

**1995 SURVEY OF SEX-RELATED KNOWLEDGE AND ATTITUDES OF  
JUNIOR COLLEGE AND SECONDARY SCHOOL STUDENTS  
IN TAIWAN**

ANONYMOUS SELF-ADMINISTERED QUESTIONNAIRE

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Dear Students:

The purpose of this questionnaire is to determine the realities and needs to youth, so that the government may move forward in the proper direction, to provide appropriate services to youth. This questionnaire has been designed to allow you to express your ideas, attitudes, and behaviors regarding relations with the opposite sex, sex education, etc. Fifty thousand high school, senior vocational high school, and junior college students have been randomly selected to fill out this questionnaire. The information collected will be used to better understand the situations facing today's students.

PLEASE RESPOND TO THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS ACCORDING TO YOUR OWN IDEAS, AND BEHAVIORS. DATA WILL BE ANALYED BY COMPUTER, AND KEPT COMPLETELY CONFIDENTIAL.

Thank you for your cooperation !!

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## SECTION A: BACKGROUND CHARACTERISTICS

For questions A1-A32, please mark your answer in the box(es) next to the corresponding question.

year  
month

A1. Your birth date is: Year \_\_\_\_\_ Month \_\_\_\_\_

A2. Your sex is: \_\_\_\_\_ (1) male \_\_\_\_\_ (2) female

A3. The school you are currently attending is a:

- \_\_\_ (1) public senior high school
- \_\_\_ (2) private senior high school
- \_\_\_ (3) public vocational senior high school
- \_\_\_ (4) private vocational senior high school
- \_\_\_ (5) junior college
- \_\_\_ (6) public senior high school with vocational program
- \_\_\_ (7) private senior high school with vocational program
- \_\_\_ (8) public vocational senior high school with general education program
- \_\_\_ (9) private vocational senior high school with general education program

A4. Your current school is a/an:

- \_\_\_ (1) all-girls school
- \_\_\_ (2) all-boys school
- \_\_\_ (3) coeducational school
- \_\_\_ (4) coeducational school with all-girls/all-boys classes

A5. What kind of program are you currently enrolled in?

- \_\_\_ (1) vocational program
- \_\_\_ (2) general program

A6. Which year are you in now?

- \_\_\_ (1) 1st year
- \_\_\_ (2) 2nd year
- \_\_\_ (3) 3rd year
- \_\_\_ (4) 4th year
- \_\_\_ (5) 5th year

A6a. Do you hope to attain a higher level of education?

- \_\_\_ (1) yes
- \_\_\_ (2) no

A7. Whom are you living with now?

- \_\_\_ (1) with parent(s)
- \_\_\_ (2) with other relative(s)
- \_\_\_ (3) living alone in a rented house/apartment
- \_\_\_ (4) living in school dorm
- \_\_\_ (5) with friend(s)/classmate(s) in a rented house/apartment
- \_\_\_ (6) other(specify : \_\_\_\_\_)

A8. Since your birth, have you lived mostly in a rural village or in an urban town/city?

- \_\_\_ (1) rural village
- \_\_\_ (2) urban town/city

A9. Your father is:

- (0) deceased
- (1) your biological father
- (2) your stepfather

A9a. Your father's educational level is:

- (0) father is deceased
- (1) illiterate
- (2) primary school
- (3) junior high school
- (4) senior high school/vocational high school
- (5) college or above

A9b. Your father's current employment situation is:

- (0) father is deceased
- (1) not working
- (2) employed in agriculture, forestry, fishing or livestock industry
- (3) employed by government
- (4) employed by educational institution
- (5) employed by private business
- (6) self-employed
- (7) other (specify : \_\_\_\_\_)

A10. Your mother is:

- (0) deceased
- (1) your biological mother
- (2) your stepmother

A10a. Your mother's educational level is:

- (0) mother is deceased
- (1) illiterate
- (2) primary school
- (3) junior high school
- (4) senior high school/vocational high school
- (5) college or above

A10b. Your mother's current employment situation is:

- (0) mother is deceased
- (1) not working, but keeps house
- (2) employed in agriculture, forestry, fishing or livestock industry
- (3) employed by government
- (4) employed by educational institution
- (5) employed by private business
- (6) self-employed
- (7) other (specify : \_\_\_\_\_)

A11. What is your religion?

