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Date _____

Interviewer _____

Parent Involvement and Investment in their Child

Parents can be involved with their child/children in several ways. They may be involved with their child's/children's learning at home or school. I am going to read some activities to you and I want you to think about each activity carefully. For each activity, tell me if you do them **Never/Rarely**, **Sometimes**, **Often** or **Always**. Remember there are no right or wrong answers.

Parental Involvement in the Home

Never/Rarely Sometimes Often Always

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| 1. I read together with my child/ I read to my child | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | N/A |
| 2. I encourage my child to read and write at home/ I encourage my child to look at books and use crayons and pencils | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | N/A |
| 3. I provide play materials for my child (e.g. rattles, blocks, puzzles, crayons, pencils) | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | N/A |
| 4. I do creative activities and play games at home with my child. (Probe – no physical activities) (e.g. singing, drawing, peek-a-boo) | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | N/A |
| 5. I take my child to places in the community to (e.g. library, museum, walk, zoo) | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | N/A |
| 6. I talk to my child about what they want to be when they grow up. | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | N/A |

School-Based Involvement

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| 7. I attend PTA or parent-workshops at my child's school. | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | N/A |
| 8. I attend other parent-teacher meetings at my child's school. | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | N/A |
| 9. I talk with the teacher about how my child is doing. | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | N/A |
| 10. I volunteer in my child's school. | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | N/A |

Home Support for School

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| 11. I give my child rewards or encouragement when he/she does well in school (e.g. hugs, kisses) | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | N/A |
| 12. I make sure that my child has the school supplies he/she needs | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | N/A |
| 13. I talk to my child about how important school is. | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | N/A |
| 14. I look over my child's school work and look to see what they have done for the week. | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | N/A |
| 15. I help my child with homework and try to make sure homework is done. | 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | N/A |

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In the past month, how many days had your child missed school?

Never	4
1-2 times	3
3-5 times	2
>5 times	1
Don't Know	-88
N/A	999