



**BIRTH TO TWENTY
THREE YEAR QUESTIONNAIRE**

DATE : Day Month Year

BTT ID NUMBER:

BONE STUDY ID NUMBER:

BTT CHILD'S NAME(S): _____

SURNAME: _____

MOTHER'S NAME: _____

SURNAME: _____

Coded by _____

Checked by _____

Name of Fieldworker _____

Not enrolled | One Previous Visit

We would like to ask you a number of questions about yourself, your child (born in 1990), as well as your home environment. Many of the questions will refer back to 1990/91, the year following your child's birth.

Mother/Caretaker

1. Full name and surname of Mother/Caretaker:

2. Maiden name or any other previous surname:

3. Current address:

4. Contact telephone numbers _____ (H/N/R/W/F)
_____ (H/N/R/W/F)

5. Mother/Caretaker's date of birth ____/____/____

6. Population group

Indian	1	Coloured	2	Black	3	White	4
Other (Please Specify)							

7. What Language do you speak at home?

English	01	Xhosa	05	Portuguese	09
Afrikaans	02	Tswana	06	Venda	10
Zulu	03	Swazi	07	Pedi	11
Sotho	04	Tsonga/Shangaan	08	Ndebele	12
Other (mention) _____					

CHILD BORN IN 1990:

8. Full names and surname of the child born between 23 April and 8 June 1990

9. Child's date of birth ____/____/____

10. Sex of child

Male	1	Female	2
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11. Hospital where child was born _____

12. Gestational age _____

13. Birthweight _____ (kg/grams)

14. Type of Delivery:

Normal Vaginal	1	Forceps	3
Vacuum	2	C/section	4

ANTENATAL VISITS DURING 1989/1990 PREGNANCY:

15. Did you visit an antenatal clinic /private clinic/ private physician before the 1990 child was born?

Yes	1	No	2
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If **YES** how many times did you attend it?

Once only	1	Two times or more	2
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16. If **YES** how many months pregnant were you when you first visited the antenatal clinic /private clinic/ private physician? _____ months

MEDICAL CARE OF 1990 CHILD

17. When the child is ill who do you visit for care/advice/medication and for what reasons?

18. Does the 1990 child have or has the child had any ongoing/chronic/serious medical or developmental problems? (including accidents)

Yes	1	No	2
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19. If **YES** please list them:

20. Has the 1990 child been admitted to a clinic or hospital since birth?
(including drip room)

Yes	1	No	2
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If **YES** please mention the child's age , the duration of the stay and the reason

	Child's age	Duration of stay	Reason
Admission 1			
Admission 2			
Admission 3			

21. Did you have medical aid that included the 1990 child in the first year after his/her birth?

Yes	1	No	2
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22. Do you have medical aid at present that includes the 1990 child?

Yes	1	No	2
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BREASTFEEDING OF THE 1990 CHILD:

23. Did you ever breastfeed the 1990 child?

Yes	1	No	2
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If **YES** how old was the child when you stopped breastfeeding? _____ months

24. Did you plan to have the 1990 child?

Yes	1	No	2
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25. How many times have you been pregnant ?

a) number of live births(including 1990 child)

b) number of stillbirths

c) number of miscarriages or abortions

d) number of children who died

e) any adopted children

SOCIOECONOMIC STATUS OF THE FAMILY

26. What was your marital status in the first year after the 1990 child's birth?

Civil marriage only (church/magistrate)	1	Single	5
Traditional marriage only (lobola/bohadi)	2	Divorced	6
Both civil & traditional marriage	3	Widow	7
Living together	4	Separated	8

27. Has your marital status changed since then?

Yes	1	No	2
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If **YES** what is it now?

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Both civil & traditional marriage	3	Widow	7
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28. What was your highest educational qualification in the first year after the 1990 child's birth?

No formal education	00	Std 7/Form II	07
Sub A/Grade 1	11	Std 8/Form III	08
Sub B/Grade 2	12	Std 9/Form IV	09
Std 1	01	Std 10/Form V	10
Std 2	02	1 year diploma	13
Std 3	03	2/3 year Diploma	14
Std 4	04	3/4 year Diploma	15
Std 5	05	Master's Degree	16
Std 6	06	PhD etc	17
Other _____			

29. Has it changed since then?

Yes	1	No	2
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If **YES** what is it now?

No formal education	00	Std 7/Form II	07
Sub A/Grade 1	11	Std 8/Form III	08
Sub B/Grade 2	12	Std 9/Form IV	09
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Std 6	06	PhD etc	17
Other _____			

30. What was your partner's highest educational qualification in the first year after the 1990 child's birth?

No formal education	00	Std 7/Form II	07
Sub A/Grade 1	11	Std 8/Form III	08
Sub B/Grade 2	12	Std 9/Form IV	09
Std 1	01	Std 10/Form V	10
Std 2	02	1 year diploma	13
Std 3	03	2/3 year Diploma	14
Std 4	04	3/4 year Diploma	15
Std 5	05	Master's Degree	16
Std 6	06	PhD etc	17
Other _____			

31. What is your current partner's level of education?

No formal education	00	Std 7/Form II	07
Sub A/Grade 1	11	Std 8/Form III	08
Sub B/Grade 2	12	Std 9/Form IV	09
Std 1	01	Std 10/Form V	10
Std 2	02	1 year diploma	13
Std 3	03	2/3 year Diploma	14
Std 4	04	3/4 year Diploma	15
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Other _____			

32. During the 1990 child 's first year of life would you have described yourself as :

A housewife	1	A student	3
Earning money	2	Unemployed	4

33. If you describe yourself as EARNING MONEY: What was your occupation (type of work) ?

34. Would you describe yourself differently today?

Yes	1	No	2
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If **YES** what would it be?