- (0) no religion
- (1) Buddhist
- (2) Taoist
- (3) Yikuan Taoist
- (4) Catholic
- (5) Christian
- (6) Muslim
- (7) Chinese folk belief
- (8) other

A11a. Do you think of yourself as a pious/religious person?

- (1) yes
- (2) no

A12. How many elder brothers, younger brothers, elder sisters, and younger sisters do you have?

- number of elder brothers: \_\_\_\_\_
- number of elder sisters: \_\_\_\_\_
- number of younger brothers: \_\_\_\_\_
- number of younger sisters: \_\_\_\_\_

A13. How would you rate your academic achievement ?

- (1) excellent
- (2) good
- (3) average
- (4) fair
- (5) poor

A14. In general, how would you describe your father's current discipline of you?

- (1) strict
- (2) gentle and democratic
- (3) free; allows you to develop on your own
- (4) doesn't care about you
- (0) don't know

A15. In general, how would you describe your mother's current discipline of you?

- (1) strict
- (2) gentle and democratic
- (3) free; allows you to develop on your own
- (4) doesn't care about you
- (0) don't know

A16. Your parent's current marital status is:

- (1) married
- (2) separated
- (3) divorced
- (4) father is deceased and mother has not remarried
- (5) mother is deceased and father has not remarried

A17. Generally speaking, do you think your family members understand you ?

- (1) completely understand
- (2) mostly understand
- (3) somewhat understand
- (4) do not often understand
- (5) do not understand at all
- (0) don't know

A18. Generally speaking, do you think your family members trust you ?

- (1) completely trust
- (2) mostly trust
- (3) somewhat trust
- (4) do not often trust
- (5) do not trust at all
- (0) don't know

A19. Generally speaking, do you think your family members treat you fairly?

- (1) very fair
- (2) mostly fair
- (3) somewhat fair
- (4) not very fair
- (5) not fair at all
- (0) don't know

A20. Generally speaking, do you think your family members respect you?

- (1) completely respect
- (2) mostly respect
- (3) somewhat respect
- (4) do not respect very much
- (5) do not respect at all
- (0) don't know

A21. Generally speaking, how much do you feel that your family members love and care for you?

- (1) a great deal
- (2) quite a bit
- (3) somewhat
- (4) very little
- (5) not at all
- (0) don't know

A22. Generally speaking, would you say that your home life (with your parents and family members) is pleasant or unpleasant ?

- (1) very pleasant
- (2) pleasant
- (3) neither pleasant nor unpleasant
- (4) unpleasant, but bearable
- (5) very unpleasant
- (0) don't know

A23. Generally speaking, how would you rate your relationship with your father?

- (1) very good
- (2) good
- (3) average
- (4) fair
- (5) poor
- (0) don't know

A24. How would you rate your relationship with your mother?

- (1) very good                       (4) fair  
 (2) good                                 (5) poor  
 (3) average                               (0) don't know

A25. How would you rate the relationship between your mother and father?

- (1) very good                       (4) fair  
 (2) good                                 (5) poor  
 (3) average                               (0) don't know

A26. In general, would you say that your father spends much time with you?

- (1) spends much time     (3) spends little time  
 (2) spends some time     (0) don't know

A27. In general would you say that your mother spends much time with you?

- (1) spends much time     (3) spends little time  
 (2) spends some time     (0) don't know

A28. When something is bothering you, with whom do you like to talk it over?

- (01) father                               (09) male teacher  
 (02) mother                               (10) classmate  
 (03) brother                               (11) friend  
 (04) sister                                 (12) "Teacher Chang"  
 (05) grandfather                         (13) "Life Line"  
 (06) grandmother                         (14) other person  
 (07) other relative                       (00) don't like to talk with anyone  
 (08) female teacher

A29. Would you say that you help your parents with housework a lot, a little, or not at all?

- (1) a lot  
 (2) a little  
 (3) not at all

A30. Does your grandfather live with your family now ?

- (1) yes                                       (2) no

A31. Does your grandmother live with your family now ?

- (1) yes                                       (2) no

A32. How often do you see a foreign (non-Asian) movie or TV program ?

- (1) often  
 (2) occasionally  
 (3) rarely

## Section B: KNOWLEDGE

For the following, mark in the space preceding each statement an "X" if you believe the statement is true, or an "O" if you believe the statement is false. If you are unsure if the statement is true or false, please fill in a question mark "?."

