Go to Question 74		4-year college graduate
73.	Has this problem lasted or is it expected to last for		More than 4-year college degree
	at least 12 months?		ow are you related to the child?
	Yes	1 🗆	
	□ No	2	•
	What is <u>your child's</u> age?	_	Aunt or uncle
00	☐ Less than 1 year old	4 [	
	YEARS OLD (write in)	5 [	
		6 C	5 5
		7 □	Someone else

82. Did someone help you complete this survey?  1 ☐ YesGo to Question 83	87. How would you rate the number of doctors you had to choose from?
<sup>1</sup> □ 1esGo to Question 83 <sup>2</sup> □ NoGo to Question 84	1 D Excellent
83. How did that person help you? Mark one or more.  Read the questions to me  Wrote down the answers I gave  Answered the questions for me  Translated the questions into my language  Helped in some other way	<ul> <li>2 □ Very good</li> <li>3 □ Good</li> <li>4 □ Fair</li> <li>5 □ Poor</li> <li>6 □ No experience</li> <li>88. Would you recommend your child's health plan to</li> </ul>
Now we would like to ask you a few more questions about your child's health care and health plan. Your child's health plan is very interested in your responses to these questions.  84. In the last 6 months, did your child need any	your family or friends?  1
treatment or counseling for a personal or family problem?	89. If today you could select any health plan company in your area, would you select your child's current
Yes Go to Question 85	plan again?
<ul> <li>NoGo to Question 87</li> <li>In the last 6 months, how often was it easy to get the treatment or counseling your child needed through your health plan?</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>□ Definitely yes</li> <li>□ Probably yes</li> <li>□ Uncertain</li> <li>□ Probably not</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Never</li> <li>Sometimes</li> <li>Usually</li> <li>Always</li> <li>My child did not need treatment or counseling in the last 6 months</li> <li>Using any number from 0 to 10, where 0 is the worst treatment or counseling possible and 10 is the best treatment or counseling possible, what number would you use to rate all your child's treatment or counseling in the last 6 months?</li> </ul>	□ Definitely not
Worst treatment or Best treatment or counseling possible counseling possible	
0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10  □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □ □  00 01 02 03 04 05 06 07 08 09 10  11 □ My child did not receive treatment or counseling in	
the last 6 months	

Thank You. Please return the completed survey in the postage-paid envelope. SPH Analytics, PO Box 5703, Hopkins MN 55343-9989