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School ID: Participant ID: Timepoint: Baseline 12 mo 24 mo 36 mo

Seal or Varnish Study - Dental Health Questionnaire

Dear Parent,

Please answer the following questions relating to your child's dental health. The questionnaire is split in to 2 parts: Part A relates to your child's normal dental routine and Part B relates to how much of your time is taken up looking after your child's dental health.

Thank you very much for taking the time to complete this questionnaire.

Instructions for completing the questionnaire:

For most questions we would like you to put an 'X' in the relevant box. Please use black ink and keep the cross inside the box:

Example: **Who typically carries out the toothbrushing?** tick **one** box only

- the child on their own
- the child, observed by an adult
- adult brushes the child's teeth

If you need to correct an item draw a single line through it and write in the correct answer as shown:

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For some questions you will need to write your answer. Please use **BLOCK CAPITALS**, e.g.

Example:

Occupation

Or numbers as appropriate, e.g.

Example:

How many minutes did the appointment take including travel time?



Part A: Your child and their normal dental routine

1 Please confirm the following information about your child:

your child's initials:

your child's gender: Male Female

your child's date of birth (dd/mm/yyyy):

2 How often does your child brush their teeth? tick **one** box only

less than once a day

once a day

twice a day

more than twice a day

never skip to **→ Q7**

3 Who typically carries out the toothbrushing? tick **one** box only

the child on their own

the child, observed by an adult

adult brushes the child's teeth

4 What type of toothpaste does your child usually use? tick **one** box only

normal family toothpaste

children's toothpaste

other (fill in below)

5 How much toothpaste does your child usually use when brushing? tick **one** box only

a smear on the brush

a pea sized amount

cover the brush bristles

6 At what age did you start brushing your child's teeth? write age in the box below

Years Months

7 Is your child currently using any of the following? tick any that apply

	Yes	No	Brand
Mouthwash	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="text"/>
Fluoride drops	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Fluoride tablets	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

8 Has your child ever had fluoride varnish or gel applied by their dentist? tick **one** box only

Yes No

Don't know

9 Does your child attend a dentist for check-ups? tick **one** box only

Yes

No skip to **→ Q11**

10 How often does your child normally see the dentist? Tick **one** box only - fill in months if applicable

every months
only when in pain

11 Has your child lived in South Wales all their life?

Yes No

12 How often does your child eat or drink the following?

	Never	<1 per week	2-3 times per week	4-6 times per week	1 per day	2-3 times per day
Milk	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Water	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Fizzy drinks	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Squash	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Fruit juice	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Diet / light drinks / low sugar squash	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sweets / Confectionery	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Chocolate	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Crisps	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Fruit e.g. apples and bananas	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cakes and biscuits	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
High fibre / low sugar breakfast cereals, like porridge, Weetabix and Shredded Wheat	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other breakfast cereals like Crunchy Nut Cornflakes, Frosties, Coco Pops	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Part B: Time taken up looking after your child's dental health

13 Not counting the mobile dental clinic at your child's school, has your child attended any other dental appointments in the last 12 months? Tick **one** box only

Yes How many times

No skip to **→Q15**

14 For each appointment in the last 12 months, please list the following

Tick **one** box in each column

What was the reason for your appointment?	Appointment 1	Appointment 2	Appointment 3	Appointment 4
Toothache	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Check-up	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Filling	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Extraction	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other (write below)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Where did you receive the treatment?				
Family Dentist	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Emergency Dentist	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Hospital Dentist	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Doctor	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other (write below)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
How many minutes did the appointment take including travel time?	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>
How many miles did you have to travel to the appointment?	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/> <input type="text"/> <input type="text"/>
How did you travel to the appointment?				
Car	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
By foot	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Taxi	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Bus	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Train	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other (write below)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Did you have to take time off paid work?				
Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
No	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

15 Has your child been prescribed (e.g. by a dentist/GP) any medicines for tooth related problems? Tick **one** box only

Yes

No skip to **→Q17**

16 What was the medicine that was prescribed? Tick as many as apply

	Yes	No	How many times
Pain relief medication (calpol, junior ibuprofen)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
Antibiotics	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
Other (write below)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>

17 Over the past 12 months have you self-treated your child (without going to the dentist/GP) for a dental problem? Tick **one** box only

Yes

No

If **Yes**, specify the treatment given

Painkillers

Other (write below)

18 Approximately how many days do you think your child has lost from school over the last 12 months due to dental problems and/or dental visits? write number of days in box

Days

19 Did you or another carer need to take time off paid work or find yourself unable to undertake normal daily activities because of your child's dental problems or visits? Tick **one** box only

Yes

No

20 Could you describe the, present occupation of the child's main parent(s) or carer(s)? write in box below

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Do we have
your correct
contact details?



At the start of the study you provided
the following contact number:

Tel. (_____) _____

If this is not right, please fill in below with the best number to
contact you on. Also, to help us contact you in the future
(e.g. if you change phone numbers), please let us know if you
are happy for your child's school to pass on your telephone
number.

The best number to reach me on is: Tel. (_____) _____

I give my permission for my child's school to pass on my current telephone
number to the study team if they are unable to contact me in future please tick

Parent Name: _____

Signature: _____

When completed, please return to the SEWTU
office using the pre-paid envelope provided.

Thank you very much!



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