- \_\_\_\_\_ (1) Generally, a female is able to conceive after her first menstruation.
- \_\_\_\_\_ (2) A woman cannot become pregnant if no sperm enter her vagina.
- \_\_\_\_\_ (3) Whether a pregnancy will result in a male or female child is determined by the male sperm.
- \_\_\_\_\_ (4) The oral contraceptive pill is taken before each intercourse to prevent pregnancy.
- \_\_\_\_\_ (5) A male is physiologically unable to make a female pregnant until he is at least age 16.
- \_\_\_\_\_ (6) A condom is used to prevent sperm from entering the vagina.
- \_\_\_\_\_ (7) A woman will menstruate for a few months after she becomes pregnant.
- \_\_\_\_\_ (8) All contraceptive methods are about 100% effective for preventing pregnancy.
- \_\_\_\_\_ (9) The organ that produces sperm is the penis.
- \_\_\_\_\_ (10) Male sperm can survive in a woman's body for about two to three days.
- \_\_\_\_\_ (11) Both the condom and oral pill are sold over-the-counter in most drug stores.
- \_\_\_\_\_ (12) A woman is unlikely to become pregnant the first time she has intercourse.
- \_\_\_\_\_ (13) If a woman's menstruation is irregular, she is not likely to become pregnant.
- \_\_\_\_\_ (14) If a woman is unable to conceive, it is her problem, and not her partner's.
- \_\_\_\_\_ (15) A woman will not become pregnant if she does not have an orgasm during sexual intercourse.
- \_\_\_\_\_ (16) Sexual intercourse two weeks before menstruation is not likely to result in a pregnancy.
- \_\_\_\_\_ (17) A male may have a low sperm count even if he has a normal sex life.
- \_\_\_\_\_ (18) Female fertility peaks between the ages of 21 and 25, gradually decreases after age 25, and significantly decreases after age 35.
- \_\_\_\_\_ (19) A man's fertility is dependent on the length of his penis.
- \_\_\_\_\_ (20) Masturbation is harmful to one's health, regardless of frequency.
- \_\_\_\_\_ (21) Male sperm is a source of energy. If not ejected from the body, it will turn into blood and increase a male's energy.
- \_\_\_\_\_ (22) Although marriage between close relatives can strengthen family ties, children born of closely related couples are at a higher risk of congenital birth defects.
- \_\_\_\_\_ (23) Wet dreams may affect one's sexual ability during adulthood.

- \_\_\_ (24) During menstruation, it is better for a woman to take a shower rather than a tub bath.
- \_\_\_ (25) An AIDS-infected woman who is pregnant cannot transmit the HIV virus to her fetus.
- \_\_\_ (26) Only homosexuals are likely to contract AIDS.
- \_\_\_ (27) Sharing needles with others increases the risk of contracting AIDS.
- \_\_\_ (28) Using a condom during sexual intercourse lowers the risk of contracting AIDS.
- \_\_\_ (29) The HIV virus can be spread through casual contact (speaking, shaking hands, or embracing) with an AIDS-infected person.
- \_\_\_ (30) A person who has been infected with HIV, but who has not yet developed AIDS, looks much like a healthy person.

31. How confident are you about your answers to the above 30 questions?

- (0) not confident at all
- (1) not very confident
- (2) somewhat confident
- (3) confident
- (4) very confident

32. Who (or which organization) do you think should be responsible for teaching the material needed to answer the above questions?

- (1) school
- (2) parents and family
- (3) government medical unit or public health agency
- (4) social service agencies
- (5) friends and classmates
- (6) learn by one's self from books/magazines
- (7) telephone (professional) hotline
- (8) other (specify : \_\_\_\_\_)

33. In your middle school biology, health education, or nursing class, were you taught or given any information about the following topics? [For each item, circle only one number]

	no	were asked to read by ourselves	yes, taught briefly	yes, taught in depth
(1) pregnancy and reproductive physiology	1	2	3	4
(2) contraceptive methods	1	2	3	4
(3) sexually transmitted diseases and AIDS	1	2	3	4
(4) disadvantages of abortion	1	2	3	4
(5) how to have a good relationship with members of the opposite sex	1	2	3	4
(6) love and mate selection	1	2	3	4



