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Scottish Health Survey 2015						
Booklet for parents of 4-12 year olds						
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Strengths and Difficulties Questionnaire

For each item, please mark the box for Not True, Somewhat True or Certainly True. It would help us if you answered all items as best you can even if you are not absolutely certain or the item seems daft!

Please give your answers on the basis of the child's behaviour over the last six months.

Tick **ONE** box on each row Somewhat true Certainly true Not true Considerate of other people's feelings Restless, overactive, cannot stay still for long Often complains of headaches, stomach-aches or sickness Shares readily with other children (treats, toys, pencils etc.) Often has temper tantrums or hot tempers Rather solitary, tends to play alone Generally obedient, usually does what adults request Many worries, often seems worried Helpful if someone is hurt, upset or feeling ill Constantly fidgeting or squirming Has at least one good friend Often fights with other children or bullies them Often unhappy, down-hearted or tearful Generally liked by other children Easily distracted, concentration wanders Nervous or clingy in new situations, easily loses confidence Kind to younger children Often lies or cheats Picked on or bullied by other children Often volunteers to help others (parents, teachers, other children) Thinks things out before acting Steals from home, school or elsewhere Gets on better with adults than with other children Many fears, easily scared Sees tasks through to the end, good attention span

concentration, beha	viour or being abl	e to get on with other	r people?			
			No ——	Go to questions on page 3		
		Yes – minor difficult	ies			
		Yes – definite difficult	ies	Go to next question		
		Yes – severe difficult	ies			
If you have answere	d "Yes", please aı	nswer the following q	uestions about t	hese difficulties:		
How long have these difficulties been present?						
	Less than a month	1-5 months	6-12 months	Over a year		
Do the difficulties up	oset or distress yo	our child?				
	Not at all	Only a little	Quite a lot	A great deal		
Do the difficulties in	terfere with your	child's everyday life ir	n the following ar	reas?		
Home life Friendships Classroom learning	Not at all	Only a little	Quite a lot	A great deal		
Leisure activities						
Do the difficulties pu	ut a burden on you	u or the family as a wl	hole?			
© Robert Goodman, 2	Not at all	Only a little	Quite a lot	A great deal		

Overall, do you think that your child has difficulties in one or more of the following areas: emotions,

And now some questions about physical activity

The **government advises** that young children of <u>pre-school</u> age who are capable of walking without help should spend a certain amount of time being physically active. This includes light or more energetic activities such as walking or skipping, riding a bike, and running and chasing games.

How much time **per day** do you **think** <u>under fives</u> who are able to walk are **advised to spend** doing this?

Please write in time (You can either write your answer in minutes, hours or both)

Hours	Minutes	child this age

The **government also advises** that children and young people (aged 5 – 18) should spend a certain amount of time doing moderate physical activity to help them stay healthy. This includes bike riding, playground activities, swimming, playing tennis or any other activity that makes them breathe slightly faster than usual.

How much time per day do you think those aged 5-18 are advised to spend doing this?

Please write in time (You can either write your answer in minutes, hours or both)

Hours	Minutes	child this age

Thank you for answering these questions. Please give the booklet back to the interviewer.