A housewife	1	A student	3
Earning money	2	Unemployed	4

35. If you describe yourself as EARNING MONEY now: What is your occupation?

36. What was your partner's occupation at the time of the 1990 child's birth?

37. What is your current partner's occupation?

38. Did you live with the child's father in 1990?

Yes	1	No	2
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39. Are you living with the child's father now?

Yes	1	No	2
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40. Did the child's father contribute financially to the care of the child in the year after the 1990's child's birth?

Yes	1	No	2
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41. Does he still contribute financially to the care of the child?

Yes	1	No	2
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42. If you are living with a different partner does he contribute financially to the care of the 1990 child?

Yes	1	No	2
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MIGRATION HISTORY

43. Where did you spend the first 10 years of your life?

44. Where did you spend the past 10 years of your life?

45. If you are not originally from the Soweto/Johannesburg area when did you move here and where did you come from?

46. Have you moved since the 1990 child's birth?

Yes	1	No	2
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If **YES** could you please list the areas you were moving from and the areas you were moving to?

Place from	Place to	Date	Reason

47. Do you ever visit / go to a rural area?

Yes	1	No	2
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If **YES** how often do you go and what is your main reason for doing so?

Frequency	Name of the area	Duration	Reason

48. Has the 1990 child been living with you continuously since birth?

Yes	1	No	2
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If **NO** with whom did the 1990 child live and where?

With whom	Where

49. At present, who takes care of the child on a daily basis and where is the child being taken care of?

With whom	Where

HOUSING

50. How would you describe your home in the first year after the 1990 child's birth?

Shack in squatter area	1	House	5
Shack in Backyard	2	Hostel	6
Room in backyard	3	Shared house with another family	7
Flat	4	Other _____	8

51. How many rooms were used for sleeping _____

52. How many

Adults (16 years and older)	
Children (younger than 16 years)	

lived in the 1990 child's home?

53. Has your housing condition changed since then?

Yes	1	No	2
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If **YES** how would you describe your present home?

Shack in squatter area	1	House	5
Shack in Backyard	2	Hostel	6
Room in backyard	3	Shared house with another family	7
Flat	4	Other _____	8

54. How many rooms were used for sleeping _____

Adults (16 years and older)	
Children (younger than 16 years)	

lived in the 1990 child's home?

55. Which of the following did you have in your home in the first year after the 1990 child's birth?

Electricity	Yes	1	No	2
Television	Yes	1	No	2
Radio	Yes	1	No	2
Motor Vehicle	Yes	1	No	2
Fridge	Yes	1	No	2
Washing Machine	Yes	1	No	2
Telephone	Yes	1	No	2
Children's toys	Yes	1	No	2

56. Which of the following do you have in your home at the present time?

Electricity	Yes	1	No	2
Television	Yes	1	No	2
Radio	Yes	1	No	2
Motor Vehicle	Yes	1	No	2
Fridge	Yes	1	No	2
Washing Machine	Yes	1	No	2
Telephone	Yes	1	No	2
Children's toys	Yes	1	No	2

WATER

57. Did you have indoor running water in the first year after the 1990 child's birth?

Yes	1	No	2
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If **NO** from what source did you get your water?

58. Do you have indoor running water now?

Yes	1	No	2
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If **NO** from what source do you get your water?

SANITATION

59. Did you have an indoor flush toilet in use during the first year after the 1990 child's birth?

Yes	1	No	2
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If **NO** what type of toilet did you use and where was it?

CIGARETTE USE

60. Did you smoke daily while pregnant with the 1990 child?

Yes	1	No	2
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REASONS FOR NON-PARTICIPATION

61. Have you ever been approached by someone from the Birth to Ten study?

Yes	1	No	2
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If **YES** where did we contact you and when?

62. Why did you decide not to participate?

63. Was there anything about the person or the way in which s/he approached you that affected your decision not to participate?

Yes	1	No	2
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If **YES** what

64. Have you ever participated in any other study? (e.g. about shopping, clothes, food, the environment or any other medical topic)

Yes	1	No	2
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If **YES** what kind of study was it?

65. Do you think that studies on child health and development can be of use to you or families in general?

Yes	1	No	2
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66. If we now invite you into the Birth to ten study would you agree to participate?

Yes	1	No	2
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If **YES** why? **OR** if **NO** why not?

If **YES**, WOULD YOU PLEASE COMPLETE THE CONSENT FORM?

67. Is there any other comment you would like to make?

INCOME

Income is a sensitive question to many people. However, it is a very important for BTT to have an idea of your monthly income. We would appreciate it if you could answer the following two questions.

68. During the 1990 child's first year of life, did those supporting the child earn monthly:

Between R1 and R 500	1	Between R501 and R 5000	3
More than R1000	2	Don't know	4

69. Has it changed since then?

Yes	1	No	2
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If **YES** what is it now?

Between R1 and R 500	1	Between R501 and R 5000	3
More than R1000	2	Don't know	4

70. ANY NOTES / REMARKS OR OTHER COMMENTS ABOUT THE CHILD BY THE INTERVIEWER

71. **TRACING INFORMATION SOURCES ON THE CURRENT ADDRESS:**

Notification namelist	01	Community organisation	06
Creche	02	Phonebook	07
Letter to BTT	03	Toll-free number	08
Church	04	Answering machine	09
Neighbours	05	Family members	10
List any other sources			