34. Which of the following topics would you like your school to teach in more detail?

- |   |        |         |
|---|--------|---------|
| a. pregnancy and reproductive physiology                            | (0) no | (1) yes |
| b. contraceptive methods  | (0) no | (1) yes |
| c. sexually transmitted diseases and AIDS                           | (0) no | (1) yes |
| d. disadvantages of abortion  | (0) no | (1) yes |
| e. how to have a good relationship with members of the opposite sex | (0) no | (1) yes |
| f. love and mate selection  | (0) no | (1) yes |

35. Have you and your parents ever discussed any of the following issues

[For each item, circle only one number]

	discussed in detail	discussed briefly	never
a. how to have a good relationship with the opposite sex	1	2	3
b. possible consequences of premarital sexual relations	1	2	3
c. menstruation, wet dreams, or masturbation	1	2	3
d. contraceptive methods	1	2	3
e. pregnancy or reproductive physiology	1	2	3
f. sexually transmitted diseases or AIDS	1	2	3
g. love and mate selection	1	2	3

36. What are the two major sources of your sexual knowledge?

[Please choose a "primary source" of information and a "secondary source" of information. If you do not have a secondary source, mark "0" in the secondary source box.]

primary  
source

- (01) parent
- (02) teacher
- (03) sibling
- (04) friend or classmate
- (05) books
- (06) newspapers or magazines
- (07) radio, TV
- (08) medical professional
- (09) other (specify : \_\_\_\_\_)

2nd  
source

37. From what kind of place do you feel that young people would be most comfortable and willing to pick up contraceptive devices (such as condoms)?

- (1) student health center
- (2) vending machine in a public place
- (3) supermarket or convenience store
- (4) health unit or family planning clinic
- (5) hospital, medical clinic
- (6) drug store
- (7) entertainment/recreation center
- (8) other (specify : \_\_\_\_\_)

38. In your opinion, when is the best time to start teaching about contraceptive methods?

- (1) in fifth or sixth grade
- (2) in junior high school
- (3) in senior high school
- (4) in college/university
- (5) after becoming engaged
- (6) before marriage
- (7) other (specify : \_\_\_\_\_)

39. If a sex education pamphlet is to be prepared what kind of information should be included? [Please choose a "most needed" topic and a "second most needed" topic.]

- (0) nothing, do not need any information
- (1) sexually transmitted diseases and AIDS
- (2) contraceptive methods
- (3) caring for an infant
- (4) dating and relationships with the opposite sex
- (5) intimacy and sex
- (6) pregnancy and reproductive physiology

most  
needed

2nd most  
needed

40. Do you believe that if a woman undergoes an induced abortion that she will be unable to conceive a child for the rest of her life or will be more likely to miscarry?

- (1) strongly believe
- (2) believe
- (3) don't know
- (4) disbelieve
- (5) strongly disbelieve

**Section C: ATTITUDES**

Nowadays, relationships between the sexes are more open, and dating is more commonplace. For an unmarried couple, what level of intimate behavior is acceptable? Below are eight questions, each containing four sub questions concerning intimate behavior. [For each subquestion, circle one number.]

The following are definitions of frequently used terms:

**IN LOVE:** a feeling that is stronger than deep fondness or liking.

**PETTING:** conduct more intimate than embracing or kissing.

**BOY/GIRLFRIEND:** a member of the opposite sex who you have a deeper emotional attachment or commitment to than a regular friend.

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 For the following questions, please circle the number that most closely represents your acceptance of the behavior.

C1. My opinion regarding an unmarried woman doing the following with a male casual acquaintance (not in love with or very familiar with):

	Definitely acceptable	Acceptable	No opinion	Un-acceptable	Definitely unacceptable
Holding hands	1	2	3	4	5
Embracing, Kissing	1	2	3	4	5
Petting	1	2	3	4	5
Sexual intercourse	1	2	3	4	5

C2. My opinion regarding an unmarried woman doing the following with a man she is fond of:

	Definitely acceptable	Acceptable	No opinion	Un-acceptable	Definitely unacceptable
Holding hands	1	2	3	4	5
Embracing, Kissing	1	2	3	4	5
Petting	1	2	3	4	5
Sexual intercourse	1	2	3	4	5

C3. My opinion regarding an unmarried woman doing the following with a boyfriend she is in love with:

	Definitely acceptable	Acceptable	No opinion	Un-acceptable	Definitely unacceptable
Holding hands	1	2	3	4	5
Embracing, Kissing	1	2	3	4	5
Petting	1	2	3	4	5
Sexual intercourse	1	2	3	4	5

