

Background Information Questionnaire						
This questionnaire is to be completed by all participants following completion of the consent form and prior to commencing the selected questionnaires.						
RESEARCHER—Please read the following statement out loud:						
All information provided in this questionnaire will remain entirely anonymous and confidential. Information provided will be used for the purpose of this research only.						
Prisoner ID:						
1.	Age: How old are you?	ye	ars old			
2.	Gender: Male		Female			
3. Ethnicity: Which of the following best describes your ethnic group? RESEARCHER—Please display ethnicity options to respondent						
White British		White and Black Caribbean				
	White Irish		White and Black African			
	Other white background: Please write here		White and Asian			
			Mixed other: Please write			
			here			
	Asian or Asian British					
	Indian		Black or Black British			
	Pakistani		Caribbean			
	Bangladeshi		African			
	Asian other: Please write		Black Other: Please write			
	here		here			
	Chinese or other Ethnic Group					
	Chinese					
	Other ethnic background: Please write here					

4. Religion: Do you practice a religion?	Yes No Go to next question				
a. If Yes do you consider yourself to be 🗲					
RESEARCHER—Please display religion options to respondent					
Christian Hindu Muslim	7th Day				
Buddhist Jewish Sikh	Any other religion Prefer not to say				
 5. Education a. How old were you when you finished your full time education? Years old b. Do you have any of the following qualifications? RESEARCHER—Please display qualification options to respondent 					
GCSE GCE 'O' Level 'A' Level, Highers					
City and guilds Teaching Diplon	na, HNC Degree : Details				
None of these Other					
 c. Since you have been in prison have you been involved in any kind of education or training? Yes → Please write details here 					
No→If 'No' please say why? N	ot offered any Not interested				
o	ther:				
D	etails				
6. Family: Do you have any children under 16? Yes No Go to next question					

7. Visits and Correspondence					
 visits and correspondence a. Since you have been in prison how often have friends/family visited you? 					
Times a week Times a month Never Not been here long enough					
b. Have you received a visit in the past 7 days? Yes No					
c. Since you have been in prison how often do you speak with friends/family by phone?					
RESEARCHER—Please display correspondence frequency options to respondent					
Daily 1-2 times a week 3-6 times a week 1-2 times a fortnight					
1-2 times a month Very rarely Never Not been in long enough					
d. Since you have been in prison how often do you write letters to your friends/family?					
RESEARCHER—Please display correspondence frequency options to respondent					
Daily 1-2 times a week 3-6 times a week 1-2 times a fortnight					
1-2 times a month Very rarely Never Not been in long enough					
e. Since you have been in prison how often do you receive letters from friends/family?					
RESEARCHER—Please display correspondence frequency options to respondent					
Daily 1-2 times a week 3-6 times a week 1-2 times a fortnight					
1-2 times a month Very rarely Never Not been in long enough					
8. Prison Experience: Are you in prison because you are:					
RESEARCHER—Please display remand options to respondent					
 a. On remand awaiting trial b. On remand awaiting sentencing Go to next question 					
c. Sentenced					
What is length of your current sentence? yrs mths days					
How long have you served?					

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8d. What offence(s) best describe what you are currently on remand/sentenced for?						
RESEARCHER—Please display offence options to respondent						
Violence against another person resulting in i	njury Drug related offences					
Violence against another person resulting in d	eath Sexual offences					
Breach of licence (please detail prior index offence Burglary/theft offences below)						
Other offence (please detail below) Vehicle related offences						
9. Homelessness						
a. Were you homeless at any point during the	12 months before you came to prison?					
	Yes No					
10. Healthcare						
a. Have you accessed healthcare during this p	rison stay? Yes No					
b. Have you accessed any listener services du	ring this prison stay? Yes 🔄 No 🔄					
c. Have you ever seen a psychiatrist outside prison? Yes No						
d. Have you ever received medication for any mental health						
problems? (answer yes if antidepressants or antipsychotics)						
e. Would you consider yourself to be dependent on alcohol? Yes No						
f. Would you consider yourself to be dependent on drugs? Yes No						
g. Have you ever tried to harm yourself?	In prison Yes No					
	outside prison Yes No					
h. Is this the first time in this sentence you have been put on an Yes No ACCT?						
→ If No: How long ago was previous ACCT?						
How many have you had before this one?						
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