

Child Caregiver Survey for children 1 to 6 years

Please remember that the answers on this form are completely anonymous. Be sure to deposit your survey sheet in the designated box in the front lobby. Thank you and have a great day.

Please answer the following questions to the best of your ability. If there is any question you choose not to answer feel free to skip and continue the survey.

What is the age and gender of the child you have in mind as you complete this survey? _____

Do you currently have medical insurance? _____ Are you the primary caregiver of this child? _____

Has your family ever received any government assistance? (i.e. WIC) _____

What is your level of education?

- at least some high school
- high school
- associates degree
- bachelor's degree
- graduate level degree

Are you currently?

- a stay at home parent
- working full-time outside the home
- working part-time outside the home
- a student
- retired or unable to work

What is your race/ethnicity?

- White
- Black or African American
- Native American / American Indian
- Asian / Pacific Islander
- Hispanic or Latino
- Other

What is your net household income?

- Less than \$25,000
- \$25,000 - \$34,999
- \$35,000 - \$49,000
- \$50,000 - \$74,999
- \$75,000 - \$99,999
- greater than \$ 100,000

Marital status?

- single / never married
- marriage or domestic partnership
- divorced
- widowed
- separated

What is your age?

- younger than 20 years old
- 21 – 29 years old
- 30 – 39 years old
- 40 – 49 years old
- 50 – 59 years old
- Older than 60 years old

Please select the response to the following statements that represents your child.

1. The best way to make a child stop crying is to feed him or her.
 agree strongly agree neutral disagree strongly disagree
2. A child should never eat sugary food like candy, ice cream, cake and cookies.
 agree strongly agree neutral disagree strongly disagree
3. A child should never eat fast food.
 agree strongly agree neutral disagree strongly disagree
4. It's very important that a child finish all the food that is on his or her plate.
 agree strongly agree neutral disagree strongly disagree
5. A child should be able to eat whatever she or he wants for snacks.
 agree strongly agree neutral disagree strongly disagree
6. A healthy child is a fat child.
 agree strongly agree neutral disagree strongly disagree
7. A child should never eat junk food like potato chips, Doritos, and cheese puffs.
 agree strongly agree neutral disagree strongly disagree
8. It is important for parents to have rules about when a child eats meals or snacks.
 agree strongly agree neutral disagree strongly disagree
9. It is okay to offer food as a reward to a child for being good.
 agree strongly agree neutral disagree strongly disagree
10. It is important for a parent to have rules about how much a child eats.

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- agree strongly agree neutral disagree strongly disagree
11. A child should be able to eat whatever she or he wants when eating at a restaurant.
 agree strongly agree neutral disagree strongly disagree
12. A child who eat all his or her vegetables can have a sweet like candy, ice cream, cake or cookies.
 agree strongly agree neutral disagree strongly disagree
13. A child should only eat healthy food.
 agree strongly agree neutral disagree strongly disagree
14. I let my child decide how much to eat.
 agree strongly agree neutral disagree strongly disagree
15. I keep track of how much my child eats.
 agree strongly agree neutral disagree strongly disagree
16. I try to get my child to eat even if she/he is not hungry.
 agree strongly agree neutral disagree strongly disagree
17. If my child will not try a new food that I give him/her, I will work hard to have him/her try it during that meal.
 agree strongly agree neutral disagree strongly disagree
18. I am very careful not to feed my child too much.
 agree strongly agree neutral disagree strongly disagree
19. When I need advice about feeding my child, I read books and magazines.
 agree strongly agree neutral disagree strongly disagree
20. I try to get my child to finish her/his food.
 agree strongly agree neutral disagree strongly disagree
21. When my child cries I immediately feed him/her.
 agree strongly agree neutral disagree strongly disagree
22. If my child seem full, I encourage her/him to finish her/his food anyway.
 agree strongly agree neutral disagree strongly disagree
23. I keep track of how much sugary food like candy, ice cream, cakes and cookies my child eats.
 agree strongly agree neutral disagree strongly disagree
24. I keep track of how much high fat food (like French fries, hamburgers, pizza) my child eats.
 agree strongly agree neutral disagree strongly disagree
25. When I need advice about feeding my child, I ask my friends who have children.
 agree strongly agree neutral disagree strongly disagree
26. I allow my child to eat when she/he is hungry.
 agree strongly agree neutral disagree strongly disagree
27. I keep track of how much junk food (like potato chips, Doritos and cheese puffs) my child gets.
 agree strongly agree neutral disagree strongly disagree
28. I feel uncertain about feeding my child.
 agree strongly agree neutral disagree strongly disagree
29. I let my child eat junk food like potato chips, Doritos and cheese puffs.
 agree strongly agree neutral disagree strongly disagree
30. I let my child eat sugary food, like candy, ice cream, cakes or cookies.
 agree strongly agree neutral disagree strongly disagree
31. I let my child eat fast food.
 agree strongly agree neutral disagree strongly disagree
32. I make sure my child does not eat sugary food, like candy, ice cream, cakes or cookies.
 agree strongly agree neutral disagree strongly disagree
33. I make sure my child eats fruits and vegetables every day.
 agree strongly agree neutral disagree strongly disagree