C4. My opinion regarding an unmarried woman doing the following with a man she is engaged to:

	Definitely acceptable	Acceptable	No opinion	Un-acceptable	Definitely unacceptable
Holding hands	1	2	3	4	5
Embracing, Kissing	1	2	3	4	5
Petting	1	2	3	4	5
Sexual intercourse	1	2	3	4	5

C5. My opinion regarding an unmarried man doing the following with a female casual acquaintance (not in love with or very familiar with):

	Definitely acceptable	Acceptable	No opinion	Un-acceptable	Definitely unacceptable
Holding hands	1	2	3	4	5
Embracing, Kissing	1	2	3	4	5
Petting	1	2	3	4	5
Sexual intercourse	1	2	3	4	5

C6. My opinion regarding an unmarried man doing the following with a woman he is fond of:

	Definitely acceptable	Acceptable	No opinion	Un-acceptable	Definitely unacceptable
Holding hands	1	2	3	4	5
Embracing, Kissing	1	2	3	4	5
Petting	1	2	3	4	5
Sexual intercourse	1	2	3	4	5

C7. My opinion regarding an unmarried man doing the following with a girlfriend he is in love with:

	Definitely acceptable	Acceptable	No opinion	Un-acceptable	Definitely unacceptable
Holding hands	1	2	3	4	5
Embracing, Kissing	1	2	3	4	5
Petting	1	2	3	4	5
Sexual intercourse	1	2	3	4	5

C8. My opinion regarding an unmarried man doing the following with a woman he is engaged to:

	Definitely acceptable	Acceptable	No opinion	Un-acceptable	Definitely unacceptable
Holding hands	1	2	3	4	5
Embracing, Kissing	1	2	3	4	5
Petting	1	2	3	4	5
Sexual intercourse	1	2	3	4	5

C9. What proportion of your classmates/friends who are your same age have had the following experiences with the opposite sex ?

	none	less than half	about half	more than half	don't know
Embracing, Kissing	1	2	3	4	5
Petting	1	2	3	4	5
Sexual intercourse	1	2	3	4	5

For questions C10-C25, please mark your answers in the box next to the corresponding question.

C10. If a young person is intimate with a member of the opposite sex, which situation is most likely to occur? [Choose one]

- (1) interference with school work or job
- (2) conflicts with parents and family
- (3) pregnancy
- (4) increase in one's social status among friends/classmates
- (5) improvement in quality of life (increased happiness)
- (6) mutual support and encouragement (between the couple)

C11. If an unmarried woman becomes pregnant, who do you think would be the most appropriate person to seek advice from? [Choose one]

- (0) It is best not to discuss it with anyone
- (1) father
- (2) mother
- (3) relative (including sibling)
- (4) doctor
- (5) family planning worker
- (6) telephone helpline
- (7) teacher
- (8) classmate, friend, colleague

C12. If an unmarried woman accidentally becomes pregnant, in your opinion, which of the following is the best solution?

[Choose one]

- (1) Do her best to marry the man who is responsible for her pregnancy
- (2) Have the baby and raise it by herself
- (3) Have the baby and give it up for adoption
- (4) Have an abortion

C13. What do you think is the best way to prevent teenage pregnancies?

[Choose only one]

- (1) Prevent or prohibit young people from dating or developing relationships with the opposite sex
- (2) Teach young people about the consequences of teenage pregnancy
- (3) Provide information relating to attitudes and roles of the sexes
- (4) Provide instruction and knowledge regarding reproductive physiology
- (5) Educate young people about contraceptive methods and make contraceptive services accessible to them

