

## Infant Caregiver Survey for children 12 months and under

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

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

1. A breastfed infant will be smarter than a formula-fed infant.  
 agree strongly  agree  neutral  disagree  strongly disagree
2. Putting cereal in the bottle is good because it helps my infant feel full.  
 agree strongly  agree  neutral  disagree  strongly disagree
3. It's important that my infant be the one to set his or her own feeding schedule.  
 agree strongly  agree  neutral  disagree  strongly disagree
4. The best way to make my infant stop crying is to feed him or her.  
 agree strongly  agree  neutral  disagree  strongly disagree
5. A healthy infant is a fat infant.  
 agree strongly  agree  neutral  disagree  strongly disagree
6. A breastfed infant will be healthier than a formula-fed infant.  
 agree strongly  agree  neutral  disagree  strongly disagree
7. It's important that my infant finish all of the milk in his or her bottle.  
 agree strongly  agree  neutral  disagree  strongly disagree
8. Infants who are fed solids (such as cereals) too soon will become fat infants.  
 agree strongly  agree  neutral  disagree  strongly disagree
9. Breast milk alone is not enough to fil up an infant less than 6 months.  
 agree strongly  agree  neutral  disagree  strongly disagree
10. An infant should never eat fast food.

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- agree strongly  agree  neutral  disagree  strongly disagree
11. I let my infant decide how much to eat.  
 agree strongly  agree  neutral  disagree  strongly disagree
12. I keep track of how much each infant eats.  
 agree strongly  agree  neutral  disagree  strongly disagree
13. I give my infant cereal in the bottle.  
 agree strongly  agree  neutral  disagree  strongly disagree
14. I try to get my infant to eat even if she/he seems not hungry.  
 agree strongly  agree  neutral  disagree  strongly disagree
15. If my infant will not try a few 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
16. When I need advice about feeding my infant, I read books and magazines.  
 agree strongly  agree  neutral  disagree  strongly disagree
17. If my infant seems full I encourage him/her to finish her/his food anyway.  
 agree strongly  agree  neutral  disagree  strongly disagree
18. I keep track of how much sugary food like candy, ice cream, cakes and cookies my baby eats.  
 agree strongly  agree  neutral  disagree  strongly disagree
19. I try to get my infant to finish her/his breast milk or formula.  
 agree strongly  agree  neutral  disagree  strongly disagree
20. I keep track of how much high fat food (like French fries, hamburgers, pizza) my infant eats.  
 agree strongly  agree  neutral  disagree  strongly disagree
21. When I need advice about feeding my infant, I ask my friends who have children.  
 agree strongly  agree  neutral  disagree  strongly disagree
22. Infants know when they are hungry.  
 agree strongly  agree  neutral  disagree  strongly disagree
23. I keep track of how much junk food (like potatoes chips, Doritos and cheese puffs) my infant eats.  
 agree strongly  agree  neutral  disagree  strongly disagree
24. When I need advice about feeding infants, I ask my mother.  
 agree strongly  agree  neutral  disagree  strongly disagree
25. I feel uncertain about feeding infants.  
 agree strongly  agree  neutral  disagree  strongly disagree
26. I let my infant eat junk food like potato chips, Doritos and cheese puffs.  
 agree strongly  agree  neutral  disagree  strongly disagree
27. I offer my infant a sweet like ice cream, cookies, or cake if they finish their food.  
 agree strongly  agree  neutral  disagree  strongly disagree
28. I make sure my infant does not eat junk food like potato chips, Doritos and cheese puffs.  
 agree strongly  agree  neutral  disagree  strongly disagree
29. I let my infant eat sugary food, like candy, ice cream, cakes or cookies.  
 agree strongly  agree  neutral  disagree  strongly disagree
30. I make sure my infant eats fruits and vegetables every day.  
 agree strongly  agree  neutral  disagree  strongly disagree
31. I let my infant eat fast food.  
 agree strongly  agree  neutral  disagree  strongly disagree
32. I make sure my infant does not eat sugary food, like candy, ice cream, cakes or cookies.  
 agree strongly  agree  neutral  disagree  strongly disagree