- C14. If you are having difficulties in a relationship with a member of the opposite sex, who would you most like to seek help from?
- (1) parent
  - (2) teacher
  - (3) sibling
  - (4) classmate, friend, colleague
  - (5) newspaper or magazine advice column
  - (6) counseling service (such as Teacher Chang, Life Line)
  - (7) medical professional
  - (8) other (specify : \_\_\_\_\_)
- C15. Do you hope to get married sometime in the future?
- (1) Yes, I do plan to get married. It is not good to be single for one's whole life.
  - (2) Depends. If I meet the right person I will get married. If not, it is OK to be single.
  - (3) No. I plan to stay single.
- C15a. What do you feel is the best age for a woman to marry?
- C15b. What is the best age for a man to marry?
- boys  
girls
- C15c. In your opinion, what is the ideal number of boys and girls that a couple should have?
- C16. Some people consider homosexuality to be an abnormal behavior, and some people consider homosexuality to be normal behavior. What is your opinion regarding homosexuality?
- (1) normal behavior
  - (2) abnormal behavior
  - (0) don't know
- C17. How close should a couple be before they can live together 咏
- (1) like each other
  - (2) love each other
  - (3) engaged
  - (4) married
- most
- second
- C18. Of the following eight items, in terms of your future life, which one is of most importance to you? Which one is of secondary importance?
- (1) being financially secure
  - (2) not being disliked by others
  - (3) enjoying life and having fun
  - (4) being close to your (future) spouse
  - (5) having companionship and not being lonely
  - (6) being remembered after you are gone
  - (7) having a happy family
  - (8) having a son to continue the family line

C19. Below are five items. Please choose each in order of importance to a young person's future opportunities. For example, choose the most important, second most important, third most important, fourth most important, and least important.

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|-------|--|
| most  | (1) luck                               |
| 2nd   | (2) ability                            |
| 3rd   | (3) help from parent(s) or relative(s) |
| 4th   | (4) hard work                          |
| least | (5) destiny                            |

C20. Do you agree or disagree with an unmarried person having a baby?

- (1) strongly agree
- (2) agree
- (3) no opinion
- (4) disagree
- (1) strongly disagree

C21. Is it important for your future spouse to be a virgin?

- (1) very important
- (2) somewhat important
- (3) not very important
- (4) not important at all

C22. When you look for employment in the future, what kind of job would you like to find?

- (1) high income
- (2) stable with no risk
- (3) flexible working hours
- (4) good opportunities for advancement
- (5) provides feeling of achievement

C23. Do you think that your father would approve or disapprove of you having sexual relations with the opposite sex before marriage?

- (0) don't know
- (1) strongly approve
- (2) approve
- (3) no opinion or would not care
- (4) disapprove
- (5) strongly disapprove
- (8) father is deceased

C23a. Do you think that your mother would approve or disapprove of you having sexual relations with the opposite sex before marriage?

- (0) don't know
- (1) strongly approve
- (2) approve
- (3) no opinion or would not care
- (4) disapprove
- (5) strongly disapprove
- (8) mother is deceased

C24. Do you think that most of your close male friends approve of young people having sexual relations before marriage 咏

- (0) don't know
- (1) strongly approve
- (2) approve
- (3) disapprove
- (4) strongly disapprove

C24a. Do you think that most of your close female friends approve of young people have sexual relations before marriage 咏

- (0) don't know
- (1) strongly approve
- (2) approve
- (3) disapprove
- (4) strongly disapprove

C25. In your opinion, is it acceptable for young people to have sexual relations before marriage?

- (1) absolutely acceptable
- (2) acceptable
- (3) unacceptable
- (4) absolutely unacceptable

C25a. Why do you think that young people should not have premarital sex?  
[If you feel that premarital sex is unacceptable, please choose the most important reason for your opinion]

- (0) I think premarital sex is acceptable.
- (1) socially or traditionally unacceptable
- (2) most parents would disapprove
- (3) may cause unwanted pregnancy
- (4) can cause conflicts in a future marriage
- (5) can cause feelings of guilt or anxiety
- (6) can harm relationship with boyfriend or girlfriend
- (7) Virginity should be kept for one's future spouse.
- (8) may increase risk of contracting sexually transmitted diseases  
/AIDS
- (9) Other(specify) : \_\_\_\_\_



C25b. Why do you think that premarital sex is acceptable?

[If you approve of premarital sex, please choose the most important reason for your opinion]

- (0) I think that premarital sex is unacceptable.
- (1) can strengthen the relationship of the two parties (male and female) involved
- (2) can help the couple to adapt to future married life
- (3) can satisfy both physical and psychological needs
- (4) Others do it. Will feel left out if I don't.
- (5) It is acceptable provided that both parties agree.
- (6) can demonstrate one's maturity and vitality
- (7) As long as contraceptives are used, there is nothing else to worry about.
- (8) Sex is fun. So go for it.
- (9) Other(specify) : \_\_\_\_\_

## Section D: PRACTICE

Dear Student:

To better provide services and help to youth, the government needs to truly understand the behaviors of youth. Thus, in this section we have prepared some questions that might seem personal. The information provided in this section will be statistically analyzed, together with information from other respondents. **THIS IS A COMPLETELY ANONYMOUS QUESTIONNAIRE. YOUR ANSWERS WILL BE KEPT PRIVATE AND CONFIDENTIAL.** So, please respond to the questions honestly according to your personal behavior and habits.

D1. Do you have or have you had a close friend of the opposite sex ?

How did you get to know each other ?

- (0) no
- (1) yes, a schoolmate
- (2) yes, relative
- (3) yes, met at social gathering
- (4) yes, introduced by others
- (5) yes, met at work place
- (6) yes, penpal
- (7) other (specify : \_\_\_\_\_)

D1a. Are you dating someone regularly?

- (1) yes
- (2) no

D1b. On average, how often do you go out on a date?

- (0) no steady dating partner
- (1) at least once a day
- (2) several times a week
- (3) at least once a week
- (4) at least once every two weeks
- (5) at least once every three weeks
- (6) at least once a month
- (7) less than once a month

D2. How old were you when you began menstruating?

years [In the boxes, fill in age (in years), if male fill in "88." If have not yet menstruated for the first time, mark "00."]

D3. How old were you when you experienced ejaculation for the first time (including wet dream)? [In the boxes, fill in age (in years), if female fill in "88." If have never experienced ejaculation, mark "00."]

years

D4. Have you ever read an erotic or pornographic book/magazine?

- (0) no
- (1) yes
- (2) don't know

D4a. Where were you when you first saw an erotic book or magazine?

- (00) have never seen an erotic book/magazine
- (01) at home
- (02) at a relative's home
- (03) at a friend's/classmate's home
- (04) at place of employment
- (05) at a newsstand
- (77) other (please specify: \_\_\_\_\_)
- (88) can't remember
- (06) in a bookstore
- (07) in a book rental store
- (08) in a hotel
- (09) in an MTV, KTV

D5. Have you ever watched a pornographic (X-rated) movie/videotape?

- (0) no
- (1) yes
- (2) don't know

D5a. Where were you when you first watched a pornographic movie?

- (00) have never seen a pornographic movie
- (01) at home
- (02) at a relative's home
- (03) at a friend's / classmate's home
- (04) at place of employment
- (05) in a movie theater
- (88) can't remember
- (06) in a hotel
- (07) in an MTV
- (08) other (please specify: \_\_\_\_\_)

D6. How do you handle your sexual urges? [Choose one answer that best represents the method you would use.]

- (1) masturbate
- (2) find a partner
- (3) pay money for a partner
- (4) suppress the urge
- (5) take a shower
- (6) exercise
- (7) work, read
- (8) use a method of distraction
- (0) other (specify : \_\_\_\_\_)

D6a. How old were you when you masturbated for the first time ?

years

[In the boxes, write the age in years. If have never masturbated, write "00."]

D6b. On average, how often do you masturbate ?

- (0) have never masturbated
- (1) at least once a day
- (2) several times a week
- (3) at least once a week
- (4) at least once every two weeks
- (5) at least once every three weeks
- (6) at least once a month
- (7) less than once a month

D7. Have you ever had phone sex?

(0) no (1) yes

D8. Have you ever seen a live erotic/burlesque show?

(0) no (1) yes

D9. Have you ever been sexually harassed?

(0) no (1) yes

D10. Have you ever had the experience of kissing a member of the opposite sex?

(0) no (1) yes

years D11. How old were you the first time you kissed a member of the opposite sex?  
[If you have never had this experience fill in "00." If you can't remember  
or don't know, fill in "77."]

D12. Have you ever experienced petting in any of the following areas?

- a. thighs (0) no (1) yes
- b. buttocks (0) no (1) yes
- c. breasts (0) no (1) yes
- d. genitalia (0) no (1) yes

years D12a. How old were you when you experienced petting (of the genitalia)  
for the first time? [If you have never had this experience, fill in "00." If  
you can't remember or don't know, fill in "77."]

D13. Have you ever had sexual intercourse?

(0) no (1) yes

years D14. How old were you when you experienced sexual intercourse for the first  
time? [If you have never had this experience, fill in "00."]

D15. Where (in what place) were you when you experienced sexual intercourse for the first time?

- (00) have never had sexual intercourse
- (01) in a hotel
- (02) in a house/apartment that you were renting
- (03) in a house/apartment that he/she was renting
- (04) in parent(s)' home
- (05) at his/her parent(s)' home
- (06) outdoors (e.g. forest)
- (07) in a brothel
- (08) in MTV, KTV
- (09) in school dorm
- (10) in company dorm, workplace
- (11) at a friend's home
- (12) at a relative's home
- (13) in a car
- (14) in pub, bar, coffeeshop, teahouse or other public place
- (77) other

D16. Did you use a contraceptive the first time you had sexual intercourse?

- (0) have never had sexual intercourse
- (1) yes            (2) no

D16a. Why didn't you use contraceptives?

- (0) have never had sexual intercourse
- (1) spontaneously happened, did not have time to prepare
- (2) partner did not approve
- (3) did not use in order to get pregnant
- (4) it was the safe period in menstrual cycle
- (5) thought about using a contraceptive, but at that time was too inconvenient
- (6) did not know any contraceptive methods
- (7) did not know where contraceptives (or contraceptive services) were available
- (8) contraceptives make sexual intercourse less enjoyable other (specify : \_\_\_\_\_)

D17. Who was your first sexual partner ?

- (0) have never had sexual intercourse
- (1) friend, classmate, colleague (not in love with each other)
- (2) your lover
- (3) fiance / fiancée
- (4) someone who was paid (e.g. prostitute, gigolo)
- (5) other

no. of  
partnrs  
  
times

D18. Did you (or your partner) become pregnant as a result of your first sexual intercourse? If yes, what was the result of the pregnancy?

- (0) have never had sexual intercourse
- (1) no (did not become pregnant)
- (2) yes, abortion
- (3) yes, birth
- (4) other

D19. To date how many sexual partners have you had? [If have never had sexual intercourse, fill in "0."]

D19a. To date, how many times have you had sexual intercourse? [If have never had sexual intercourse, fill in "00."]

D20. Do you use contraceptives every time you have sexual intercourse?

- (0) have never had sexual intercourse
- (1) always
- (2) usually
- (3) half of the time
- (4) not usually
- (5) never

D21. Have you ever had sexual intercourse with someone for money ?

- (0) have never had sexual intercourse
- (1) yes            (2) no

D22. Have you (your partner) ever become pregnant?

- (0) have never had sexual intercourse
- (1) yes            (2) no

D23. Have you (your partner) ever underwent an induced abortion?

- (0) have never had sexual intercourse or have never been pregnant
- (1) yes            (2) no            (3) don't know

D24. Do you currently smoke cigarettes?

- (1) yes            (2) did before, but have already quit
- (3) have never smoked

D24a. Do you believe that smoking can cause lung cancer?

- (1) no    (2) yes    (0) don't know

D24b. Do any of your family members currently smoke cigarettes?

- (1) no
- (2) father and/or mother smokes
- (3) other family member(s) smoke(s)
- (4) father / mother and other family member(s) smoke

D25. Do you usually chew betel-nut?

- (1) often (2) occasionally
- (3) did before, but already quit
- (4) have never chewed betel-nut

D25a. Do you believe that betel-nut can cause oral cancer?

- (1) no (2) yes (0) don't know

D25b. Do any of your family members currently chew betel-nut? ?

- (1) no
- (2) father and/or mother chews
- (3) other family member(s) chew(s)
- (4) father/mother and other family member(s) chew

D26. Do you usually wear a helmet when riding a motorcycle?

- (0) have never ridden a motorcycle
- (1) always
- (2) most of the time
- (3) sometimes
- (4) rarely
- (5) never

D27. What is the best way to prevent young people from racing motorcycles on city streets? [Please choose two answers which you think are the best solutions.]

- (1) If caught, the offenders should be subject to severe punishment.
- (2) If caught, the offenders should be given appropriate counseling.
- (3) Safe motorcycle-race grounds should be provided free of charge.
- (4) More sporting activities for youth should be organized. (5) More youth-oriented activities should be organized so that youth have more safe outlets for their energy.
- (6) More recreational centers offering a wide variety of activities for youth should be provided.
- (7) Documentary films showing the consequences of serious motorcycle accidents should be viewed by students to increase their awareness of motorcycle safety.
- (8) other (specify : \_\_\_\_\_)